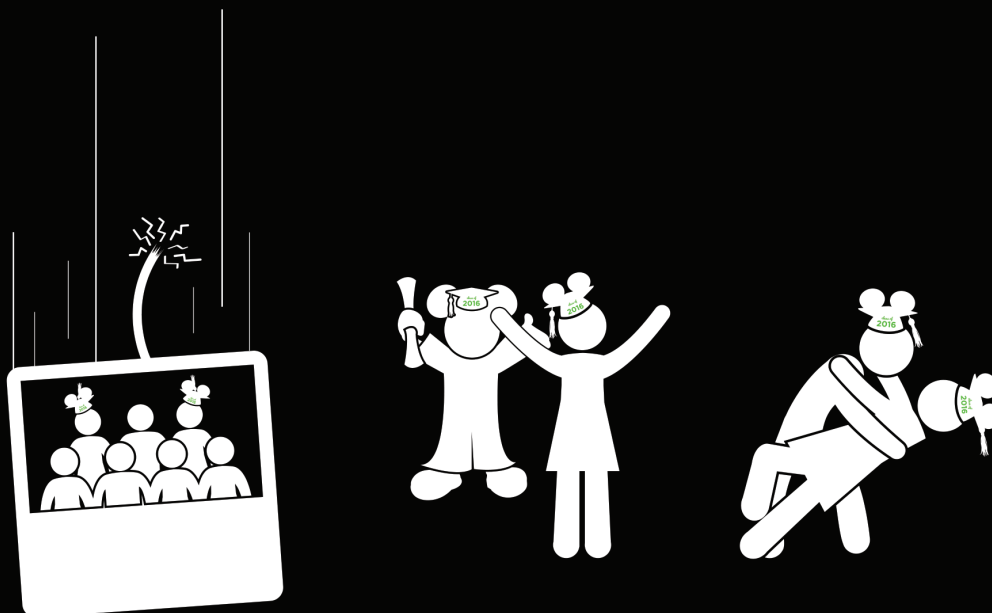


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Welcome Letter

Greetings Grad Nite chairperson,

Welcome to our 55th annual Grad Nite event at the *Disneyland*® Resort.

In just a couple of months, we can't wait to welcome your group to *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite 2016 at *Disney California Adventure*® Park, a tradition that dates back to 1961.

We understand that planning an event of this magnitude is not possible without the dedication of many teachers and parents, so on behalf of the entire *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite team, thank you!

We hope that this Chaperone Planning Guide will not only help answer your questions about Grad Nite 2016, but those of your students and parents of the students as well.

If you or your chaperones have additional questions that are not answered in this guide, please contact the Grad Nite office, open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m. (PST).

Grad Nite Office phone: 1-800-232-7980 option 3
Email: dlr.grad.nite@disney.com

In an effort to return calls and emails in a timely manner, all student and parent questions should be routed through the Grad Nite chairperson or main contact for the school. Should any special requests or needs arise, please contact us via email as soon as possible. All requests will be reviewed and are not guaranteed.

While you are here, we hope you and your students have time to enjoy all that the resort has to offer including our Diamond Celebration.

We look forward to hosting you and your high school seniors at the *Disneyland*® Resort in May and June!

Sincerely,
2016 *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite Team



2016 Dates to Remember

March

- **March 15**
 - o Grad Nite online ticket store opens. Please note payment is due in full 45 days prior to your event date or your reserved tickets may be released to another school.

April

- **April 1-30**
 - o Place any outstanding Grad Nite ticket orders.
- **Early April**
 - o Chaperone information collection site link will be emailed to the Grad Nite chairperson. Please make sure all requested information is submitted 2-3 weeks prior to your event.

May

- **May 1-30**
 - o Grad Nite tickets and parking placards will be mailed to the Grad Nite chairperson's address we have in our records.
- **May 3**
 - o Email communication of final parking information and arrival to the *Disneyland*® Resort.
- **May 13**
 - o First Grad Nite 2016 event kicks off

June

- **June 17**
 - o Final Grad Nite 2016 event

Ticketing & Payment Information

Grad Nite Student Tickets

The cost of Grad Nite 2016 student tickets is \$86 per ticket with a minimum student ticket purchase of twenty (20) tickets. All students attending Grad Nite must be high school seniors. No exceptions.

All Grad Nite tickets include:

- Entry to *Disneyland*® Park and *Disney California Adventure*® Park during normal park operating hours on the date of your scheduled event.
- Admission and a wristband for the Grad Nite private event at *Disney California Adventure*® Park from 10:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m.
- Attractions (except arcades), select entertainment, character greetings, merchandise, and dining locations during the Grad Nite private event. Subject to change. Based on availability.

