

# Randolph College 2025 Commencement Schedule

## Friday, April 25, 2025

4:30 PM–6:00 PM **Senior Cocktail Reception** – *Randolph House*  
Graduates only. Photo ID required for alcohol. First shuttle to depart Main Hall at 4:25 PM; additional parking next door at First Christian Church. Dress: Cocktail attire/Jacket and tie

## Saturday, May 10, 2025

10:45 AM **Seniors Meet for Daisy Chain** *Moore Hall Stairs*  
(*Rain Site: Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre*)

11:00 AM–11:30 AM **Daisy Chain** *Moore Hall Stairs* (*Rain Site: Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre*)

12:00 PM–1:00 PM **MACSL Graduate Recognition Ceremony** *Smith Memorial Building, Alice Ashley Jack Room*

1:30 PM – 2:30 PM **Phi Beta Kappa Initiation Ceremony** *Smith Memorial Building, Alice Ashley Jack Room*  
Initiation ceremony for initiates and their guests.

2:30 PM–4:00 PM **MAT & MEd Awards Ceremony** *Wimberly Recital Hall*

3:00 PM–4:00 PM **Intercultural Baccalaureate** *Houston Memorial Chapel*

4:30 PM–6:00 PM **Garden Party** *Student Center and Michels Plaza*  
Celebration for Master's degree students, undergraduates, families, and guests with the College President, administration, and faculty. Dress: Cocktail attire.

## Sunday, May 11, 2025

6:30 AM–8:00 AM **Breakfast** *Cheatham Dining Hall*  
A continental style breakfast will be available for purchase; no reservations required.

7:45 AM–8:45 AM **Commencement Rehearsal** *Tennis Courts* (*Rain Site: Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall*)  
Participation is **mandatory for graduates and squires**. Graduates should come dressed and ready for Commencement. Cap, gown, and hood should be readily available. Please eat breakfast before rehearsal, as you will not have time afterward

8:45 AM **Commencement Procession Forms** *Graduates lined-up on the Tennis Courts*  
(*Rain Site: Smith Memorial Building, Smith Banquet Hall*)

8:50 AM **Commencement Procession Begins**

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM **Commencement** *WildCat Stadium* (*Rain Site: Smith Memorial Building, Smith Hall Theatre*)  
[Livestream](#) | [Digital Program](#) (PDF – available Friday evening)

10:30 AM–1:00 PM **Commencement Brunch** *Cheatham Dining Hall*  
A buffet brunch is available for purchase; no reservations required. The College will provide brunch free of charge for all graduates.

11:00 AM–1:00 PM **Hood Return** *Main Hall Lobby*  
Undergraduate hood return will be in Main Hall Lobby. Hoods are available for purchase for \$35.00.

6:00 PM **Residence Halls Close** for the summer (No exceptions)