



The *Class of*
2017

COMMENCEMENT

Cleveland Heights
High School

State Theatre

at Playhouse Square Center

May 26, 2017

6:30 p.m.

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The *Class of*
2017

Class Motto

"What lies behind us and what lies before us
are tiny matters compared to
what lies within us."

Ralph Waldo Emerson

~ **Commencement Protocol** ~ Commencement is a ceremony of dignity and sophistication. In keeping with the atmosphere of the occasion, members of the audience are requested to restrict their participation to polite but sincere applause. Distractions such as name calling, whistling and yelling detract from the formal nature of the program. Kindly refrain from any behavior which may embarrass the graduates or interfere with the rights of others to hear and enjoy the entire program. Full cooperation by the audience is greatly appreciated and our gratitude is extended in advance. **About the program:** Every effort is made to make the printed program accurate with respect to awards and graduates. Printing schedules, however, occasionally make this impossible. **The student's academic transcript is the official record.**

~ Academic Regalia ~

The academic costume which makes the commencement procession so colorful is as old as the universities, which is to say more than 800 years old. It goes back to the days when students were "clerks," that is, members of the minor clergy and wore monkish gowns and hoods. In those days of unheated classrooms and garret sleeping quarters, the gowns served a very practical purpose. The hood ends in a "tippet" which is a sort of hollow tail. When the hood was not pulled over the head, the tippet served as a convenient pocket. The hood is only an adornment today.

The mortarboard came into use after the hoods had ceased to be worn on the head. It seems to have evolved from the square biretta of Renaissance churchmen. The tassel on the mortarboard may be either black or the "color of the faculty" (see below), or, for the holder of a doctor's degree, it may be of gold thread. Many foreign universities have their own distinctive headgear instead of the mortarboard.

Both the gown and the hood indicate the degree held by the wearer, or the one he/she is about to receive. The gown for the bachelor's degree has pointed sleeves ending in another tippet, which dangles below the arm. The doctor's gown has bell-shaped sleeves. Bachelor's and master's gowns have no trimming, but the doctor's gown is faced down the front with velvet and has three velvet crossbars on each sleeve. This velvet may be either black or the color of the faculty. Graduates of some institutions, both American and foreign, may wear gowns of the color of the university which awarded their degrees, for instance, crimson for Harvard, blue for Yale, etc.

In the United States, the hood is edged with velvet in the color of the faculty and lined with colors of the university conferring the degree. The color of the faculty referred to above indicates the field in which the degree was taken. Cleveland Heights High School faculty and administration have worn the cap and gown of their college at commencement since 1972.

Dark Blue - Philosophy White - Art, Letters, the Humanities

Golden Yellow - Science Light Blue - Education

Purple - Law Pink - Music

Green - Medicine Sapphire Blue - Business

Brown - Fine Arts and Architecture

Administration

Zoraba Ross

Administrative Principal

Jane A. Simeri

12th Grade Assistant Principal

Andrett Calloway

11th Grade Assistant Principal

Dr. Alisa Lawson-McKinnie

10th Grade Assistant Principal

Joseph Nicklos

9th Grade Assistant Principal

Dr. Brian Williams

Coordinator of Options Center

Dwight Hollins

Athletic Supervisor

D. Bradley Callender

Director of Career and Technical Education

School Counselors

Michael Dixon, *12th Grade School Counselor*

Mary Anderson, *11th Grade School Counselor*

Tandra Menefee, *10th Grade School Counselor*

Haethem Rasul, *9th Grade School Counselor*

Dr. Kristie Cooper, *Options School Counselor*

Senior Class Advisors

Allison Craig – *Advisor*

Claudene McCoy – *Advisor*

Senior Class Officers

Taylor Bush – *President*

No'El Hale – *Vice President*

Garrett White II – *Secretary*

Destiny Mulugata – *Treasurer*

Senior Student Council Officers

Tyler Lawson – *President*

Tylar McDowell – *Vice President*

Taylor Peterkin – *Treasurer*

District Administration

Dr. Talisa L. Dixon – *Superintendent of Schools*

Mrs. Felisha Gould – *Assistant Superintendent*

A. Scott Gainer – *Treasurer*

Board of Education

Ronald Register, *President*

Kal Zucker, *Vice President*

James Posch • Eric J. Silverman • Beverly Wright

Alma Mater

In honor of dear Heights,
We gather here to sing;

To show our love and loyalty,
We let our voices ring.

