Information for Students and Guests

2025 MVCTC Senior Recognition Ceremony University of Dayton Arena May 16, 2025 6:30 PM

Senior Recognition for the Class of 2025 will be the evening of Friday, May 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the University of Dayton Arena, 1801 South Edwin C. Moses, Dayton, Ohio 45417.

Arrival and Entry:

All seniors and their guests are to enter through the north or south entrance doors where they will pass through security which includes metal detectors. To expedite entry, please leave purses and bags at home. Prohibited items include weapons of any kind, pocket knives, noisemakers, laser pointers, signs, food, drinks, tripods, balloons, pets, etc.

Doors will open for general seating at 5:30 p.m., and we ask that our guests be seated by 6:15 p.m. No tickets will be required for entrance. We ask that all guests dress appropriately for this special ceremony, honoring all that our seniors have accomplished.

Seniors will gather in either the east or west concourse areas of the arena, depending on their individual program (see attachment), no later than 5:30 p.m. Have your gown on and ready for your gown check at 5:50 p.m.

Seniors arriving after the ceremony begins will not be admitted onto the floor and thus will not participate in the ceremony. Be on time!!!

Please use the below link for security information.

UD Arena Security

What to do after I arrive? (Seniors Only)

- Step 1 Gather in either the east or west concourse area of the arena, depending on your individual program (see attachment), no later than 5:45 p.m.
- Step 2 Put your gown on so you are ready for your gown check at 5:50 p.m.
 - Seniors who have made arrangements to borrow a MVCTC gown should secure it (sign it out) with the staff member in their designated concourse area. Borrowed gowns must be returned to the same location following the ceremony.
- Step 3 Line up for your gown check. Gown checks will begin no later than 5:50 p.m.
- Step 4 Make your way to the arena floor after your gown check.
 - Concourse-East entry to the floor -entry serving section 217-218
 - Concourse-West entry to the floor -entry serving section 207-208
- Step 5 Arrive at your seat which will be with your lab instructor(s) and seniors from your program (see attachment), no later than 6:25 p.m.

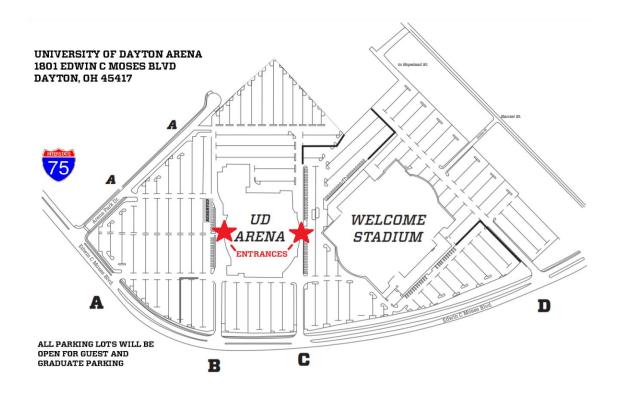
Additional Information for Students and Guests:

