



2025 KENDRICK HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Thursday, May 22, 2025
8:00 p.m.

Columbus Civic Center

Our Mission is to inspire and
equip all students to achieve
unlimited potential.

The MCSD is a beacon of
educational excellence where all
are known, valued, and inspired.





Commencement Program

*“They tried to bury us; They did not know we were seeds.”
– Dinos Christianopoulos*

*Processional	“Pomp and Circumstance, No. 1”	Sir Edward Elgar
*Posting Colors		JROTC Color Guard
*Pledge of Allegiance	Shon'tae Aniyah De' Asia Thomas	Senior Class Treasurer
Invocation	Triston Avery Mayes	Senior Class Secretary
Welcome.....	JaQuan Marquise Luck	Senior Class Vice President
Remarks and Introductions	Dr. Alonzo James	Principal
Greetings	Dr. David F. Lewis	Superintendent of Education
	Patricia Hugley-Green	Chair of the Board of Education
	Naomi Buckner	Board Member
Kendrick High School Chorus	“Man in the Mirror”	Michael Jackson
Salutatorian's Address.....	Juvia Andrea Wilkerson	Salutatorian of the Class of 2025
Valedictorian's Address.....	Ariawna Arleasia Bruton	Valedictorian of the Class of 2025
Farewell.....	S'Vanah Irie McGhee	Senior Class President
Presentation of Diplomas	Patricia Hugley-Green, Chair	
	Laurie C. McRae, Vice Chair	
	Dr. Kia Chambers	
	Nickie Tillery	
	Vanessa K. Jackson	
	Naomi Buckner	
	Mark Cantrell	
	Pat Frey	
	Margot Schley	
	Members, Board of Education	
*Kendrick High School Alma Mater		Graduates & Guests
*Recessional	“War March of the Priests”	Felix Mendelssohn
*Audience Please Stand		
Graduation Director	Carla Jones	
Director of School Counseling	Jimmie Johnson-Fleming	
Choral Director	Joshua Butler	

Audience members are expected to follow the speaker's instructions during the delivery of diplomas for appropriate times to celebrate the graduates. Please respect the wishes of the graduates to ensure their names are heard. We appreciate your support.





Class Officers

PresidentS’Vanah Irie McGhee
Vice President.....JaQuan Marquise Luck
SecretaryTriston Avery Mayes
Treasurer.....Shon’tae Aniyah De’Asia Thomas
HistorianAshlyn Cambria Peterson

Alma Mater

*Hail to these hallowed halls where mem’ries dwell.
Hail to those cherished ties we love so well.
Hearts, hands, and minds are joined in one strong cry.
Hail to our Alma Mater Kendrick High*

*Wisdom and love of man shall one-day reign;
For we have come to know, these we must gain.
Then, when our futures come, fate will be told;
We will be grateful to you, Blue and Gold.*

Valedictorian

Ariawna Arleasia Bruton

Salutatorian

Juvia Andrea Wilkerson



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Kendrick High School Faculty & Staff

Dr. Alonzo B. James Principal
Danya Albright Assistant Principal
Ebene Cutts Assistant Principal
Jimmie Johnson-Fleming Director of School Counseling
Dr. Jacqueri Cannon Dean of Discipline
Kimberly Parks Academic Dean