Grad Nite Chaperone Tickets

You will receive one (1) complimentary chaperone ticket for every twenty (20) student tickets purchased. In addition to what appears in your original ticket order, one (1) extra complimentary chaperone ticket will be added to your initial order. Chaperones must be at least 25 years of age and are expected to adhere to the same guidelines and rules as the students.

Additional chaperone tickets may be purchased at the regular Grad Nite admission price of \$86 per ticket. Please note that you will need to purchase additional chaperone tickets if your school district has a different chaperone to student ratio than *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite event guidelines.

Annual Passports & Other Admission Tickets

Annual Passports and other complimentary or paid admission tickets are not valid for Grad Nite 2016. However, *Disneyland*® Resort Annual Passholders may use their Annual Passport for various merchandise and food & beverage discounts during the private event and during mix-in hours.

How to Order Tickets

Ticket purchases for Grad Nite 2016 will take place online. The online ticket store link will be emailed to the main contact email address we have on file. Please use your unique Grad Nite ticket code included in your ticketing email. This unique code includes your school name, event date and number of tickets that were submitted on your application. Because each group will have a unique code, please do not share this information with other groups. If you have not received this email by March 16, 2016, please contact us at dlr.grad.nite@disney.com.

As a reminder, tickets will not be available for purchase on site the day of the event. **Grad Nite tickets are non-refundable, so please order as accurately as possible.**



Keep Your Tickets Safe

It is very important to safeguard your ticket media once it is received. Treat your tickets like you would cash. Tickets are not replaceable if lost or stolen. If your Grad Nite tickets are lost or stolen, replacement tickets may be purchased, but you will not be reimbursed for the value of your lost tickets. No exceptions.

Forms for Payment

Acceptable forms of payment include credit card, cashier's check, organizational check, or money order drawn on a U.S. bank payable to "Disney Destinations, LLC" and forwarded by registered mail, return receipt requested, to:

Disneyland Resort Ticket Sales and Services
190 Center Street Promenade, WFB-TC
Anaheim, CA 92805

Ticket Payment Deadline

Payment for Grad Nite tickets is due 45 days in advance from your group's event.
If payment is not received in full by this due date, we will release your Grad Nite tickets.



Ticket Payment Schedule

For your reference, below is the payment schedule for each Grad Nite 2016 date. Please plan to order any school/organization checks with enough lead-time to meet the payment due date.

Grad Nite Date	Payment Due Date <i>(45 days in advance of visit. *Actual day is on a Saturday or Sunday)</i>
Friday, May 13	Tuesday, March 29
Saturday, May 14	Wednesday, March 30
Wednesday, May 18	Friday, April 1*
Friday, May 20	Tuesday, April 5
Saturday, May 21	Wednesday, April 6
Monday, May 23	Friday, April 8
Wednesday, May 25	Friday, April 8*
Tuesday, May 31	Friday, April 15*
Wednesday, June 1	Friday, April 15*
Thursday, June 2	Monday, April 18
Friday, June 3	Tuesday, April 19
Saturday, June 4	Wednesday, April 20
Tuesday, June 7	Friday, April 22*
Wednesday, June 8	Friday, April 22*
Thursday, June 9	Monday, April 25
Friday, June 10	Tuesday, April 26
Saturday, June 11	Wednesday, April 27
Wednesday, June 15	Friday, April 29*
Friday, June 17	Tuesday, May 3

Additional Ticket Orders

Additional Ticket Orders

Additional ticket orders will be accepted as long as your total Grad Nite ticket order does not exceed your originally requested ticket quantity and all orders are complete 45 days in advance of your Grad Nite event. Tickets will not be available for purchase on the day of the event.

Wristbands

All students and chaperones attending Grad Nite 2016 will receive a wristband on the day of their event following completion of our backstage security screening and entry point. Wristbands will not be mailed out in advance.

Receiving Your Tickets

Once ticket orders have been verified and full payment for your tickets has been received, all tickets, meal vouchers, gift cards, and parking placards will be mailed out to the mailing address we have on file.

Upon receiving your ticket media, it is your responsibility to verify there are no discrepancies to your ticket order.

Please verify the following information:

- Tickets received have the correct Grad Nite 2016 event date printed on them
- Student and chaperone tickets were received
- Quantity of student and chaperone tickets is correct. Please count each ticket individually. The barcode numbers printed on your tickets are not always in numerical order.
- Separate out bus parking vouchers and chaperone driven vehicle parking vouchers.
- If requested as part of your ticket order, verify meal voucher and gift card values and quantities are accurate.

