



# Sumner County Board of Education

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Sumner County Schools Community,

Sumner County Schools will be closed for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. We are taking this proactive step to help keep our schools, students, families, employees, and communities healthy and safe. We will continue providing instructional resources and assistance through our Sumner Connect platform until at least May 22<sup>nd</sup> which is our last scheduled instructional day.

We are committed to providing graduations for the Class of 2020. They have worked hard to accomplish this milestone, and we all want to celebrate! All Sumner County graduations will be rescheduled for June 25 - June 27. The schedule and locations are listed below. This will allow time for families to plan and safely participate in the traditional ceremony. We also realize that not everyone will be able to attend, therefore all graduation ceremonies will be available to watch via livestream. This will allow those family members that can't or choose not to attend due to health, travel, or other precautions an opportunity to participate in this special time.

The graduation information for each Sumner County High School is listed below:

**White House High School** – Thursday, June 25 at 7 p.m. at Long Hollow Baptist

**Gallatin High School** – Friday, June 26 at 7 p.m. at Gallatin High

**Hendersonville High School** – Friday, June 26 at 6 p.m. at Hendersonville High

**Station Camp High School** – Friday, June 26 at 6:30 p.m. at Long Hollow Baptist

**E.B. Wilson Virtual High School** – Friday, June 26, 6:30 p.m. at Central Office

**Beech High School** – Saturday, June 27, 6 p.m. at Long Hollow Baptist

**Merrol Hyde Magnet School** – Saturday, June 27, 7 p.m. at Merrol Hyde Magnet

**Portland High School** - Saturday, June 27, 10 a.m. at Long Hollow Baptist

**Westmoreland High School** - Saturday, June 27, 9 a.m. at Westmoreland High

**Middle Technical College High School at Portland** – Saturday, June 27, 10 a.m. at Portland High School

**Middle College High School at Vol State** – Saturday, June 27, at 1 p.m. at Vol State Community College in Caudill Hall

In highest regard,

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