

2026 Seminole State College Commencement

Please read the following information carefully.

Commencement is Friday, May 8, 2026 at 10:00 am in the Raymond Harber Field House

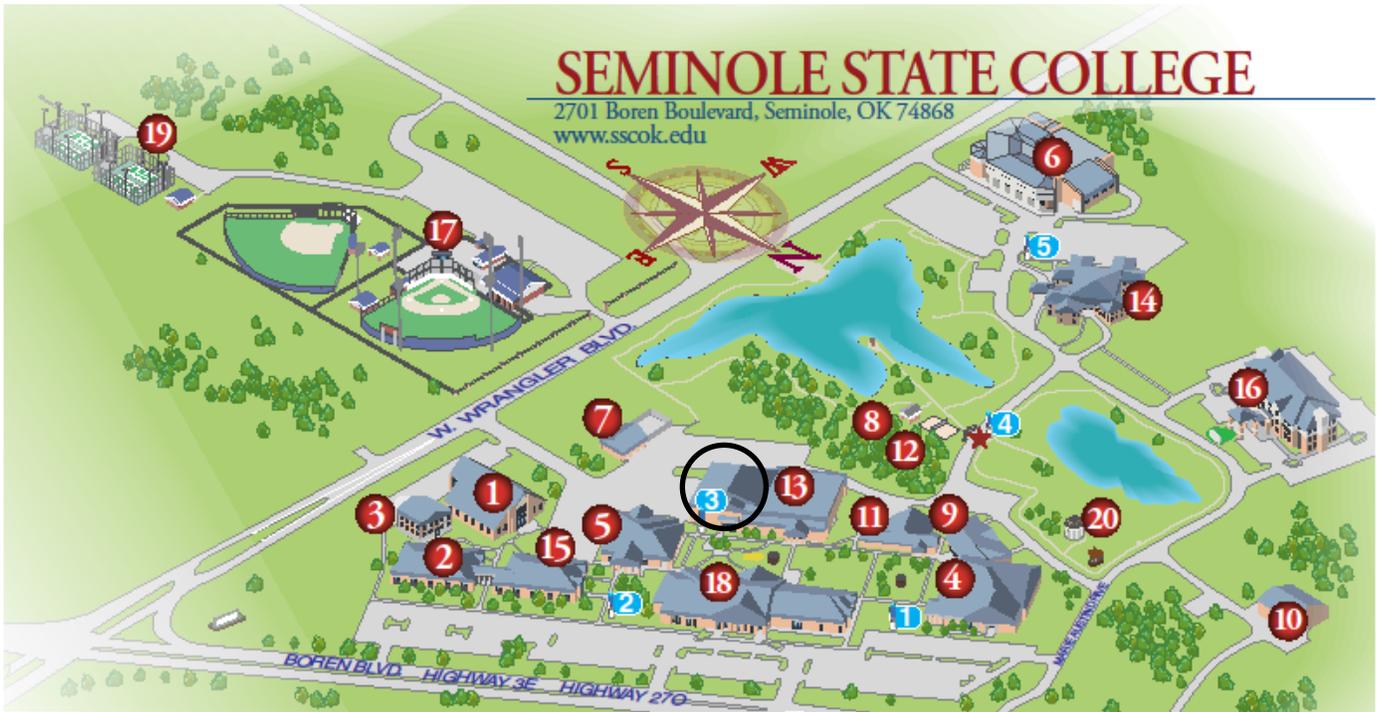
Seminole State College does not have a rehearsal for the commencement ceremony. Below you will find very important information about what will take place on commencement morning.

- Check-in location: South end of Raymond Harber Field House (located in the Wellness Center and circled on the map on page 2). You must be there **no later than 9:30 AM** and you will be directed on where to line up after you check in. Office staff will give directions to the line of students about when to enter the gymnasium. Please stay in line.
- Family and friends are welcome, but seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. Overflow seating will be in the Jeff Johnston Building.
- The tassel (on top of your cap) should be on the **right side** before and during the ceremony. You will move it to the left when President Reynolds tells you to do so during the ceremony.
- Once in line, please remain in single file and follow the person in front of you during the procession.
- SSC personnel will direct you to the proper row. A graduation program will be in your chair.
- Office personnel will tell you when to stand and go to the podium — please **remain in single file line** on the red carpet when it is your row's turn. Only one row at a time will be asked to stand and proceed to the podium.
- **Stand behind the first stanchion closest to the podium — do not proceed to the podium until motioned to step forward and present your card.**
- Each student will be given an index card with his/her name on it. If your card has a small “X” on it, we are unsure about the correct pronunciation. Please tell the announcer (quietly and slowly) how to pronounce your name when you hand them your card.
- **DO NOT proceed to President Reynolds until your name has been announced.** After your name is called, you will proceed to President Reynolds and she will hand you an empty diploma cover. Then, you will shake hands with each of the Regents and proceed to where a professional photographer is taking pictures. One picture will be taken as you receive your cover and one in front of the flags before you return to your seat. Please return to your seat in a timely manner since the flow of students must keep moving. The photography company will contact you about the purchase of these pictures. Please be seated while the other graduates receive their diplomas. You will be told when to stand as a group after everyone receives their diploma covers.
- ***Your diploma will not be in the cover*** - it will be mailed to you after grades and degrees are verified. (Spring transcripts with final grades/degree listed and diplomas will be available after July 1st, 2026 – Summer diplomas with final grades/degrees listed and diplomas will be available by September 1, 2026)
- Caps and gowns do not need to be returned — they are yours to keep.
- ***Please tell family/friends in attendance to remain seated until all graduates have exited.***

If you have any questions about graduation, please contact the Admissions Office at admissions@sscok.edu OR 405-382-9230

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| 1. Ben and Bonnie Walkingstick Student Services Center | 11. Milt Phillips Social Sciences Building |
| 2. Colclazier Building | 12. Outdoor Sand Volleyball Court |
| 3. Dan & Andrea Boren Center | 13. Raymond Harbor Field House |
| 4. David Boren Library | 14. Roesler Residential Learning Center |
| 5. E.T. Dunlap Student Union | 15. Scott Building |
| 6. Enoch Kelly Haney Center | 16. Seminole Nation Residential Learning Center |
| 7. Information Technology Building | 17. Softball Complex |
| 8. J. Smart Family Foundation Pavillion | 18. Tanner Hall |
| 9. Jeff Johnston Fine Arts Center | 19. Tennis Courts |
| 10. Maintenance Building | 20. Walkingstick Gazebo |

-  EMERGENCY PHONE LOCATIONS
-  HENDERSON PARK ENTRANCE
-  ROESLER WALKING TRAIL