All hail our alma mater,
All hail the black and gold.

And may those colors symbolize
The spirit we uphold -

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The spirit we uphold.

The gold in dear Heights colors
Comes from the eastern sky;

It shows a shining future for
Our own beloved Heights High.

Then rally 'round the standard
Which bears our colors bright.

May it inspire in every heart
The love for truth and right -

May it inspire in every heart
The love for truth and right.

Processional

“Pomp and Circumstance” – Edward Elgar
Anne Wilson, *Organist*

(Audience please remain standing)

National Anthem

Heights High Men's Barbershoppers

(Audience may be seated)

Choral Introit

"Letting Go" arr. Ed Lojeski
Jesse Lange, *Director*
Callan Swaim-Fox, *Soloist*
Daniel Fields, *Violin*

Welcome and Introduction

Taylor Bush, *Class of 2017 President*

Speakers

Taylor Bush, *Class President*
De'Shawn Gibson, *Student Speaker*
Tyler Lawson, *Student Council President*
Passing of the Key to Taniya Wilcox, *Student Council Historian*

Award for student with the highest GPA
Presented by Mr. Zoraba Ross

Recognition of Cleveland Heights High School Legends

Eric Adeyemon

Superintendent's Address

Dr. Talisa L. Dixon

Presentation of the Class of 2017

Mr. Zoraba Ross

Acceptance of the Class

Dr. Talisa L. Dixon

Presentation of Diplomas

Ronald Register, Kal Zucker, James Posch

Eric J. Silverman and Beverly Wright

Board of Education

Names of graduates will be read by

Michael Dixon, *Senior Guidance Counselor*

Cleveland Heights High School Alma Mater

Traditional

Please join us in singing the Alma Mater.

Verses can be sung from previous page.

Turning of the Tassels

No'El Hale, *Class Vice President*

Recessional

Trumpet Tune in D – Henry Purcell

Anne Wilson, *Organist*

We request that the audience remain seated during the recessional to permit the graduates to exit the auditorium. Family members should greet and congratulate graduates outside the building.

Thank you!

Cleveland Heights High School LEGENDS 2017

Parent/Grandparent

Mazie (Brandt) Adams
Justin Alcorn
Kenchasawa (Melton) Briggs
Tiera Briggs
Gail (Yaspan) Buffington
James Buffington
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James Buffington
Ebony Bunn
Molly (Blatz) Burt
Kent Carey
Michael Collins
Sunniva (Refsnes) Collins
Tawana Dolman
Adam Fleischer
Lakea Gaiter
Felicia (Wanton) Greene
Trakisha Isom
La Shawn (Warner) Jackson
Judith (Friedman) Jaffery
Bruce Johnson Sr.
Edith Kysin
Katherine (Harrison) Lammert
Jennifer (Shriver) Lang
Angelique (Perry) Lynch
Roshawn Lynch
David Madlock Jr.
Jacques Madlock Sr.
Jaimil Maxwell
Sabrina McPherson
Harold Mendes
Joseph Mendes
Cheryl (Wright) Merritt
Willie Merritt
Tusiime Ndyajunwoha
Kirsten (Severiens) Radivoyevitch
Tomas Radivoyevitch
Mia (Custer) Roye
Jacques O. Smith Sr.
Justine (Ruddick) Smith
Daiedra (Whitted) White
Garrett White Sr.
Juanita Williams

Student

Charles Adams
Gavin Alcorn
Terrieyes Melton
Amber Briggs
Alexander Buffington
Alexander Buffington
Edwin Buffington
Edwin Buffington
Amahd Manigault
Tladi Motsamai
Cameron Carey
William Collins
William Collins
Lexxie Dolman
David Fleischer
Demetrius Gaiter
Berdale Strong Jr.
Allyica Carter
La Shawn Bell
Isabella Jaffery
Brittany Johnson
Jenna Pishnery
Jessa Lammert
Stephen Lang
Robyn Lynch
Robyn Lynch
David Madlock
Jacques Madlock Jr.
Terrell Maxwell
Brooklyn McPherson
Mariah Mendes
Mariah Mendes
Jordan Merritt
Jordan Merritt
Quinton Ndyajunwoha
Cody Radivoyevitch
Cody Radivoyevitch
Kenneth Roye Jr.
Jacques Smith Jr.
Jacques Smith Jr.
Garrett White II
Garrett White II
Rareka Hayden