If there are any discrepancies to your ticket order, please call Ticket Sales and Services at 714-520-7053 during their business hours of 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (PST), closed on weekends and major holidays.

All ticket media discrepancies must be brought to the attention of Ticket Sales and Services within five (5) business days after receiving the ticket media. If our office does not hear from your group within this time frame, it will be assumed your group received the correct number of Grad Nite tickets.

Missing Ticket Orders

If you have paid for your tickets in full and it is less than 2 weeks before your Grad Nite date, please call the Ticket Sales and Services Office at 714-520-7053 during their business hours of 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (PST).

Chaperone Information

It is your responsibility as the Grad Nite Chairperson, to share this handbook with all of your chaperones attending Grad Nite 2016. As a reminder, all chaperones must be at least 25 years of age.

As a chaperone for Grad Nite 2016, you are an integral part of the magic and can help us ensure a memorable and safe night for your graduating seniors. Here are some tips on how you can help us:

Prepare for the Magic—Pre-Arrival

- As a suggested guideline for schools, students who have been recommended for expulsion or who have had serious disciplinary action are not considered “students in good standing” and therefore should not be permitted to participate in Grad Nite 2016. It is the responsibility of the school to determine that all students participating in Grad Nite are in good standing prior to arrival.
- Confirm all students attending Grad Nite 2016 are members of your school/organization and are graduating high school seniors.
- Schools/organizations are responsible for conducting their own thorough security and dress code screening prior to arrival at the *Disneyland*® Resort. Make sure students adhere to appropriate Dress Code Guidelines and do not have any prohibited items (see pages 18-20)
- The Grad Nite backstage screening entry point will open at published park hours on each Grad Nite date. Park hours are posted approximately six (6) weeks in advance on Disneyland.com. **All Grad Nite groups must arrive to the backstage screening entry point by 9:30 p.m. on all Grad Nite dates.**
- We recommend creating a roster of all students and chaperones attending Grad Nite 2016 and conducting a roll call prior to departing for Grad Nite and upon departing from the *Disneyland*® Resort after the event.
- Determine a communication plan for the Grad Nite chairperson, chaperones and bus drivers to contact each other if needed.
- Pack cell phone charging cables and mobile chargers to bring to the event.
- Chaperones may not bring their children to Grad Nite. Please plan an alternate care method for your children while chaperoning Grad Nite 2016. No exceptions.
- In April, the Grad Nite chairperson will receive an email with a link to our chaperone information collection site. We will be collecting the following information from your group: Arrival and transportation plans, name and cell phone numbers of day-of chaperones. Cell phone numbers should be of those chaperones who will physically be at the Grad Nite event. Each group must provide a minimum of two (2) day-of chaperones with the ability to add up to ten (10).
- We expect all chaperones to make supervising their students their number one priority while at Grad Nite. If a *Disneyland*® Cast Member calls a Chaperone, we expect them to answer and to assist us immediately.



Protect the Magic—Upon Arrival

- Regardless of arrival time, Grad Nite 2016 participants will make their initial entry to *Disney California Adventure*® Park using the backstage security screening area.
- It is the school group's responsibility to ensure that all students and chaperones attending Grad Nite arrive at the *Disneyland*® Resort sober and without prohibited items (including drugs or alcohol and outside food and beverages) in their possession. We expect schools to conduct thorough bag checks and student screenings prior to allowing students to board the buses for Grad Nite. Please review the *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite Policies & Expectations on pages 11-12 carefully.
- Following the completion of our backstage security screening, students and chaperones with a valid Grad Nite ticket will be issued a wristband.
- All students attending the Grad Nite 2016 private event from 10 p.m.-2 a.m. at *Disney California Adventure*® Park must have a valid Grad Nite 2016 ticket and wristband to enter.

