



LAGRONE
— A C A D E M Y —

Commencement Ceremony

Class of 2022

University of North Texas Coliseum

May 26, 2022 at 3 p.m.



Principal

Marcus Bourland

Assistant Principal

Barbara Sides

Counselors

Amy Williams, School Counselor

Susan Reyes, Career Counselor

2022 Senior Class & Student Council Officers

Crystal Coreas, President

Michael Preciado, Treasurer

Rea Brittian, Secretary

Kambry Cazier, Historian

Commencement Program 2022

Processional “Pomp & Circumstance”	by Sir Edward Elgar
Opening of Commencement	Marcus Bourland Principal
Pledge of Allegiance	Michael Preciado 2022 Senior Class & Student Council Treasurer
National Anthem “The Star Spangled Banner”	by Francis Scott Key Recording by the United States Army Band
Introductions of Distinguished Guests	Crystal Coreas 2022 Senior Class & Student Council President
Faculty Recognitions	Kambry Cazier 2022 Senior Class & Student Council Historian
Senior Address	Megan Stuart, Class of 2022 Salutatorian Molly Mayfield, Class of 2022 Valedictorian
Teacher Address	Rachel Bradford LaGrone Academy Teacher
Testimonial Video	Produced by LaGrone Academy Audio Video Production
Principal’s Address and Presentation of Graduate Candidates	Marcus Bourland Principal
Certification of Graduates	Dr. James K. Wilson, III Superintendent
Changing of the Tassel	Rea Brittian 2022 Senior Class & Student Council Secretary
Alma Mater	by Lance and Kaitlyn Candler Recording by DHS Choir
Recessional “Procession of Nobles ”	by Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov

Candidates for Graduation 2022

Ademola Soga Adewale
Joshua Mitchell Andrey
Mackenzie Grace Applin
Cassandra Raye Baker
Alexander James Berg
Johnny Jeremy Bersley
Zachary Alexander Bettilyon
Austin Johnny Bocanegra
Thomas Robert Bradfield
Rea Zan Brittian
Mason Reed Burnett
Alexa Carolina Campuzano
Alexa Michelle Carranza Escott
Christopher Osmir Carrera Athayde
Estefania Berenice Castro
Kambry Elisa Cazier
Crystal Azucena Coreas
Grace Nicole Cox
Gabriella Rayce Dains
Matthew Paul Dankesreiter
Emily Allison DeWitt
Nina Catherine Flanigan
Caden Michael Fluhart
Lathan Russell Freeman
Mary Lee Loera Garcia
Jensyn Marie Geiser
O'jan Sebastian Gonzalez
Madison Anne Hartman
Astrid Fallon Hurd
Mackenzie Leigh Johnson
Avery Michelle Kaplinsky
Emma Dawn Kolb
Brianna Denise Larkin
Giho Lee
Bethany Leon
Jason Tyran Lewis

Jackson Scott Lowery
Cesar Tadeo Martinez Chapa
Rayna Louise Marusich
1 Molly Elizabeth Mayfield
Kamron Ja' Coy-Wayne McFadden
Joseph Rockwell McFall
Christian Thomas Miller
Kathryn Ann Neff
Makayla Renee Owens
Austin Ray Perez
Yayetzi Perez Vela
John Phan
Severson James Pixton
Michael Vincent Preciado
Anson Liam Renteria
Matthew Tyre Robinson
Adrian Salvador Rodriguez
Betzy Britany Rodriguez
Nathan Isaiah Rosales
Corbin Donny Rose
Morgan Abbigail Rowan
Dyoselynn Daniela Ruiz
Jayson Enrique Sanchez
Isabella Anjali Simpson
Piper Ann Smith
Scarlett Corine Smith
Landon Nicholas Sprabeary
Daniel Aaron Stolt
2 Megan Audrey Stuart
Stephanie Torres
JoseLuis Valenzuela
Jenna Lynn Van Guilder
Samantha Ann Vasquez
Payton Bryce Ward
Dakota Lee Weber
Jacob Ryan Wilson

Alma Mater

*To the school we love so dear
That taught us ne'er to fear,
The lion did engrave
Be confident and brave.
Orange and gray you will always be
A place of love and family.
We'll forever loyal be
to LaGrone Academy!*



Mission Statement

It is our mission to foster
a responsive learning environment
focused on the needs of each unique student,
to promote achievement of college/career
readiness and life goals,
while keeping social/emotional needs
and our love for the student
at the very heart of our values and beliefs.



What We Value

Loving Students First

The central purpose is to connect with students.

Building Respectful Relationships

Treat students like adults when they act like adults.

Appreciating Uniqueness

Champion differences.

Ensuring College/Career/Life Readiness

Application of learning is not optional.

Teaching Critical Thinking

Teach students to be self-directed in thinking and learning.

Listening to Students

Students demonstrate capacity for remarkable ideas when we ask and listen.



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*Congratulations to the **Class of 2022!***



*Empowering lifelong learners to be engaged citizens
who positively impact their local and global community.*

Photos taken during the graduation ceremony today
are available at www.flickr.com/photos/dentonisd/albums

The students speaking at today's event 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 reflect the endorsement, sponsorship, position, or expression of the District.