
Graduation

You've passed the tests and earned the degree. Five in-person ceremonies at Columbus State's Lumpkin Center and other events leading up to those will mark a week filled with other commencement-related activities and celebrations for our graduates. For those who cannot join us in person, the university will continue to live-stream the commencement ceremonies so families, friends and Cougars everywhere can share in your special day.

[Watch the Livestream](#)

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Schedule of Events

Thursday, May 14, 2026

Nursing Pinning Ceremony

10:30 a.m. – [Cunningham Center](#)

Graduate Hooding Ceremony

6 p.m. – [Lumpkin Center](#)

Friday, May 15, 2026

College of the Arts and Turner College of Business & Technology

9 a.m. – [Lumpkin Center](#)

College of Letters and Sciences

12:30 p.m. – [Lumpkin Center](#)

College of Education and Health Professions

4 p.m. – [Lumpkin Center](#)

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