Enjoy the Magic—On the Day of the Event

- A Grad Nite Cast Member will be available at the West Esplanade Information Booth (located outside the Park guest screening tents) between 1 p.m.-10 p.m.
- If you require assistance during the Grad Nite private party (10 p.m.-2 a.m.), please visit the Chamber of Commerce on Buena Vista Street inside *Disney California Adventure*® Park.
- Throughout the event, chaperones must remain on property with access to their cell phones. During the private Grad Nite event, chaperones are required to stay inside *Disney California Adventure*® Park and supervise the behavior and activity of their students.
- A small quantity of mobile device charging lockers are available on Buena Vista Street for a minimal fee should you need to charge your cell phone during the event and did not bring a mobile charger. While some of these lockers have basic charging cables for the most popular cell phones in the current market, it is highly recommended you bring your own charging cable(s).
- **Chaperones may not purchase alcohol while visiting for Grad Nite.**
- Chaperones may enjoy attractions and entertainment with their students during the Grad Nite private event. Please note chaperone wristbands may not be used as a FASTPASS® ticket to attractions. All chaperones must wait in standard attraction queues with students.
- While there is no designated chaperone headquarters for 2016, we encourage chaperones to take breaks as necessary and utilize some of our higher capacity seating areas listed below. (Availability is subject to change)
 - o Paradise Gardens in Paradise Pier
 - o Fiddler, Fifer & Practical Café in Buena Vista Street
 - o Smokejumper Grill in Grizzly Peak
 - o Flo's V8 Café in Cars Land

With your help, we can carry on the legacy of Grad Nite at the *Disneyland*® Resort! Thank you for your cooperation in advance.



Disneyland® Resort Grad Nite Policies & Expectations

It is the school's responsibility to ensure that all students and chaperones attending Grad Nite arrive at the *Disneyland*® Resort sober and without drugs, alcohol, and other prohibited items in their possession. We expect schools to conduct thorough bag checks and student screenings before allowing students to board buses for Grad Nite. Similar to the security screening process for all *Disneyland*® Resort guests, students and chaperones should expect bag checks and random magnetometer screenings in our backstage screening area.

In partnership with the Anaheim Police Department, we will also be conducting screenings for banned substances. Screenings will include bag searches and the use of drug-sniffing canines. If bag searches and/or the drug-sniffing canines indicate the presence of an illegal substance, we will ask the subject chaperone or student for permission to conduct a pat-down search.

If any banned substances are found on the bus or in the possession of a student or chaperone, the matter will be turned over to the Anaheim Police Department for further action. Schools/groups that violate this policy are subject to be banned from future Grad Nite events. Remember, attending Grad Nite is not a right, it's a privilege.

Chaperones are expected to provide responsible adult supervision both during the day and evening hours of Grad Nite 2016. Therefore, chaperones may not consume alcoholic beverages during their visit to the *Disneyland*® Resort for Grad Nite 2016. Chaperones violating this policy will not be allowed into the Grad Nite private event and may jeopardize future Grad Nite invitations for their school.

All students attending Grad Nite must be graduating high schools seniors and in good standing with their school. It is expected that each student and chaperone attending Grad Nite 2016 has his/her own Grad Nite ticket media. Tickets are not transferable.

Children of chaperones and/or students will not be allowed into the private event. If a student or a chaperone is seen with a child during the private party, they will be asked to leave—no exceptions. Please leave all children at home.

To ensure a safe and enjoyable experience for all Grad Nite attendees and other park guests, please respect the following rules.



Excessive celebratory behaviors that can be interpreted by other guests as intimidating and/or disruptive are prohibited at the *Disneyland*® Resort and during the Grad Nite event:

- Groups walking and/or running in locked arms (this can appear threatening to other guests and is also a safety concern in impacted areas).
- Group chanting of any kind including yelling at high volumes in attraction queues.

The following behaviors and activities are not tolerated at the *Disneyland*® Resort:

- Inappropriate touching or physical aggression of any kind.
- Failure to comply with the request from a Disney Cast Member (our Cast Members are trained to direct our guests for optimal safety and to comply with our standards of conduct).
- Inappropriate language (including profanity) and disruptive or offensive behavior. For your safety and that of others, please refrain from running.
- Theft or vandalism.
- Line jumping/cutting in attraction queues.
- Failure to comply with attraction safety rules.
- The distribution of printed or recorded materials of any kind.
- Photography, videotaping or recording of any kind of commercial purposes.
- Feeding any animals in the park, including birds.

The following items are prohibited for all Grad Nite attendees (students & chaperones):

- Alcoholic beverages or any illegal substances.
- Glass containers of any size or type.
- All outside food and liquids including water bottles.
- Weapons of any kind, or objects that appear to be weapons.
- Laser pointers or other items deemed potentially harmful or disruptive.
- Smoking, vaping and electronic cigarettes.
- Selfie sticks (hand-held extension poles for cameras and mobile devices).
- Suitcases, coolers or backpacks with or without wheels, larger than 24" long x 15" wide x 18" high.
- Large tripods.
- Recreational devices such as drones, remote control toys, skateboards, scooters, inline skates, shoes with built-in wheels.