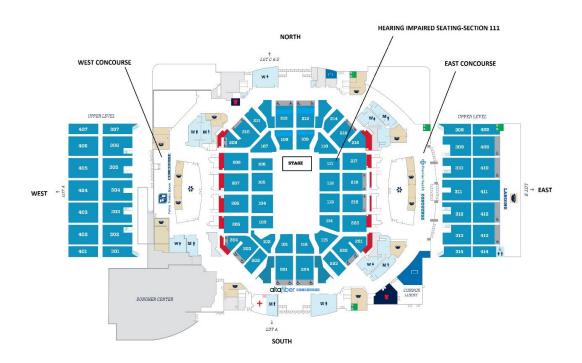
- The Miami Valley Career Technology Center Senior Recognition ceremony will be conducted with dignity and respect. Seniors and guests are reminded that the ceremony is a formal ceremony.
- Any senior who disrupts or contributes in any way to the disruption of the normal operation
 during the final days of the school year, will be subject to disciplinary action including, but
 not limited to, removal and/or denial of participation in the Senior Recognition ceremony.
 This includes any and all senior pranks. Any senior participating in or contributing to
 inappropriate behavior during the Senior Recognition ceremony will be removed from the
 ceremony by an administrator or UD Arena Security, with the possibility of legal action
 being taken.
- For safety reasons, students should not put on gowns until they arrive in the concourse area at the arena.
- Students should begin making their way through the gown checks at the concourse areas to their seats no later than 5:50 p.m.
- Staff will be available to ensure students meet dress requirements, outlined below, before being granted permission to enter the floor.
- In order to participate in the ceremony, students must have an approved graduation gown (same gown that they will wear at their partner school for those graduating with their class). Students who will not be graduating at their partner school must see their MVCTC counselor to arrange for an MVCTC gown for the Senior Recognition ceremony. Graduation caps are not worn at the MVCTC Senior Recognition ceremony. Do not bring your graduation cap with you.
- The Senior Recognition ceremony is a formal "dress up" event.
 - Students are to wear business professional attire under their gown.
 - Jeans, shorts, and tennis shoes are <u>not</u> permitted.
 - Students are not to decorate or deface their gowns in any manner.
 - Gowns must remain completely zipped for the duration of the ceremony.
 - Graduation caps are <u>not</u> worn at the ceremony.
 - Hats, e.g., ball caps, cowboy hats, etc. are not to be worn at the ceremony.
 - Because students may walk long distances to and from their seat and will be navigating steps, we recommend they wear comfortable dress shoes and discourage them from wearing high-heeled shoes in an effort to prevent falls.
- Students who have received honor cords from National Honor Society and/or the National Technical Honor Society are to wear them as prescribed by their advisor and principal. These are the only cords permitted to be worn at the ceremony.
- Students are to show respect for their fellow classmates and guests.
- Students are to be seated in their designated place with their instructor(s).
- Students are to remain seated until the ceremony is complete.

- Only students and staff are permitted on the floor.
- Hearing impaired guests are welcome to be seated in Section 111.
- The University of Dayton and MVCTC do not permit the use of horns, noisemakers, balloons, beach balls, confetti, silly string, etc. in the facility. Please assist both institutions in making the MVCTC Senior Recognition ceremony a very special occasion by refraining from bringing these types of items. (UD Arena Security officers will confiscate these items)

Livestreaming: For those family members and/or guests who are unable to attend, the event will be livestreamed.

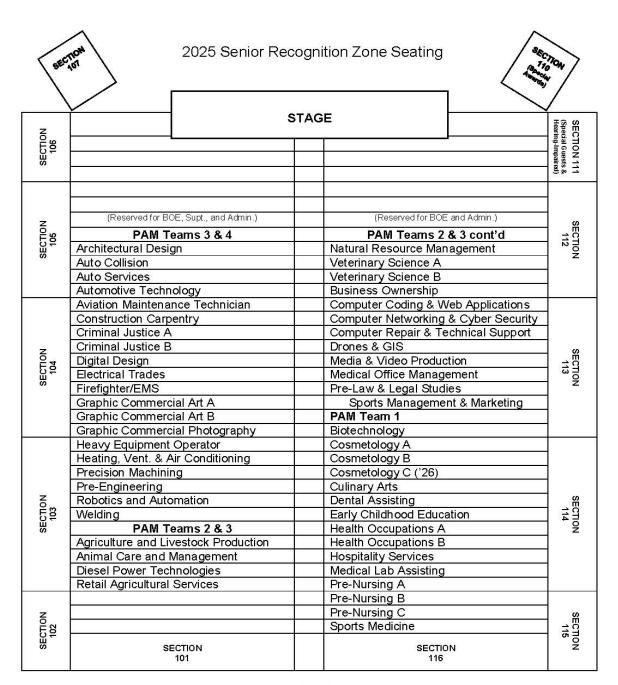
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UD Arena Concourse Locations with Program Gathering Point Information





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