The *Class of* 2017

Iysha Sabreen Abdullah
Jasmine Michelle Adams
Charles Hilker Adams
Eric O'Tis Akin Adeyemon
William Lancelot Aiken
Gavin Robert Alcorn
Haywood David Algee Jr.
Hamzeh Alhawwash
Cayla Jasmine Allen-Pearson
Cortasia Latrice Anderson
Cameron Bradley Andrews
Rakaiah Eutris Armstrong-Fields
Karysa Kourtney-Virginia Ashford
Lucille Christian Ashford
Taylor Jendaya Austin
Destany Lea Avery
Meryem Azzam
Dashon Lavell Baker
Justin Ballard
Alyse Na'Torrie Barner
Da'Jasha Ja'Nae Barnwell
Akash W. Bartlett
Isaac Bass
Kenneth Franklin Bebee
Andrew Charles Bell
La Shawn Talia Bell
Erron Anferney Bennett
Emily Jane Benson
Shannon Walker Berr
Tati'Yuanna Donjah Black
Tulani Adee' Black
Dwan Blanch Jr.
Camry Jashawna Bonner
Marrio Donnell Boose Jr.
Khrystinna Vice Boyd
Tyler Todd Bray
Amber Renee' Briggs
Dayvione Marie-Louise Briggs
Alexxus Audrey Briscoe
La'Eyrn Taria Dor'Ne Briscoe
Lily Marie Brooks-Glenn
Ariyana Chantel Brown
Hawwah Vernite Brown
Jayson Christopher Brown
Jurron Romel Brown
Marcus Daviyon Brown
Ta'shawn Shaquill Brown
Travis Eushun Brown
Tyron Lavelle Bryant
Alexander Buffington
Edwin Zachary Buffington
Kasia Rachelle Bufford
Daylan Grant Burgess
Taylor Lauren Nicole Bush
Jay Edward Callaway
Cameron Edward Carey
Allyica Mone' Carter
Brittany Mone'T Carter
Kiarah Nicole Carter
Any Isabella Chew

Jayshawn James Clark
Tommie Shodale Clark
Ariaona Monique Clarke
Dametria Elexus Cloud
Shane Patrick Coar
Krista Morine Cobb
Paris Johnae Colbert
Jashari Rashaud Cole-Pattilo
Na Shawn Ra Mone Collins
Soli Joan Collins
William Arthur Collins
Armand Raymel Conner
Cydnee Amanda Conwell
Nina Imani Aleese Cooper
Linnea Louise Covault
Charlotte Casandra Crosse
Darian Alexander Cruz
Lilliana Raine Cruz
Yadav Dabadi
Christopher Lashawn Dabney
Xavier Lee Daniels
De'Amontay Travon David
Adrian Lillie Davis
George Lee Davis
Jordan Renade Davis
Shakorie Aljawonie Davis II
Rahmon Anthony Davis-Smith
Tynaija Nakiya Debardelaben
Dana Lynn Dempsey Jr.
Tyler John Dent
Juliette Dery
Aminatou Diop
Lexxie Chanelle Dolman
Chamir Avien Dorsey
Arron Lee Dukes
Avery Elizabeth Dyer
Mahdi Kareem Edwards
Nicholas Brandon Edwards
Dalinna Alixandria Ferretti-Becker
Bradley Justin Fields
Daniel Benjamin Fields
Justin Tyler-Nasir Fitzgerald
David Alexander Fleischer
Molly Rachel Fleischer
Khaleh Flowers
Shontasia Nashay Ford
Trey Vel Ford
Angel Shaunel Foster
Sade' Ne'Yonne Foster
Samuel M. Frank
Darrell Dajaun Gaddis Jr.
Demetrius Evan Gaiter
Yoel Hakim Gardner
Mark Anthony Garrett
Michael James Garrett Jr.
Logan James Garrison
Dai'Jon Masio Gatson
Nicholas Emmanuel Giancola
De'Shawn Xavier Gibson
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Paul D. Gist
Faith Goodluck
Teghan Renee Goodman
Se'Bron Isaiah Goodwyn
Carmon Kesian Gore
Karria Denai Gray