If a chaperone witnesses inappropriate student behavior, we ask that the chaperone notify a *Disneyland*® Resort Cast Member immediately. If a student or chaperone is expelled from the *Disneyland*® Resort or Grad Nite 2016, it is the responsibility of the school official(s) to dismiss the student or chaperone from the *Disneyland*® Resort property.

For complete listed of not permitted items:

<https://disneyland.disney.go.com/faq/parks/permitted-items/>

As a chaperone for your group, please be aware of any and all medications your students are bringing with them to the *Disneyland*® Resort as it will be subject to inspection. Physician prescribed marijuana is prohibited. Medication needing refrigeration may be stored at *Disney California Adventure*® Park First Aid.

Transportation & Arrival Procedure

We want to ensure that your arrival to the *Disneyland*® Resort goes as smoothly as possible. It is very important that the Grad Nite chairperson shares the following information with their bus driver or other driver(s). Final transportation information will be communicated to you in early May via email. When you receive this final information, please provide all drivers of all your vehicles with copies of driving instructions. As a reminder, all school groups must arrive together unless you've made previous arrangements with the Grad Nite team due to a school event conflict (e.g. band, CIF tournament, etc.).

School Bus, Private Bus

- NEW – All vehicles must enter the *Disneyland*® Resort Grad Nite entry point on Disneyland Drive and Downtown Drive.
- Your school's vehicle placard (to be mailed out approximately 2 weeks prior to your event) must be visibly placed in the front windshield of the vehicle entering through this location or entry will be denied.
- Once granted entry, vehicles should drive along the designated route and prepare to temporarily park and have students/chaperones disembark.
- Chaperones should make sure each student has a student Grad Nite ticket and chaperones have a chaperone Grad Nite ticket in hand prior to disembarking the bus.
- Prepare to leave behind or dispose of all outside food and beverages prior to disembarking the bus/van.
- We ask at least one chaperone trail behind their students to make sure all students have completed the backstage security screening and have successfully entered *Disney California Adventure*® Park.

Chaperone Driven Vehicles

- In addition to the guidelines listed above under School Bus, Private Bus or Large Vans, smaller groups (less than 30 students total) arriving to the Grad Nite backstage entry point in chaperone-driven vehicles must have at least one (1) chaperone riding along who can disembark with the group and ensure all students proceed through the security screening and enter into *Disney California Adventure*® Park.
- The chaperone driven van/vehicle will then be rerouted to park at the Mickey & Friends parking structure.
- Chaperones dropping off vehicles at the Mickey & Friends parking structure can pick up a wristband from the West Esplanade Information Booth between 1 p.m.-10 p.m. Please be prepared to show your Grad Nite ticket to verify participation.

Airport Shuttles, Taxis, Other Vehicle Drop-offs

- Smaller groups (less than 30 students) may use an alternate method of transportation and be dropped off in our backstage screening area via taxi, airport shuttle or other transportation method, as long as the group arrives together with the appropriate parking placard (to be mailed out approximately 2 weeks prior to your event).
- Please make sure your shuttle or taxi driver has your group's vehicle placard clearly visible in the front windshield of the vehicle prior to approaching the Grad Nite entry point on Disneyland Drive and Downtown Drive.
- All shuttles/ taxis must arrive in close proximity of each other and have a chaperone in the lead and end vehicles. The security screening cannot begin without the entire group and chaperones present.

NEW – Walking from a Local Hotel

- Just added for 2016, groups staying at local hotels within walking distance must bring their entire group (all chaperones and students) to the pedestrian entrance located on Katella Avenue just east of the Anaheim Convention Center crosswalk.
- All students and chaperones must have a valid Grad Nite ticket in hand before entry will be granted through this gate.
- Prepare to leave behind or dispose of all outside food and beverages prior to entering this location.
- Once granted entry through this pedestrian gate, students and chaperones will walk the designated route to the backstage security screening entrance.
- We ask at least one chaperone trail behind their students to make sure all students have completed the backstage security screening and have successfully entered *Disney California Adventure*® Park.



Event Departure

At the end of the Grad Nite private event, all student and chaperones will exit the *Disney California Adventure*® Park Main Entrance and board trams to the Mickey & Friends Parking Structure. Groups walking back to their hotel may exit west toward *Downtown Disney*® District or east toward Harbor Blvd.

If your group has arranged to attend the *ESPN Zone* or *House of Blues* Anaheim Post-Grad Nite Breakfast in the *Downtown Disney*® District, please remember to keep volume levels down while walking through the *Downtown Disney*® District and be courteous to our guests staying at *Disney's Grand Californian*® Hotel & Spa.

