

PROM 2019, EXPECTATIONS FORM - RICH CENTRAL STUDENTS

Prom night is a special evening for many people. The special purposes, however, are to provide an enjoyable evening of dining, entertainment, and dancing for all those who attend. For the benefit of all, the following expectations are made:

1. In alignment with the Board policy for higher expectations, every student attending Prom must maintain a grade point average of 2.0 from 3rd quarter through the date of ticket purchase.
2. Any student who has received more than two (2) out-of-school suspensions or more than four (4) in-school suspensions or 4 or more S.A.F.E. Interventions from the start of the school year until the date of Prom, may NOT attend Prom.
3. **Attendance on Friday, May 3** – All students who are planning to attend Prom **MUST** be in attendance at school **all day on Friday, May 3**. Any student not in attendance on May 3 for **ALL** class periods will not be admitted to Prom. **No refunds will be given.**
4. Rich Central students and guests must be at prom by **8:15 p.m.** and are expected to stay at least until the coronation ceremony is completed. No one will be permitted to enter after that time. No refunds will be given for late arrivals.
5. **Rich Central students and guests are required to present photo I.D. for admittance.** Anyone without a photo I.D. (school I.D., driver's license, state I.D. card, etc.) will be denied entry and no refunds will be given. All prom guests are subject to dean and administration approval.
6. Our school policies apply to Prom as they do to any other school sponsored activity. Anyone consuming intoxicating beverages before or during the prom or anyone on drugs or controlled substances will have their parents contacted and the parents will be required to pick up the student. In addition, students will be subject to school disciplinary actions. No refunds will be given. Students suspected of being under the influence are subject to sobriety screening.
7. All prom participants must abide by the Rich Central rules for attire and behavior. We do accept the fact that formal wear for the female students may be a bit more "revealing" (spaghetti straps and off-the-shoulder wear) than allowed by regular school dress policy. But, it is very important that formal attire meet a standard of decency. Dresses that reveal the body around the stomach, navel, lower back and sides are not appropriate. Slits or splits in clothing must be modest. Administration, deans and/or sponsors will make a final decision on appropriateness of dress. This is a school-sponsored event and we must maintain a level of appropriateness in the way students are dressed for the Prom. Gentlemen are expected to be dressed in formal attire (tuxedos or suits). No hats may be worn in or during the prom evening event. Any students who do not meet this standard of dress will be asked to leave the prom.
8. **The administration of Rich Central High School bans modes of dancing that are inappropriate, offensive and demeaning.** The clear sexual overtones of this form of dancing are certainly not the kind of social climate we want to promote at school-sponsored activities. As parents we hope you agree with this position and will seriously remind your students of what is appropriate with regards to dancing and having fun.

We understand these expectations and agree to follow them and all school rules. This form must be signed and presented before a student will be able to purchase Prom tickets (one form for each person attending prom).

Student name (print) _____

Student signature _____

Parent/guardian signature _____

Emergency contact number (a number at which the parent can be reached for emergency purposes on Prom night):
