



# Glen Rock High School



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Dear Glen Rock Students and Parents,

This morning, Governor Murphy announced that, "... beginning July 6th, schools will have the opportunity to hold outdoor graduation ceremonies that comply with social distancing - ensuring the health and safety of all in attendance."

We will continue with the decision to hold a virtual graduation ceremony on June 18th for several reasons including:

- Providing a sense of finality for the Class of 2020
- Students, parents, and staff may not be available to participate in the rescheduled traditional ceremony on July 30th and deserve, like all graduates, to be recognized on June 18th.

Please be advised that we are canceling the proposed alternate date of September 26th since we now have permission to hold a traditional ceremony with restrictions on July 30th. Details, dates and times for the distribution of caps, gowns and announcements will be shared by the end of this week. As shared in previous correspondence, the distribution plan was developed by our Director of Security and approved by the Glen Rock Police Department prior to its dissemination.

As we move forward with planning and developing details for the virtual graduation ceremony, we will continue to communicate to students and families. We are all very excited and look forward very much to celebrating the Class of 2020 on June 18th and July 30th.

Sincerely,

John Arlotta  
Principal