March 18, 2024

Dear Watson Graduate:

The Watson ceremony will be held on Friday, May 24, 2024, at 7:00 pm at Chisholm Trail High School, Jared Hardy Fine Arts Center, located at 3100 NW College Dr., Fort Worth, TX 76179. You will need to report at 6:00 pm to the CTHS Band Hall.

Cap & Gown:

- Decorations added to the graduation cap must be limited to the top of the cap, lay flat, and must be one inch away from the edge.
- All messages should be positive, of gratitude only and follow FNAA (LOCAL).
- Images of colleges, trades, or military branches are allowable within the limitations stated above.
- Dedication to family, teachers, or friends is allowable within the limitations stated above.
- Only caps meeting the guidelines will be allowed at graduation commencement.
- Decorated caps may only be worn at commencement. Activities where regalia is worn prior to commencement must be worn with a non-decorated cap (class picture, elementary walks, individual/group senior pictures, etc.)
- Caps that do not meet the requirements above will be replaced by a cap provided by campus administration.

Be sure you have ordered your cap and gown from Jostens. Everyone participating in the Watson ceremony will be wearing a black cap and gown, 2024 gold tassel, and gold Watson stole. Jostens contact info: (800) 567-8367, 2126 Hamilton Dr. Ste. 440, Argyle, TX 76226. Their website is www.jostens.com. After graduation, if you would like to donate your cap and gown for future Watson students, there will be a place for them to be collected.

<u>Appropriate Dress for Graduation</u>: If you show up not wearing the proper attire, you will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony.

Men: Shirt-White or light collar to coordinate with robe color

Tie-Coordinate with shirt and robe color

Slacks-Dark dress slacks: NO Jeans, NO shorts Shoes-Dark dress shoes: NO athletic shoes

Ladies: Dress or dark-colored pants-Any color that blends with the robe color: NO long dresses, NO jeans, NO shorts

Shoes-Dark dress shoes -You will have to climb stairs and walk across the wooden stage. You should choose shoes that are

quiet and easy to walk in. NO athletic shoes.

Congratulations! I look forward to seeing you at graduation., ulo0.0000.