

# A Senior Survival Guide @ Varela



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## UNIFORM POLICY

**SHIRTS-** Collared shirts (polos) or Collared Oxford Shirts in the SOILD colors of hunter green, white, gray and black ONLY.

\*\*Varela T-shirts —only those sold by the school

**PANTS-** Jeans— blue and black only (No rips or holes in the jeans) and Khaki pants. No leggings.

**SHORTS-** Must cover the knees — khaki, black, or blue denim (No athletic shorts allowed and must have hems, no cut-offs)

**UNDERSHIRTS-** Layering will be permitted under a uniform shirt in school colors of hunter green, black, gray and/or white.

**SHOES-** Must have back strap.

**WINTER WEAR-** Solid colored sweaters and jackets-- must be in the school uniform colors of green, white, gray, or black.

**OTHER-** No hats, caps, sweat bands or bandanas. No pocket chains. or studded Jewelry permitted.

## SENIOR ACTIVITIES

**SENIOR LUNCHEON** – Feb 20<sup>th</sup>, Tickets on sale starting late January approximately \$50. Seniors must dress appropriately and will be taken to the venue by bus.

**GRAD BASH** – Eligible seniors can pick up cards during lunch on Dec 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, or 11<sup>th</sup>. The informational meeting for cleared seniors with cards will be on Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>. (For eligibility information, come by Activities office). Grad Bash is on April 24<sup>th</sup>. Students will leave school around 10am and will return around 7am on Saturday. Cost approximately \$185 CASH ONLY. Forms and packets need to be turned in at time of purchase

**PROM** – May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020 in Jungle Island from 7:30pm until Midnight. Tickets are approximately \$100 each.

Behavior is extremely important in order to be allowed for ANY senior activities.

## SENIOR OBLIGATIONS

**SENIOR DEBTS** – Seniors must pay all debts BEFORE Dec 12<sup>th</sup> online or during lunch at Treasurers window (Mon – Thru ONLY).

**COMMUNITY SERVICE** – Last day to turn in packet is Dec 12<sup>th</sup>; seniors can turn in hours anytime to Mrs. Sanabria. Packet must be turned in before due date to be eligible for Spring senior event and Graduation.

## TARDY/ATTENDANCE POLICY

After **10 ABSENCES (EXCUSED OR UNEXCUSED)** - Cannot participate in activities or athletics, may not receive academic grade, may lose driver's license.

**TARDIES** – All tardies are unexcused unless you have a doctor's note, after **3 TARDIES** you will receive a detention/CSI.

**EARLY RELEASE** – Try to schedule appointments after school hours; students can only be released to people listed in the Student Data Card. Students will not be released after 1:50pm.

## GRADUATION

**CAP & GOWNS** – Order through Gov and Econ class Nov 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> (Latest date to pay at Varela Dec 5<sup>th</sup>).

Payment is \$50 CASH ONLY.

Cap and Gowns will be distributed by the end of May to seniors who are cleared.

Graduation will be held sometime between May 26<sup>th</sup> and June 3<sup>rd</sup>

Graduation requirements must be met in order to receive a diploma (for more info see Mrs. Sanabria).

Extra tickets will be given later to seniors who met the requirement during magazine sales.