Information for Undergraduate Degree Candidates

Saturday, June 16, 2018 - Baccalaureate Celebration

9:00 AM: Bagels, refreshments and instructions for graduates (lawn behind Memorial Church)
First 800 seniors will get a pair of custom Class of 2018 sunglasses!
Must arrive by 9:45 AM and wear your cap and gown to participate

10:00 AM: Ceremony (Main Quad)
Tickets are not required and seating is limited. Signs and umbrellas are not permitted so as not to disrupt the ceremony or obstruct the view.

Sunday, June 17, 2018 - Commencement Ceremony

8:15 AM: Arrive to check in & line up (Near Stadium Gate 1)
9:30 AM: Commencement Ceremony (Stanford Stadium)
12:30 PM: Individual Diploma Ceremonies (for locations visit: commencement.stanford.edu/schedule/diploma-ceremonies)

As a condition of entry into the stadium, candidates are REQUIRED:
1. To have applied for and been approved by University Registrar to graduate
2. Present Stanford Student photo ID, which will be scanned at line-up area
3. Wear cap and gown
   • Pass through a security check-point
4. Comply with the Public Safety Clear Bag Policy (see back), including all terms & conditions
   • Graduates with bags or items that do not satisfy the Public Safety Clear Bag Policy will be asked to use the complimentary bag check station, located at Cagan Stadium
5. Only graduating students are allowed to be in the line up, the procession and the graduate seating area
6. Entry and re-entry onto the field will be at the discretion of event management
7. All persons and items are subject to search
   • Entering the venue shall be deemed consenting to all of the Terms & Conditions and any other public safety related measures set by Stanford University at its event
8. Once checked in and through security, follow signs and proceed towards the line-up area

Some items WILL NOT be permitted on the Field
• Signs larger than 3’ x 3’ - No kidding! Measure them or they won’t get in
• Glass containers
• Water toys (slip and slides, pools, water hoses, etc.)
• Motorized vehicles
• Large heavy objects (furniture, grocery carts, toy wagons, etc.)
• Equipment or transportation structures (such as bikes, roller blades, skates, skateboards, scooters, etc.)

Any questions, please email: commencement@stanford.edu

For more information, please visit: commencement.stanford.edu
Stanford University has implemented a clear bag policy for Commencement to provide a safer environment for the public and expedite entry into Stanford Stadium. This policy limits the size and types of bags permitted. Items must be carried or fit into a permissible bag. All bags and items will be subject to search. Anyone possessing prohibited bags or items will be asked to return them to their vehicle, take them to the complimentary bag check station or dispose of them in the garbage cans at the gate. Clear bags will also be available at the Stadium.

**PROHIBITED BAGS & ITEMS**

- **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND ILLEGAL DRUGS**
- **ANIMALS** (except service animals)
- **BALLS, FRISBEES, WHOLE FRUIT OR ANY OTHER POTENTIAL PROJECTILES**
- **BICYCLES, SKATEBOARDS OR SCOOTERS**
- **CANS, GLASS, HYDRATION PACKS, THERMOS OR METAL BOTTLES, OPEN CONTAINERS**
- **FIREWORKS, LIGHTERS, INCENDIARY DEVICES**
- **GUNS, KNIVES OR WEAPONS OF ANY TYPE** (or anything that could be mistaken for a weapon)
- **HORNS, NOISEMAKERS OR OTHER AMPLIFIED SOUND EQUIPMENT**
- **LASER POINTERS**
- **POLES, STICKS, BANNERS OR FLAGS**
- **REMOTE CONTROLLED DEVICES OF ANY KIND** (drones, cars, model planes/helicopters)
- **STROLLERS OR PORTABLE CHAIRS** (unless ADA compliant) – a stroller check area is provided outside of Gate 3 at the Stadium
- **TOBACCO/SMOKING PRODUCTS**

**PERMITTED ITEMS**

- **CAMERAS** - no case
- **SMALL VIDEO CAMERA** - no case
- **BINOCULARS** - no case
- **PHONE, KEYS AND WALLET**
- **TABLETS AND LAPTOPS** - no case
- **HAND-HELD RADIOS**
- **INFANT FEEDING SUPPLIES**
- **SEALED PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES** (20 oz. or under)
- **EMPTY REUSABLE PLASTIC WATER BOTTLES** (20 oz. or under)
- **SEAT CUSHIONS AND CHAIR BACKS** (no pockets or zippers)
- **SMALL HAND-HELD SIGNS OR POSTERS** (no larger than 3’x3’)
- **DIAPER BAG** (only allowed for a child 2 years and under)

**APPROVED BAGS & ITEMS**

- **ONE CLEAR TOTE BAG**
  Plastic, vinyl or PVC
  No larger than 12”w x 6”d x 12”h
- **ONE PLASTIC STORAGE BAG**
  One-gallon, clear
- **AND**
  **ONE SMALL CLUTCH BAG**
  No larger than 4.5” x 6.5”
  Does not have to be clear

**FOR MORE INFORMATION AND UPDATES VISIT:** [COMMENCEMENT.STANFORD.EDU](http://COMMENCEMENT.STANFORD.EDU)