

PUBLIC STATEMENT

As valued members of our DSST Community, we are thrilled to celebrate the amazing achievements and bright futures of the Class of 2025! As we prepare for an unforgettable Senior Signing Day (SSD) celebration, please know that ensuring everyone's safety is our top priority. In our ongoing commitment to promoting a positive experience for all participants, we have implemented several enhanced security measures to create a safe and welcoming environment for all.

Our Enhanced Security Measures Include:

- **Staff Training:** All DSST staff will be identifiable by their lanyards, with entry-point staff receiving extra training to spot and respond to any security concerns, including identifying unauthorized guests.
- **Invite-Only Event:** To help ensure only invited guests attend, the event will be marked as 'Invite Only.' All current senior class families (no limit), our community partners, DSST staff, and students are invited.
- **Law Enforcement Protocol:** As a school-based event, we have established a clear protocol that any uninvited law enforcement or Immigration & Customs Enforcement agents must present a signed judicial warrant before entry.
- **On-Site Security Presence:** With up to 10,000 attendees at SSD, dedicated security is essential to manage the safety of a large crowd. We will have three uniformed, off-duty police officers wearing lanyards on-site to ensure safety and respond swiftly and effectively to any unexpected situations.

We are dedicated to maintaining a secure and supportive atmosphere for all. Thank you for trusting us to care for your students during this important celebration of their many years of work.

We can't wait to celebrate our Class of 2025 on May 1, 2025!

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