The *Class of* 2017

Aryanna Shanae Green
Jahnae Lia-Jenise Green
Kayvon Marie Grissom
Rabin Gurung
Maeve Margaret Hackman
No'El Arion Hale
Brian Jason Hall Jr.
Brittany Kendra Hall
Carlisle McKenzie Hall
Diamond Delise Hall
Na'Taeshia Monique Hall
Michael Andrew Hallisy
Dominique Ariel Hamilton
Da'Vone Terrell Hardge
Adrian Maurice Hardges
Dontay Lamont Hardnett Jr.
Tazon Chuckel Harrell
Alexis Lynette Harris
Diara Nicole Harris
Diamond Lashell Harris
Jaylen Christopher Harris
Kayla Renee-Ann Harris
Larry Joseph Harris
Meikalah Marie Dean Harris
Reginald Harris
Laura Louella Harris-Odenbrett
Peter James Hart
Tamille Lanaye Harton
James Nicholas Hayden
Rareka Marie Hayden

Danielle Lee Heffner
Carl Everton Henderson IV
Keith Hendricks
Cory Nathaneal Hicks
Ebony Marie Hogans
Jamarique Ta'Hsheen Holcomb
Quincy Arshawn Horton
K'Vaughn Naseer Juwan Huff
Devontez Hosea Hutson
Jashawn Jamel Ingram
Dawson Raymond Jackson
Douglas Jackson II
Jala Saree Jackson
Marshaey Charvonne Jackson
Isabella Fortuna S. Jaffery
Malachi Elijah Jenkins
Zira Lanaee Jenkins
Antonio My'Kal Scott Johnson
Jemier DeJ'ean Johnson
Antwone LeAnthony Jones
Jamesha' Arganea Jones
Lerricka Raylon Jones
Nih'Jiel Zackery Jones
Tyler Brice Jones
Jeremy Richard Kauffman
Isaiah Kempson
Andrew Thomas Kilbride
Julia Melissa Kinds
Saphire Monay Kingston
Tyree Emari Knight

Tyrese Emir Knight
Royale Anne Kodio
Tracy Kongai
Vidir David Krogsgaard
Dylan Anthony Kuntz
Jessa Eva Lammert
Michael Mackenzie Landon
Stephen Edward Lang
Stefani Lachae Larkins
Makayla Kiara-Rose LaShore
Daniel Dale Lawson
Tyler Renae Lawson
Robert Sanford Lee
Desman Lee Leonard
Marcellus Von Lett
Sophie Bela Levan
Andre Deon Levison
Chelsea Delores Lewis
Kiante' Isahia Tamar Lewis
Princess Kaylah Lewis
Aaron Joseph-Lewis Ligon
Jerome Anthony Love
Kashaunta Dayshae Lowe
Haile Tova' Lunda
Robyn Lynette Lynch
Jillian Rachele Lyons
Nahasia Gher'Rise Mack
David Armand Maxwell Madlock
Jacques Devante Madlock Jr.
James Louis Major
Amahd Juwan Manigault
Rayeil Lee Manning
Paris Douglas M. Mason
Asiah Mona Massey
Laurel Ann Matia
Bruce Bernard Matthews Jr.