For more information regarding the *ESPN Zone* Post Grad Nite Breakfast, please call the *ESPN Zone* Sales Team at 714-300-3776 or for *House of Blues* Anaheim, please call Lisa-Marie Ebright at 714-520-2364 or email LisaMarieEbright@livenation.com.

ADA shuttles are available for guests with mobility concerns. Please see a *Disneyland*® Resort Transportation & Parking Cast Member for questions and assistance locating your bus.

Student Information

Prepare for the Magic—Prior to Arrival

- If you have any questions regarding Grad Nite prior to event, please contact your Grad Nite chairperson and he/she will contact the *Disneyland*® Grad Nite Office.
- On the day of your Grad Nite event, only take with you the things you really need and leave everything else at home.
- Make sure you are following the Dress Code Guidelines and Prohibited Items list on pages 18-20. Anyone not adhering to the *Disneyland*® Resort Dress Code Guidelines or Prohibited Items list will be delayed and/or denied admission to the event.

Enjoy the Magic—On the Day of the Event

- Students must arrive together with their chaperones and group.
- Students may not arrive in student-driven vehicles under any circumstance. No exceptions.
- Once Grad Nite tickets are distributed by your chaperones, please have your individual ticket in hand as you come through our backstage security screening.
- Upon successful completion of the backstage security screening, a Main Entrance Cast Member will place a wristband on your wrist.
- Do not lose the wristband and park ticket for the duration of the mix-in park hours and the Grad Nite private event. This wristband identifies that you are able to stay for the Grad Nite private event.
- A Grad Nite Cast Member will be available at the West Esplanade Information Booth (located outside the Park guest screening tents) between 1 p.m.-10 p.m. should you need to get a hold of your chaperone.
- During the Grad Nite private event from 10 p.m.-2 a.m., students who need to contact a chaperone may stop by Chamber of Commerce on Buena Vista Street inside *Disney California Adventure*® Park and speak with a Guest Relations Cast Member who will contact a chaperone from the school.



LOCKER RENTALS

Lockers are available for rental while space is available. Locker fees range from \$7 to \$15 depending on locker size. While there are lockers available for use in *Disneyland*® Park, we encourage students and chaperones attending Grad Nite to use the lockers located in either the Main Entrance Esplanade or *Disney California Adventure*® Park on Buena Vista Street.

Grad Nite attendees will not have access to *Disneyland*® Park lockers during or after the Grad Nite private event. If you choose to use the lockers at *Disneyland*® Park, please remember pick up your items before entering the private party at *Disney California Adventure*® Park.

STUDENT ILLNESS

If a student becomes ill during the private Grad Nite event between 10:00 p.m.–2:00 a.m. and needs to depart early, a chaperone for the student must fill out an early release form available at the Chamber of Commerce on Buena Vista Street.

The early release form must be filled out by the chaperone of the school/organization releasing the ill student and parent/ guardian picking up the student.

Pickup arrangements must be made by the school/organization and parent/guardian of the student. A chaperone is required to escort the student out of *Disney California Adventure*® Park to meet and hand off the ill student to the parent or guardian.

If a student becomes ill during the mix-in park hours, please have them visit the First Aid location at *Disneyland*® Park or *Disney California Adventure*® Park.

LOST AND FOUND

If you lose items during the Grad Nite private event, please check with a Guest Relations Cast Member at Chamber of Commerce on Buena Vista Street. If following your Grad Nite event you realize items were lost or left in a locker, please contact *Disneyland*® Resort Lost & Found at 714-817-2166 from 10:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m. daily. Guests under age 18 must have parent or guardian permission to call.

WHEELCHAIRS AND ECVS

We encourage that you bring your own wheelchairs/ECV (Electronic Convenience Vehicles) if needed. *Disneyland*® Resort wheelchairs are available on an extremely limited basis for students and chaperones.



DIETARY RESTRICTIONS

Outside food and beverages are not permitted at Grad Nite 2016. Please leave all outside food and beverages behind. Vegetarian options are available at most restaurants. Inquire at time of purchase. Kosher meals are also available at select locations. For more information about special dietary requests: <https://disneyland.disney.go.com/guest-services/special-dietary-requests/>

NON-SMOKING POLICY

The Grad Nite private event at *Disney California Adventure*® Park is a completely non-smoking event. No guests, regardless of age, will be allowed to smoke at any time during the Grad Nite private event inside the park.

Please note that vaping products and electronic cigarettes are also prohibited. Please make sure to communicate this to your group. If chaperones wish to smoke, they will need to exit through the Main Entrance. Chaperones will need their admission ticket and wristband to re-enter the Grad Nite private party.

