



*Graduates, families, friends, and distinguished guests,
welcome to the Commencement Ceremony of
The International School of the Americas
Class of 2026.*

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Program

Processional: "Pomp and Circumstance"	L&E High School Orchestra Directed by Mr. Enrique Alvarez
Pledge of Allegiance.....	Madalyn Guerrero and Soniah Fisher
Opening Remarks.....	Daly McManus
<i>International Greetings</i>	
English.....	Madeline Moreno
American Sign Language.....	Stephanie Carreon
Arabic.....	Yasmeen Elawad
Dhariga.....	Emad Makjinsi
Estonian.....	Ava Morey
Farsi.....	Kasra Motavassel
French.....	Frances Cox
German.....	Elizabeth Weis
Hebrew.....	Victoria Wadiche
Italian.....	Mikaela Lockhart
Japanese.....	Antonio Ruiz
Mandarin.....	Abigail Xin
Portuguese.....	Sophia Duarte
Russian.....	Tyler Piesman
Spanish.....	Sarah Morales
Tagalog.....	Jade Flotildes
Urdu.....	Meerub Shahid
Introduction of ISA Principal	Cora Magadance and Mikaela Lockhart
Welcome.....	Mr. Steve Magadance
Recognition of Distinguished Guests.....	Scarlett Davis and Peyton Trejo
Introduction of Superintendent.....	Meerub Shahid
Greetings from North East ISD Interim Superintendent	Mr. Anthony Jarrett
Introduction of Educational Partner.....	Kathryn Romero
Greetings from Trinity University.....	Dr. Angela Breidenstein
Introduction of Senior Speaker.....	Analucia Butron
Senior Speaker.....	Jasmine Melvin
Introduction of Faculty Speaker.....	Meredith Williams
Message from the Faculty.....	Mr. Eric Cruz
Presentation of the Senior Class.....	Mr. Anthony Jarrett and Mr. Steve Magadance
Awarding of Diplomas.....	North East ISD Board of Trustees
Read by.....	Bonnie Brawner, Jamie Duderstadt and Suzeth Ramirez
Introduction of Musical Performance	Natalia Lopez
Gift of Music.....	Eva Garcia Moya with L&E Mariachi Directed by Mr. Enrique Alvarez
Recognition of Parents.....	Rosanelly Pastrano and Anna Bravo Wozakowska
Recognition of Faculty.....	Ava Mulroy and Yesenia Pasillas
Closing Remarks.....	Kate Kampstra

The students speaking at this graduation ceremony were selected based on neutral criteria to deliver messages of the students' own choices. The content of each student speaker's message is the private expression of the individual student and does not necessarily reflect the endorsement, sponsorship, position, or expression of the North East Independent School District.

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Brylee Elizabeth Brock ** *Mariella Elizabeth Hotten* *** *Sophia Celeste Rodriguez* *
Tysen Demetrius Buckner *** *Keegan Matthew Daniel Jones*
Analucia Butron *** *Parker Lynn Jowers* *** *Kathryn Ainslee Romero* ***
Stephanie Yolanda Carreon * *Kate Abigail Kampstra* *** *Koa Kaleo Rossett Bermea*
Ymaris Sanchez Casas ** *Keaton Alexander Kehoe* * *Antonio Rey Ruiz* *
Grace Elizabeth Castro *** *Austin Anderson Klint* *** *Amon Ryan*
Kaylee Johanna Cerda
Tasha Syshawn Tishell Colbert
Frances Anne Cox *** *Evan Ross LaGrange* *** *Marley Jade Santana*
Odessa Rose Cury ** *Amelie Adele Lanoux* *** *Lesley Saucedo* *
Orlando Bam Bam Davila
Ruby Love Davis *** *Ashlyn Taylor Laque*
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Madalyn Elena Guerrero ** *Madeline Olivia Moreno* ** *Meredith Kathryn Williams* **
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Bianka Daneli Hernandez
Ava Lynn Mulroy *** *Carolyn Judy Nasser* ***
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Rosanelly Ivonne Pastrano * *Tyler Charles Piesman* ***
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The following students have earned special recognition from local and national programs and institutions.

The North East Independent School District and The International School of the Americas thank them for their efforts and congratulate them for their accomplishments.

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*The Graduating Class of 2026 continues
a tradition of excellence at
The International School of the Americas.*

Students from The International School of the Americas have been admitted to the most prestigious post-secondary institutions across the country. They have also been recognized for their outstanding achievements with millions of dollars in scholarship offers. Listed on the following pages are some of the post-graduate admissions and scholarship awards that we are aware of at this time.

Additional offers are being received by our students each day.

This is a very exciting time for our seniors as they graduate and go out into the world to pursue their dreams.

We know that they will be successful in their future endeavors, and we wish them the very best.



Post Graduate Admissions

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Kate Abigail Kampstra
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