Bryan Bernard Matthews
Terrell De'Marcus Maxwell
Charnae Labrea McClendon
Paris De'juane McCloud
Tylar Alexander McDowell
David Eric McKenzie II
Brooklyn Lenet McPherson
Taelor Monet Meadows
Myles Myron Mells
Brandon Stephen Melnick
Terrieyes Luther Melton
Mariah Rose Larsen Mendes
Jordan Merritt
Devon James Miller
Tanaja Lea Miller
Devounte Jamir Miller-Casmon
Jada Khleo Miller-Johnson
Sha'mia Nicole Mitchell
Anissa Marie Monroe
Alyssa Marie-Ann Moore
Tyrae A'Layzha Moore
Faith Alexandria Morris
Tladi Timothy Motsamai
Destiny La'Shay Mulugata
Jason Alan Napper
Jordan Ali Nash
Quinton Twinomujuni Ndyajunwoha
Sheree Mariah Nobles
Ian Joel Nocente
Olakemi N. T. Obebe



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Brandon Onwudinjo
Abigail Adu Osei
Roberto Christian Osorio
Mahogany Lea' Otey
Thurai'yaa Jameelah Owens
Antonique Nichelle Paige
Tylir Daesean Parker
Amber Michelle Parks
Da'Quaon Edverett Pass
Daniel Gregory Passov
Trevante' Maleek D. Patterson
Cecilia Strickler Payne
Delonte Jason Payton
Fergus Joseph Pearson
Jayson Kameron Perry Jr.
Taylor Renee Peterkin
Dorothy Jane Pharis
Berlyn Brian Phillips
Joshua Emmell Pickett
Tomasia Mone Pierce
Jonah Klein Pike
Jenna Leanne Pishnery
Keyon Jimmy Powell
Shreejana Pradhan
Cody Powell Radivoyevitch
Zharia Brigitte Rahn
Francesia Topazie Ransby
Glen Charles Redmond Jr.
Jerome Curtis Reeves III
Hope Rochelle Respress

Ameenah Cheyenne Robinson
Darius Mandel Robinson
Delia Margaret Robinson
Yulmere Somemo Robinson Jr.
De'Janae Malere Rodgers
Halling Daniel Roosa
Kenneth Malcolm Roye Jr.
Oshin Samal
Aireanna Jordan Sanders
Morgan Alyssa Saunders
Evan Turner Schoop
Benjamin Heisey Schuster
Emma Sullivan Schuster
Otis Da'Vonte' Scott
Rikki Andre'Onea Seals
Cameron Ervin Searight
Ashanti Monet Sears
Savannah Seremak
Ivan John Sexton
Amaru Shabazz
Emily CATERA Sheaffer
Jair-Rid Tyler Shears
Shaniya Myesha Shepherd
Ricardo Verdell Shirley Jr.
Zachary Bernard Shore
Deshaun Jerome Short
Deabolique Tashae Simmons
Ja'Ton Taj Simmons
Devonte Lee Simon
De'Ja Monique Sims

Teryl James Sloan
Christopher Jordan Smith
Daisjonai Imari Smith
Darshan Ryugin Smith
Jacques O'Neill Smith Jr.
James Austin Smith
Sac'Kayla Pauline Smith
Tiamaat Khephera Smith
Tori Sherrise Smith
Kyle Hendrix Soca
Tre'Von Emmanuel Solsberry
Alexus Christian Spencer
Jacob Matthew Stainbrook
David Parrish Starks
Beverly Lavern Stover
Berdale Carl Strong Jr.
Nur Nadiatul Sofia Suhaidi
Callan Elizabeth Swaim-Fox
Trent Porter Swain
Ariyon Shaunte Taylor
Jazmyn Sylvanna Thomas
Kalei Kirsten Thomas
Karmyn Mechelle Thomas
Lashawn Johnny Thomas II
Alexis Grace Thompson
Daron Christopher Tucker
Darion De'Shawn Turner
Odinakachi Destini Ubani
William Antonie van den Bogert
Bayllie Marcalla Vaughn
Tiarrisa Ayisha Vauss
Martin Vaynshtok
Anthony Josiah Verde
Robbie Charles Vickers
Evan Gerritt Vliet
Kareem Keyshawn Wagner

