


James M. Bennett High School

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION	DETAILS
4/16/21 – 5/19/21	TBD	Honor Society Inductions	Virtual/In-person (TBD)	Students will be inducted into honor societies
4/16-4/30				<p>Extended through 11:59 PM on 5/4 Senior: Free T-Shirt https://forms.gle/nG73gsPB3gHNrBJf7</p> <p>Parents/Staff - \$14.99 Senior T-Shirt http://ex2design.com/JMBHS/shop/home (Parents please place order using your students name so we know who to give them to when they arrive.)</p>
4/26 – 5/10	Ongoing	Scholarly Reflection		<p>Students who qualify for the Scholarly Reflection opportunity have received information about this process from their counselor. Once students who qualified have written their speech, they will email their typewritten speech to Mrs. Rhodes, Dean of Students, at arhodes@wcboc.org . Submissions must be emailed by 3:00pm on Monday, May 10th, 2021. LATE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!</p>
5/3	Ongoing	Service Hours		Last Day to submit service hours in X2 Vol
5/3-5/11	Ongoing	Senior Superlatives	Virtual	Starting May 3 rd seniors will vote for senior superlatives which will then be announced on May 26 th .
5/3 – 6/3	Ongoing	Senior Baby Pictures	Virtual	Seniors then and now highlighted on social media. Collection of pictures through 5/26 with virtual presentation on seniors last day 6/3 Senior Then & Now Baby Picture Submission Form
5/3 - 5/26/21	Ongoing	Virtual voting for prom court, king, queen	Virtual	5/3-5/11 prom court voting 5/17-5/22 prom king & queen voting 5/26 – prom king & queen announced
Now until 5/14/21	ongoing	Decision Day virtual signing	virtual	Students will submit a form that reflects their commitment for life after high school. This form will be used to create a certificate to celebrate our students at the Senior Awards and Senior Spotlights. https://forms.gle/CkzX9CtmpNz7rfMZA
5/20/21-6/11/21	ongoing	Senior Spotlights	virtual	Student commitments for life after high school will be spotlighted using our social media pages.

5/20	7:00	Baccalaureate	Emmanuel Wesleyan Salisbury Campus	<p>This is a religious event put on by parents to honor our graduates.</p> <p>*Seniors are encouraged to wear their cap and gown to this event. If you plan to attend, let us know by 5/14 by completing the follow link so we can have your cap and gown ready for you. Note: Cords will not be available until 5/26 Link: JMB Baccalaureate Intent Form</p>
5/25-5/28		School Spirit Week		Themed days TBD
5/26/21	9-10	Parking Space Decorating	Student Parking Lot	Students will have the opportunity to decorate a parking space in the A-wing parking area. Supplies will be provided.
5/26/21	10-11	Cap and Gown distribution and photo	(TBD) JMB Gym/Auditorium/Parking Lot	Students will receive caps and gowns, as well as JMB face masks, and pose for a picture. (Note: students who receive Honor Society cords/stoles will receive those on this date as well. Cords will be purchased this year only by the school and will be given to those students at no expense.) We are hoping to get a distanced picture of all graduates as well as graduates in their decorated parking space with the help of a drone. (Weather Permitting)
5/26/21	11-12 TBD	Senior Celebration	(TBD) Parking lot, auditorium, shipyard, Gym	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will receive personalized yard signs from the senior class that they can proudly display at their homes. Students will receive their senior T-shirts also provided by the senior class.
5/26/21	12:00 – 1:00	Lunch Takeout	Cafeteria/ Shipyard	Seniors will be offered a bagged lunch and allowed to sit 6ft apart and socialize if they would like. Asking students to bring beach towel for social distancing lunch outside.
5/26	PM TBD	Senior Awards	TBD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Each senior will be allowed two guests so that we can accommodate the CDC guidelines of 50% capacity at events AND 6 feet of separation between families. Each student will be announced and will be recognized for their post-graduation plans, superlatives, awards, and scholarships. Each student will get their picture taken with their awards. JMB Senior Awards: Survey (google.com) – Note: The deadline to submit this form is 3:00 PM on Friday May 7th, 2021 (Intent to attend)

TBD	TBD	Senior spring sports celebrations	Home athletic event	Coaches will coordinate with parents to recognize their seniors in their respective sports.
TBD	TBD	Senior fine arts celebrations	Classroom	Music teachers will present seniors with awards during the final week of classes.
6/3/21	-----	Last day for seniors	-----	No final exams: seniors last day to report to school is 6/3/21. *Students who meet the exam exemption policy will finish on 5/28. You will be notified if you meet this exemption once midterm reports are completed.
6/3/21	7:45 am – 4:00 pm	Laptop and textbook return for in-person students	Location TBD	Students will return textbooks, laptops, chargers, and hot spots after their last class.
6/4/21	1:30 – 4:00	Laptop and textbook return for virtual students	A-wing Entrance	Students will return textbooks, laptops, chargers, and hot spots
6/4/21	1:30-4:00	Graduation Ticket Pick Up	A-Wing Entrance	Once students have returned all items due to the school, they will be able to pick up their tickets for commencement.
6/11/21	12:00 noon	Commencement practice	Shorebirds Stadium	Commencement practice is mandatory. It will take place at the Arthur W. Perdue Stadium at 12:00 noon on June 11. Dress is casual – please do not bring caps and gowns to this event. Students will need to wear a mask. Details as to where to report once inside the stadium and other logistics will be shared at a later date.
6/12/21	7:00 p.m. Arrive at 6:15 p.m.	Commencement	Shorebirds Stadium	Doors will open at 6:15. Guests (4 per graduate) will sit in the 200 level of the Stadium. Seats will be blocked off in groups of four. More details to come. As we get closer a link will be provided to collect the names and email address of guest for contact tracing.

CAP AND GOWN

Students will receive Caps and Gowns as well as JMB face masks on Wednesday May, 26. A class picture will be taken immediately following distribution during this meeting. After the cap & gown photo a voluntary college & career photo will be taken, those students wishing to participate are asked to wear a t-shirt representing the college, career, or military path they have chosen after high school.

Honor Cords

Honor Cords/stoles will be distributed on May 26th. Cords will be purchased by the school this year and will be given to students at no expense.

SENIOR GRADES AND EXAMS

We will continue to follow the county Senior Exemption from Final Examinations Policy to allow students who have met the criteria to be exempt from the last three days of school which would mean their last day could be May 28th. In order to meet the criteria, students have to have As and Bs throughout the school year which includes the 4th term progress report grade. Once progress reports for 4th term come out students will be notified if they meet this exemption. The Policy states, "All Seniors shall be exempt from Final examinations who have obtained a "B" average or better in the first semester with no "C's" and not less than a "B" in the third and fourth marking periods and have no suspensions which have been reported to the Department of Pupil Services during the current school year."