Donni Anderson	Elliott Haskins	Dr. Jimmi Simmons
Mirna Anderson	Harold Hines	Cheryn Smith
Lydell Baker	Nicole Holston	Thomas Smith
Umo Bassey	Alexis Hughey	Shakeria Stringer
Beverly Brown	Jeffery Jackson	Nekeeta Thomas
Emmanuel Brown	Dawnell Jacobs	Alexandria Threatt
Martha Burton	Alexis Jemison	Joycelyn Todd
Joshua Butler	Nicole Johnson	CPT Travis Tribble
ISG Isaac Campos	Alexis Jones	Cotyria Turner
Sharnetria Carey	Carla Jones	Monica Walden
Rachel Cochran	Nicole Jones-Harper	Alicia Wallace
Kelly Coney	Angela Landon	CSM Willie Washington
Carlotta Cutliff	Angela Long	Kenya White
Ryeshia Cutliff	Timothy Matthews	Carlonda Williams
Jatorey Daniel	Sheldon May	Stephon Williams
Deasia Delma	Jeremy McCrary	Patricia Yates-Sanders
Angela Douglas	Tiffany McDole	
Andre Dye	Kendayshia McKenzie	
Anita Evely	Jeanette Miles	
Lola Farley	James Mims	
Taylor Farley	Anthony Mitchell	
Hunter Farrell	Tony Moses	
Francine Foster	Gloria Murphy	
Maxine Gaddy	Chantori Nelson	
Ashley Gilmore	Janecia Ochonogor	
William Goodman	Michael Peek	
Patsy Gray	Lyndsey Redondo	
Sequoyah Griffin	Laura Reese	
Hiram Grimes	Ashlee Regan	
Orithius Hardge	Gwen Robinson-Young	
Jermaine Harris	Amber Sapp	
Lydia Harris	Ashlyn Sell	
Miquail Harvey	Jay-Paul Sellers	

KENDRICK HIGH SCHOOL

Xander Jonte' Adams
Kayonda Darna'ja Alexander
Octavuis Ja'von Allen
KaMyya Monet' Andrews
Ja'Kayla Marie Armour*+
Ty'Shaun Matthew Averett
Corey Lamar Baker, Jr.
Jakhya Ahmirra Baskin
Indy'ia Marie Benyoum
Taliaia Sumayah Bland
David Braxton Bowden, Jr.
Javonta Desean Brown
Kyla Alyse Brown
T'Mya Angelina Brown
Treyvon Michael Brown
Ariawna Arleasia Bruton*+
Domnquie La'Trell Bryant
Lamar Julious Bryant
My'Kia Kaneshia Bryant
Jacob Edward Burch
Tyress Da'Shawn Carter
Samaiah Marie Chandler
Jaden Terrell Chappell
Mikel Lanorris Chatmon
Ameer Mikal-Jalin Clemons
Samuel Jadiel Conde Garcia
Jalen Delonta Cooper
Aliyah Alice Crosbie
Jay'len Latrelle Davis
Michael Lamar Davis, Jr.
Tyana Ajhone'i Dejerinett
Abigail Diaz Ortiz
A'driel Anthony Dixon
Alyssa N'Dasia Douglas
Julius Anthony Duffy*
Jonathan Johnson Dukes, Jr.
Dunte'Vius Lamar Dunklin
La'Davion Omar Dunklin
Jordan Keymire Early
Cash Mathias Elder
Jacquez Rashod Ellison
Kah'Niah Latrice Fails
Khalif Antonio Tai'Quise Fearson*+
Shequan Xavier Fidel Fiffie, Jr.
Kenda Marie Finch
Jarvis Lamontrey Flowers
Darcy Jamal Ford
Travis Cantrell Fortson, Jr.
Devin Justin Franklin
Taylor Nicole Freeman
Aiden Laprel Fuller
Kennard Joseph Fuselier IV

Tika Sha'Ray Glasco
Cornelius Tarae Glover
Jurni Sahni Arnece Graham
Gabriella Kaylene Grant+
Royal Shaun Grimes
Donametric Dontavious Hambrick, Jr.*+
Jakariya Alexis Hamilton
Jada Nicole Hand
Jayzon Antonnio Hardaway
Alissa Anita Harden
Camiyah Alexandria Hardge*
Terence Meigel Harrell, Jr.
Carlia Shanya Harris
Keisha LaNivea Harris
Janiyah Denise Harvey
Marcus Antonio Harvey
Dejanna Nevayah Hatchett*+
Raven Charnese Heath
Andrew Michael Henderson
Tanjah Capri Henderson
Alicia Leala Hernandez-Naslund*+
Olivea Genesis Hightower*+
Josiah Dewan Hill
Megyn Elizabeth Hill
Na'quan Robert Furr Hill
Gabriel Lee Hodges
Taquintin J. Hodo, Jr.
Alan Jamuel Hollis
Kaden GeRon Holmes
Joshua Austin Howell
Sha'Mya Louise Hunter
Jeremiah Nicholas Jackson
Naucier ZaKhari Jackson
Ayanna Akira Jessie+
Jasavion Damir Johnson
Willie Frank Johnson III
Anjalena Charisse Jones
Dallas Kennyah Jones
Dasia Nicole Jones
JaCobie Bernard Jones
Jayden Marques Jones
Malachi Jamal Jones
Tajai James Jones
Tymir De'Erion Jones
Don'Yae Israel Jordan
Kimberlee Mae Kelley
Logan Chandler King
James Brandon Kirby
Lanirah Denise Lamb
Lessiah Jahseir Lane
Denver Noel Imoni Lassic
Macqwon Davon Lawrence