Jordan Lynne Ward
Jaime Marie Watson
Jayana Alexis Watson
Quinton Earl Watts
Nikki Noel Weems
Gilda May Weinstock
Noah Reed Weisblat
Aaron Weiser
Devon Javon Welch
Na'Keeya Mo'Nay Wells
Chamenay C. Wesley
Byron Jerome Whitby
Garrett Duane White II
Taijæe Marque Whitsette
Tyria Bernice Wickliff
Daiwan Lavelle Wiggins
Janaya Amie Wilcox
Cameren Richard Williams
D'Asia Lashae Williams
Jelani Williams
Jermaine Labron Williams Jr.
Sydney Kanally Williams
Kristyle Sharae Wilson
Tristan Danielle Wilson
Zaria Mayte Wilson
Joshua Ivan Wintner
De Vonte Percy Womack
Hannah Elizabeth Woodside
Ke'Shaun Mae Wright
Christina Marie Wynne
Nina Yao



Top 25 STUDENTS

Charles Hilker Adams
Gavin Robert Alcorn
Akash W. Bartlett
Linnea Louise Covault
Avery Elizabeth Dyer
David Alexander Fleischer
Molly Rachel Fleischer
Samuel Marc Frank
Diara Nicole Harris
Peter James Hart
Jeremy Richard Kauffman
Andrew Thomas Kilbride
Tyler Renae Lawson
Sophie Bela Levan
Laurel Ann Matia
Faith Alexandria Morris
Tladi Timothy Motsamai
Dorothy Jane Pharis
Cody Powell Radivoyevitch
Benjamin Heisey Schuster
James Austin Smith
Callan Elizabeth Swaim-Fox
Alexis Grace Thompson
William Antonie van den Bogert
Nina Yao

National Honor SOCIETY

Meryem Azzam
Charles Hilker Adams
Eric O'Tis Akin Adeyemon
Gavin Robert Alcorn
Lucille Christian Ashford
Akash W. Bartlett
Andrew Charles Bell
Shannon Walker Berr
Jayson Christopher Brown
Anya Isabella Chew
Krista Morine Cobb
Paris Johnae Colbert
Soli Joan Collins
Linnea Louise Covault
Lilliana Raine Cruz
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Taylor Renee Peterkin
Dorothy Jane Pharis
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Morgan Alyssa Saunders
Benjamin Heisey Schuster
Emma Sullivan Schuster
James Austin Smith
Callan Elizabeth Swaim-Fox
Alexis Grace Thompson
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Na'Keeya Mo'Nay Wells
Nina Yao

National Technical Honor SOCIETY

Charles Hilker Adams
Marrio Donnell Boose Jr.
Taylor Lauren Nicole Bush
Jay Edward Callaway
Tyler John Dent
Diara Nicole Harris
Meikalah Marie Dean Harris
Laura Louella Harris-Odenbrett
Carl Everton Henderson IV
Dylan Anthony Kuntz
Jacques Devante Madlock Jr.
Savannah Seremak
Zachary Bernard Shore
Daisjonai Imari Smith
Joshua Ivan Wintner

Diplomas with HONORS

Charles Hilker Adams
Eric O'Tis Akin Adeyemon
Gavin Robert Alcorn
Hamzeh Alhawwash
Akash W. Bartlett
Andrew Charles Bell
Emily Jane Benson
Ariyana Chantel Brown
Jayson Christopher Brown
Anya Isabella Chew
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Taylor Renee Peterkin
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Nur Nadiatul Sofia Suhaidi
Callan Elizabeth Swaim-Fox
Trent Porter Swain
Alexis Grace Thompson
William Antonie van den Bogert
Gilda May Weinstock
Noah Reed Weisblat
Na'Keeya Mo'Nay Wells
Joshua Ivan Wintner
Hannah Elizabeth Woodside
Nina Yao

Tri-M Honor SOCIETY

Andrew Charles Bell
Isabella Fortuna S. Jaffery
Cecilia Strickler Payne
Cody Powell Radivoyevitch
Callan Elizabeth Swaim-Fox
William Antonie van den Bogert
Christina Marie Wynne

The *Class of* 2017

President's Award for Educational Excellence

The President's Education Awards Program, established by the U.S. Department of Education, recognizes and honors outstanding educational achievement. Students must have a 3.5 grade point average or better on a 4.0 scale. Also, students must score in the 85th percentile or higher in math and reading on standardized achievement tests.



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Alexis Grace Thompson
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Nina Yao

Congratulations to the Class of 2017!

The Heights Schools Foundation wishes to welcome you as our newest members. You follow many who have benefited greatly from the high academic standards and the rich tradition that is Heights High School. We hope that you will join us in the task of continuing the tradition for those who will follow you.

