

# REGULATION

## RUMSON BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Pupil Graduation Ceremonies

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#### Guidelines For Participation In Graduation Ceremonies

##### Academic

Pupils do not fail two subjects will qualify for graduation participation. Pupils who do not fulfill this requirement will not participate in graduation ceremonies, but may be promoted to ninth grade.

##### Pupil Behavior

Pupils are to behave in a manner that is a credit to the school and community. Participation in special graduation activities will require conduct and deportment to be of the highest caliber. Pupils who do not meet these expectations may be excluded from the graduation ceremonies.

The final decision for exclusion shall be made by the Superintendent of Schools based upon the recommendation of the Principal. Pupils and parent(s) or legal guardian(s) shall be given advance notification of these criteria to help insure a successful eighth grade year.

The denial to participate shall be treated in the same manner as a suspension and the pupil so affected shall be afforded the rights of review provided in policies of this Board.

##### Pupil Dress

Pupils shall be required to wear a jacket, shirt and tie, slacks, shoes, or dresses and appropriate dress shoes or sandals during the ceremonies. Jeans, etc., will not be permitted.

Upon recommendation of the Principal and approval of the Superintendent, a pupil may participate in graduation ceremonies who, due to extenuating circumstances, does not meet these requirements.

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