
Candidate Instructions

A cap, gown and stole are required for commencement. This regalia may be ordered directly from [Jostens](#). Along with this academic regalia, graduates should wear appropriate attire, which includes dark shoes, dark pants, dark dress, collared shirt, tie.

If a student needs special assistance or accommodations during the ceremony, please contact graduation@columbusstate.edu.

Undergraduate Latin honors recognized at commencement will be based on GPA at the close of the **previous** term. Latin honors printed on transcripts and diplomas will be based on GPA after the degree has been awarded.

Participation in commencement does not guarantee that you will be awarded a degree from Columbus State University.

Diplomas are not received at commencement. Diplomas will be mailed to all students who have completed the requirements for a degree about eight working weeks after the end of the term.