Please keep us informed of your address as you begin your new life outside of Heights High, so that you can receive The Heights Magazine and stay informed about future class reunions.

With Tiger Pride!
The Heights
Schools Foundation



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LATE SEATING

In deference to the comfort and listening pleasure of the audience in the hall, late arriving patrons are asked to wait quietly until the first convenient break in the program, when ushers will help you to your seats. These seating breaks are at the discretion of the House Manager in consultation with the producer.

CELL PHONES AND LISTENING DEVICES

All electronic and mechanical devices, including cell phones and wristwatch alarms, must be turned off while in the concert hall.

HEARING AIDS AND OTHER HEALTH ASSISTIVE DEVICES

For the comfort of those around you, please reduce the volume on hearing aides and other devices that may produce a noise that would detract from the program. Infrared Assistive Listening Devices are also available. Please see the House Manager or Head Usher for more details.

PHOTOGRAPHY, VIDEOGRAPHY, AND RECORDING

The Commencement program of 2017 is being videotaped to run on the www.chuh.org website starting July 2017. Copies will also be available at the end of the month for checkout at the Cleveland Heights Main Library. For the safety of guests and performers, all other photography and videography are strictly prohibited.

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY

Contact an usher or a member of house staff if you require medical assistance. Emergency exits are clearly marked throughout the building. Ushers and house staff will provide instructions in the event of an emergency.

Faculty List

Abiola Adeyemon, *Spanish Teacher*
Jennifer Agin, *Science Teacher*
Benjamin Ammon, *Music-Instrumental/Band*
Mary Anderson, *Guidance Counselor-Career ED*
Seth Anderson, *Social Studies Teacher*
Brett Baker, *Music-Instrumental/Band*
Karen Battle, *Intervention Specialist*
Mark Bennekamper, *Career Tech ED-Audio Engineer*
Jennifer Bennett, *AVID Teacher*
Ellen Bergman, *Intervention Specialist*
Anthony Bifulco, *Social Studies Teacher*
Amanda Blazetic, *Intervention Specialist*
Jacqueline Blockson, *Guidance Technician*
Amy Bloomberg, *Media Specialist*
Miriam Bohles, *Career Tech ED-Job Coordinator*
Cynthia Booker, *Media/TV Productions Teacher*
John Boris, *Intervention Specialist*
Kennethian Brown, *English Teacher*
Cassandra Budin, *Math Teacher*
Joyce Bukovac, *Math Teacher*
Desiree Caliguire-Maier, *Social Studies Teacher*
Andrett Calloway, *Asst. High School Principal*
Arthur Catalano, *Social Studies Teacher*
Leatrice Clark, *Science Teacher*
Lorna Coffey, *Science Teacher*
Lizbeth Coffey, *Math Teacher*
Falanda Collins, *English Teacher*
Vicki Costanza, *Math Teacher*
Allison Craig, *School Social Worker*
Kristin Dadas, *School Social Worker*
Dr. Shirley Davis, *Career Tech ED-Business*
Karen Dilillo, *Physical Education/Health Teacher*
Sandra Dixon, *Career Tech ED-Family/Consumer*
Michael Dixon, *Guidance Counselor*
Nancy Eisenberg, *Art Teacher*
Sean Evans, *Social Studies Teacher*
Jessica Fairchild, *Math Teacher*
Olivia Fatica, *Spanish Teacher*
Dr. Donna Feldman, *English Teacher*
Patrick Fisher, *Social Studies Teacher*
Maria Francis, *Intervention Specialist*
Nicole Gardner, *Intervention Specialist*
Patrick Gleba, *American Sign Language Teacher*
Judith Goral, *English Teacher*
Casey Graham, *Career Tech ED-Exercise Science*
Samantha Greene, *Intervention Specialist*
Melha Hadjabed-Woods, *French Teacher*
Jessica Hageman, *Math Teacher*
Karen Hansen, *Intervention Specialist*
Lori Harris, *American Sign Language*
Daniel Heim, *Music-Instrumental/Orchestra*
Joy Henderson, *Liaison for Parents and Community*
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