Class of 2025

Jermarkeon Dwayne Lee
DaVonte' Christopher Leonard
Nina Jade Elaine Leonard
Joseph Micheal Lewis
Makiyah Brianna Lewis
Jalon Jamar Lingo
Bukhari Maki Littles
JaQuan Marquise Luck*
Quae'shaun Jerrell Mahone
Daniel Douglas Martin
De'Sire Sa'Ni Juri Mason
Tori Renae Massey
Travis Freemon Massey
Doug'Toria Dionne Mathis
Jahmir Neki Armwood Maxwell
Triston Avery Mayes*
Jaslene Marissa Raylee Mccray
S'Vanah Irie McGhee
Avant Rayshawn McKinney
Jericqa Terrimarie McKithen
J'Kaylin Michelle McMickle-Williams
Moyses Deangelo Mena
Kevin Monds, Jr.
Angel Denise Moore
India Dion Morning
Brendaisha Van'Tericka Rena Muff
Alena Zyarriah Palmer
Xavier Rasheed Parker
RaSean Lamar Pendleton
Yasmin Disaya Perry
Timmy Perryman III
Ashlyn Cambria Peterson
Deja'Nae Monique Peterson
Anajah Jakeira Phillips
JaVarus Chatman Pickens
Drew D'Angelo Tywoun Pierce, Jr.
Craig Steven Piper II
Jayla Joy Pugh
Anthony Manuel Quinones-Knowland
Destinee Jeanae Ramsey*+
Zaniya Lania Rice
Aniyah Mekenzie Ricks
Payton Micah Rivers
Sequoia Selice Roberts
Jimniya Kenea Robinson
Kennedy Cornelia Carrie Robinson
Trayshawn Zior Ladravis Robinson
Victor Sean Robinson
Michael Keith Shelling
Lytic Jalique Slaughter
Ja'Miah Anecia Smith
James Trenton Smith

Jaylan Lorenzo Stallion
King Zachery James Stephens
Noah Anthony Steptoe
Ventrez James Stewart
Jeremiah Chirstopher Steven Stroud
Aniya Renae Tarver
Gerliany Aiyumi Tavařez
Terryanna Trinita Taylor
Kamiya Maekala Thomas
Kie'Zaiya M'YaeThomas
Robert Ulysses Thomas, Jr.
Shon'tae Aniyah De'Asia Thomas
Starr Elizabeth Thomas
Tavion Omar Thomas
Victor Alfonzo Thomas, Jr.
Ciara Aniya Thompkins*
Jaishira Nishel Thorps
Amiracle La'Niya Thrasher
Azja Janayah Reygn Torbert-Jackson
Korey Ray Trice
Taishawn Ryan Turner
Jareece Delacruz Tutton
Ty'rah Renee Velazquez-Simmons*
Briunna Alexis Walker*
Connor Benjamin Blake Walker
Gary Walker, Jr.
Jovarius Ashton Walker
Cleveland Chason Walker-Kirton*+
Kyndell Daevon Washington-Ghant
Alexander Henry Weldon
Shakeidra Sherell-Tamara Whatley
Isiah Miguel Whitley
Juvia Andrea Wilkerson*+
Dominic Elisha Williams
Janayja Versanet Williams
Thaddeus Lamar Williams, Jr.
Kendall-Arie Arkayziakani Nikita Zaniah Wilson
Caprice Wise
Jamarian Jermaine Woodard
Cerise Tye Woods

*-National Honor Society

+ -Top Ten Seniors