

Commencement Planning Guide 2017

All events are required.

Wednesday	Senior Checklist Fair
March 8	President George T. French, Jr., Student Activity Center
	12:00am-6:00pm
	A one-stop shop for completion of the Senior Checklist.
	Commencement invitation vendor will be available.
Friday March 10	Founders Day Convocation
	First Baptist Church of Fairfield
	324 59th Street Fairfield, AL 35064
	11:00am Attire: Uninterrupted Black
	Line up at 10:15am in the Gym
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	Deadline to pay for Additional Copies of Degree Fees of \$25.00 each
	Fees should be paid in the Business Office and the receipt should be taken to the Office of
	Academic Records.
	Deadline to be Measured for Cap and Gown
	Measurements are taken in the Mailroom, Brown Hall.
	Deadline to Order Greek Kente Stoles
	Greek Kente Stoles are an additional \$10.00. Payments and orders are taken in the Business Office.
	Deadline to Reserve T-Shirt Size
	Complete form at https://goo.gl/forms/1xhJuYMWE32G3raO2
Friday,	Deadline to Remove an "I" (Incomplete) Grade
April 28	I-Form must be picked up from the Office of Academic Records and taken to course instructor(s).
Monday,	Deadline for Senior Checklist
April 3	Submit completed checklist to the Office of Academic Records, Brown Hall 2 nd Floor
	Deadline for Senior Fees of \$250.00
	Submit completed checklist to the Office of Academic Records, Brown Hall 2 nd Floor
	*Deadline for Outstanding Balances (See the Business Office)
The core of our	*Payment towards senior fees must be completed by this date.
Thursday, April 20	First Commencement Rehearsal
	Brown Hall, Chapel
	4:00pm No food, drinks, gum, cell phones, pagers, or cameras will be permitted.
	All rehearsals are closed, only perspective graduates and Miles College administration are permitted to attend;
	Please do NOT bring children, family members, or friends to rehearsals.
April 26- April 30	Senior Final Exams
	See Course Instructors.

Monday,	Cautan Dana
	Senior Day
May 1	Brown Hall, Chapel
	11:00am
	Attire: Uninterrupted Black
	Please feel free to invite family and friends.
	Senior Day Reception
	President George T. French, Jr., Student Activity Center (Immediately following Senior Day)
	Senior T-Shirts & Senior Banquet Tickets will be distributed
	*This event is for seniors ONLY.
	Senior Grades Due
	Completion of ALL academic requirements, grades and EXIT Exam scores are due by this date.
	Pick Up Cap and Gown
	Mailroom, Brown Hall
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Tuesday,	Senior Picnic
May 2	Centennial Park (Front Lawn of Brown Hall)
	12:00pm
Thursday,	Senior Banquet
May 4	The Harbert Center
	2019 4th Avenue North, Birmingham, AL 35203
	7:00pm
	*Tickets Required for guest that will occupy a seat, ticket sales will begin April 18 in the Business Office.
	Guest tickets are \$35 each.
Friday,	Senior Brunch
May 5	President George T. French Student Activity Center
,	11:00am
	Attire
	Men: Black Suit, White Shirt, Black Tie, Black Socks & Black Shoes, No Jewelry.
	Ladies: All White Dress/Skirt Suits (No pants), Black Closed Toe Shoes (No sandals), Flesh Tone Hosiery and No
	Jewelry.
	All: Cap, Gown and honors cords
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	Parade of Graduates (Prospective Graduates last reflection, as an undergraduate student)
	From President George T. French Student Activity Center to First Baptist Church of Fairfield
	Immediately following the Senior Brunch. (Be mindful of your footwear. No bags or purses)
	Baccalaureate Service
	First Baptist Church of Fairfield
	324 59th Street Fairfield, AL 35064
	1:00pm (Students will line up in the Gym at 12:00pm)
	Attire Men: Black Suit, White Shirt, Black Tie, Black Socks & Black Shoes, No Jewelry.
	Ladies: All White Dress/Skirt Suits (No pants), Black Closed Toe Shoes (No sandals), Flesh Tone Hosiery and No
	Jewelry.
	All: Cap, Gown and honors cords
	FINAL Graduation Rehearsal
	The Albert B. Boutwell Auditorium
	1930 8th Avenue North, Birmingham, AL 35203
	6:00pm Promptly
	Attire: Class Shirt
	*Closed Rehearsal, only prospective graduates and Miles College Administration are permitted to attend.
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Saturday, May 6	Commencement Exercise
	The Albert B. Boutwell Auditorium
	1930 8th Avenue North, Birmingham, AL 35203
	Seniors will report at 9:00am
	Commencement begins at 11:00am
	Attire:
	Men: Black Suit, White Shirt, Black Tie, Black Socks & Black Shoes, No Jewelry.
	Ladies: All White Dress/Skirt Suits (No pants), Black Closed Toe Shoes (No sandals), Flesh Tone Hosiery and No Jewelry.
	All: Wear Cap, Gown & Honors Cords earned at Senior Banquet. (Do not wear any previous cords)
	Balloons are <u>NOT</u> allowed in the Boutwell Auditorium, please share with your family.
	Degree Pick Up Options
	Option A: Turn in Cap & Gown and pick up degree immediately after commencement. Degrees will
	be available for pick up 30 minutes after the commencement ceremony has ended.
	Option B: Turn in Cap & Gown and pick up degree the following week after commencement.
Monday, May 8 — Friday, May 12	Last Week to Pick Up Degree(s)
	Office of Academic Records, Brown Hall 2 nd Floor
	9:00am-5:00pm

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