

## Transcript of April 12, 2024 Video

Hello Kahok Nation. I'm Superintendent Brad Skertich. Now that April has arrived, we have a lot of things going on in the next two months of school.

First and foremost, if you have not registered your student for kindergarten for the 24-25 school year, please visit our website, and you can do that as soon as possible. And keep in mind this key birthdate: if your child is going to be 5-years-old by September 1st, we want them enrolled in kindergarten for the upcoming year.

And as we are gearing up for next school year, we are also winding down this school year. And part of winding down this school year is recognizing the Collinsville High School Class of 2024. And one of the first events recognizing this year's graduating class is Academic Signing Day on April 29th. If you have not seen information regarding this event, please ask your student about it, or check with the Counseling Department at the high school. It will occur in the auditorium and it is truly a great day to see students with their families celebrating their next steps after high school.

The culminating event for the Collinsville High School Class of 2024 will be high school graduation on Saturday, May 11th, at 10am in Fletcher Gymnasium. This will surely be a packed event, so be looking...so be on the lookout for those tickets and plan on arriving early.

And then the last event that we have in terms of promotion and 8th grade honors recognition is at Collinsville Middle School on May 18th - where there will be two ceremonies recognizing students' accomplishments throughout their 7th or 8th grade year and also promoting our 8th graders to high school, which is truly a good event, and this will be the second year hosting this.

Last, and not least, this weekend, the high school drama club is performing Goosebumps. They will be performing Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Don't miss out on a great musical and great performances by our students.

We appreciate your constant dedication to our students. Don't forget to wear your purple and show your Kahok Pride.