

Preparing for Commencement 2023

Tuesday, April 4

11:10 am: Briefing

Pioneer Chapel

REQUIRED—Seniors Must Attend

All graduating seniors are required to attend a briefing about Commencement and senior check-out.

Wednesday, April 5 through Tuesday, May 9

Check-Out

Each senior must complete his online check-out no later than Tuesday, May 9, 2023.

<https://www.wabash.edu/seniorcard>

Students need to be aware of the policy regarding fulfillment of Senior Requirements.

Candidates for the degree who fail to complete all of these requirements in a timely fashion will not be allowed to participate in Commencement, nor will their transcripts be released.

Buffet Ticket Purchase and Questions

*Use the enclosed order form and return it
by mail or purchase tickets online
(www.wabash.edu/commencement)
no later than May 5, 2023.*

*Contact Juli Smith with any questions
smithj@wabash.edu*

Area Hotel Information

Crawfordsville Holiday Inn Express

I-74 and US 231 North

(765) 323-4575

www.hiexpress.com

Hampton Inn & Suites

I-74 and US 231 North

(765) 362-8884

www.crawfordsvillesuites.hamptoninn.com

Comfort Inn

I-74 and US 231 North

(765) 361-0665

www.comfortinn.com

Best Western Plus

I-74 and US 231 North

(765) 307-3999

www.bestwestern.com

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Class of 2023 Commencement Weekend

May 12-13, 2023

***Information for
graduating seniors and
their families***

Wabash College Commencement 2023 Schedule of Events

Thursday, May 11

9 am - 5 pm: Senior Art Exhibition

Eric Dean Gallery, Fine Arts Center

Senior art majors will display their work.

Friday, May 12

8:30 am: Deans' Senior Breakfast

Knowling Fieldhouse, Allen Athletics Center

REQUIRED—Seniors Must Attend

Graduating seniors and faculty are invited to breakfast with Deans Todd McDorman and Greg Redding '88. The starting time will be strictly observed. Dress for the breakfast is collared shirt and slacks.

9:30 am: Commencement Rehearsal

Pioneer Chapel

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Seniors will move directly from the Deans' Breakfast to the rehearsal. The starting time will be strictly observed.

Friday events for families of seniors, alumni, and other visitors:

9 am - 5 pm: Senior Art Exhibition

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Friday, May 12 (continued)

8:30 am - 4 pm: Bookstore Open

Lower Level of the Frank Hugh Sparks Center

3 pm: Phi Beta Kappa Initiation

Lovell Lecture Room, Baxter Hall

Saturday, May 13

Seniors and Faculty must arrive at 10:30 am for Baccalaureate and 2:00 pm for Commencement. It takes 30 minutes to line up seniors by name. Be on time and quickly find your place.

Seniors march in alphabetical order—led by the two Commencement speakers followed by the men who are receiving academic honors (also in alphabetical order). At the head of the procession is Faculty Marshal James Cherry, who will direct the seating.

10:30 am: Formation of the Academic Procession for Baccalaureate

Sidewalk East of Center Hall

In the event of rain, the procession will form in Baxter Hall.

11 am: Baccalaureate Chapel

Pioneer Chapel

The Baccalaureate sermon will be given by Rev. Gregory T. Manning '96, Broadmoor Community Church, New Orleans, LA.

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Saturday, May 13 (continued)

12 pm: Commencement Buffet

Knowling Fieldhouse, Allen Athletics Center

A buffet lunch will be served at a cost of \$25 per person for graduating seniors and their families. Ticket information on back panel.

12 pm - 2:30 pm: Bookstore Open

Lower Level of the Frank Hugh Sparks Center

1:30 pm: Legacy Photographs

Sidewalk East of Center Hall

Senior legacies are invited to have their picture taken with family members at no charge.

1:30 pm: ROTC Commissioning

Wabash College Mall Flag Pole

Graduates who participated in ROTC will receive their commission in the United States Army.

2 pm: Formation of the Academic Procession for Commencement

Hall of Giants in Little Giant Stadium

In the event of rain, the procession will form in the lobby of the Allen Athletics Center.

2:30 pm: 185th Commencement

Little Giant Stadium

In the event of rain, the ceremony will be held in Chadwick Court. Complimentary photographs will be taken of your son as he receives his diploma and will be mailed to parents after Commencement.