GRAD NITE PRIVATE EVENT

All students and chaperones attending the Grad Nite private event must be inside *Disney California Adventure*® Park by 10:00 p.m. At 10:00 p.m., the gates to *Disney California Adventure*® Park will be closed and no students attending Grad Nite will be allowed in or out without chaperone consent.

On certain nights, *Disneyland*® Park will remain open longer than *Disney California Adventure*® Park, even after the Grad Nite private event has begun. Please make sure all students and chaperones are inside *Disney California Adventure*® Park by 10:00 p.m. to ensure not a moment of their private event experience is missed. Park hours will be available on *Disneyland.com* six weeks in advance of your event date. Please make sure to check regular park hours before arrival to plan your trip.

You will receive a special Grad Nite event guide upon arrival to our backstage screening location.



DRESS CODE GUIDELINES

The *Disneyland*® Resort Dress Code Guidelines and Prohibited Items list have been established to ensure a safe event for all our guests. It is ultimately the school's responsibility to ensure that all students and chaperones adhere to the *Disneyland*® Resort Dress Code Guidelines upon arrival.

Attire that is not appropriate for the theme parks (and which may result in refusal of admittance or ejection) includes but is not limited to:

- Costumes may not be worn by guests 14 years of age or older
- Masks may not be worn by guests 14 years of age or older (unless they are for medical purposes)
- Clothing with objectionable material, including obscene language or graphics
- Excessively torn clothing or loose fitting clothing which may drag on the ground and create a potential trip hazard
- Clothing which, by nature, exposes excessive portions of the skin that may be viewed as inappropriate for a family environment
- Clothing with multiple layers are subject to search upon entry
- Visible tattoos that could be considered inappropriate, such as those containing objectionable language or designs
- Bare feet

Exception: Attire intended to identify those wearing it is acceptable (e.g., military uniforms, cultural attire)

Please note: Some individual schools' dress code policies may be stricter than that of the *Disneyland*® Resort. We highly suggest that all schools/organizations conduct their own Security and Dress Code screening prior to departure and arrival at the *Disneyland*® Resort for faster and smoother processing once at the Main Entrance.

Disneyland® Resort Security has the right to refuse admission to anyone they deem inappropriately dressed.

DISNEYLAND® RESORT GRAD NITE PROHIBITED ITEMS LIST

- Pets (Service Animals are permitted and must be wearing an identifying assistive companion vest; pets may be kept at the on-site kennel)
- Wagons
- Skateboards
- Scooters (motorized and non-motorized)
- Inline skates
- Shoes with built-in wheels
- Tricycles, Unicycles, Motorcycles, Bicycles
- Pogo sticks
- 2-wheeled vehicles, including Segway™ Human Transporters
- Strollers larger than 36" x 52"
- Suitcases, backpacks or similar bags with wheels
- Suitcases, backpacks or similar bags larger than 18" wide x 25" high x 37" deep (the size of our large rentable lockers)
- Any trailer-like object that is pushed or towed by an ECV, wheelchair or stroller
 - o Note: Guests are not permitted to pull items behind them. Any item that requires a Guest to pull it behind him or her, including a stroller, is not permitted into the theme parks.
- Coolers larger than 6-pack sized are not permitted into the theme parks.
 - o Note: Guests can store coolers up to 18" wide x 25" high x 37" deep in rentable large lockers located outside the *Disneyland®* Park Main Entrance. Lockers are not refrigerated and availability is limited. Guests who need to refrigerate medication may do so at First Aid.
 - o Exceptions may be made for special dietary or religious needs.
- Alcoholic beverages
- Any illegal substances
- Folding chairs, with the exception of cane-chair and seat-walker mobility aids
- Glass containers, with the exception of baby food containers, medicine or small perfume bottles (under 4 oz.)
- Costumes on guests older than age 9.
- Water pistols, toy guns and replica weapons, with the exception of those sold in the *Disneyland®* Resort
- Sporting goods or equipment (e.g., baseball bats, helmets, hockey sticks, golf clubs, bows and arrows, camping equipment, chairs, stools, tables and Frisbees)
- Weapons of any kind (including guns, knives, billy clubs, brass knuckles, nunchucks, stars and other martial arts equipment)
- Self-defense equipment (pepper spray, mace, stun guns)
- Restraining devices (e.g., handcuffs, zip ties) or any suspicious items (e.g., box cutters, razor blades, duct tape, wire)

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- Remote control toys
- Drones
- Items that may be disruptive (e.g., laser pointers, slingshots, stink bombs, air horns)
- Selfie sticks (hand-held extension poles for cameras and mobile devices)
- Cremated remains (e.g., urns, vases, boxes)
- Miscellaneous other items (tools, fire extinguishers, musical instruments, megaphones, pots and pans)
- Professional cameras and recording equipment, except folding tripod stands that can fit inside a standard backpack (reporters must make prior arrangements with *Disneyland*® Resort Media Relations). Standard DSLR cameras are okay.
- Weapons or accessories that appear to be weapons (e.g., bullet belts)
- Sharp or pointed accessories that may cause injury
- Masks or makeup that could be construed as part of a costume
- Tobacco products including electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes) and vaping products
- Markers of any type
- Laser pointers



EXCEPTIONS & EARLY RELEASE

If your Grad Nite group plans to depart from the Grad Nite private event early, please head straight to the *Disney California Adventure*® Park Main Entrance with all students and chaperones from the group and your entire group may depart early. As a courtesy, please indicate your group's early departure when you receive the chaperone information collection form link in April.

If a student needs to leave the private Grad Nite event prior to 2:00 a.m., please request an Early Release Form the night of your event from a Guest Relations Cast Member at the Chamber of Commerce on Buena Vista Street.

Early Release Forms can be completed anytime during the Grad Nite private event by a chaperone. Pickup arrangements will have to be made by the school/organization and parents. A chaperone is required to escort the student out of the park to meet the parent/guardian.

PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

There will not be a Parent/Guardian Acknowledgement Form to be filled out for Grad Nite 2016. However, we encourage the Grad Nite chairperson to openly share our behavior expectations and policies with parents/guardians of students attending Grad Nite.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Merchandise

Be sure to earmark this special occasion with our graduation-themed merchandise created for the class of 2016. Merchandise available while supplies last at most merchandise locations throughout the parks. Some restrictions may apply. Information is subject to change without notice. Please note: If paying with a debit/credit card, the student's identification card must match the name on the debit/credit card. Debit/credit cards from a parent/ guardian will not be accepted as a form of payment.

Disney Gift Card

The Disney Gift Card is a great way to enhance your students' experience at Grad Nite. Disney Gift Cards are convenient and can be used to purchase merchandise and much more throughout the Resort. Gift cards can be loaded and reloaded with any amount starting from \$5. The Disney Gift Card also makes the perfect graduation gift. They are available online in \$25, \$50 and \$100 denominations. Please visit disneygiftcard.com for more information about the Disney Gift Card program.

Disneyland Mobile App

Make your visit more magical by downloading the official app for the *Disneyland*® Resort! See attraction wait times, browse maps, locate your favorite characters, and much more. Download the complimentary mobile app on the Apple app store or Google Play.

Disney *PhotoPass*® Service

Disney *PhotoPass*® Service presents grads with a convenient way to capture treasured moments. Download the official Disneyland mobile app to find Disney *PhotoPass*® photographers at our parks.

Disney College Program

Whether you're college bound or planning your next career step, opportunities for an experience of a lifetime are waiting for you in the Disney College Programs at the *Disneyland*® Resort. In this unique paid internship experience, participants have the opportunity to take classes, network with leaders of a world-renowned entertainment company and gain transferable skills that will build and enhance their resume. Check out DisneyCollegeProgram.com for more information and to apply.

Disney Auditions

Check out DisneyAuditions.com for a chance to have the time of your life as a performer at one of our Theme Parks, Resorts or cruise ships! As one of the largest live entertainment companies in the world, we cast both seasoned and aspiring performers alike, so there is a spot for just about everyone.

Disney Careers

Do you have aspirations of working at the *Disneyland*® Resort? Find more information about job openings and internships on DisneyCareers.com!



CONTACT INFORMATION – AT A GLANCE

Grad Nite Office

For general inquiries and questions regarding your Grad Nite event:

Phone: 800-232-7980

Email: dlr.grad.nite@disney.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday–Friday from 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m. (PST)

Closed Saturday, Sundays and Holidays

Ticket Sales & Services

For questions regarding ticket orders and ticket discrepancies:

Phone: 714-520-7053

Fax: 714-520-7097

Hours of Operation:

Monday–Friday from 8:30 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (PST)

Closed Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays

***Disneyland*® Resort Group Getaways**

The *Disneyland*® Resort Group Getaways department can assist your youth group with all your travel needs. Airfare, transportation, lodging, meals and other area attraction tickets can be booked for your group of 10 or more rooms. Choose to stay with us in one of the Hotels of the *Disneyland*® Resort and also enjoy the shopping and dining of the *Downtown Disney*® District.

Phone: 714-520-5004

Email: DLR.Disney.Group.Getaways@disney.com

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