

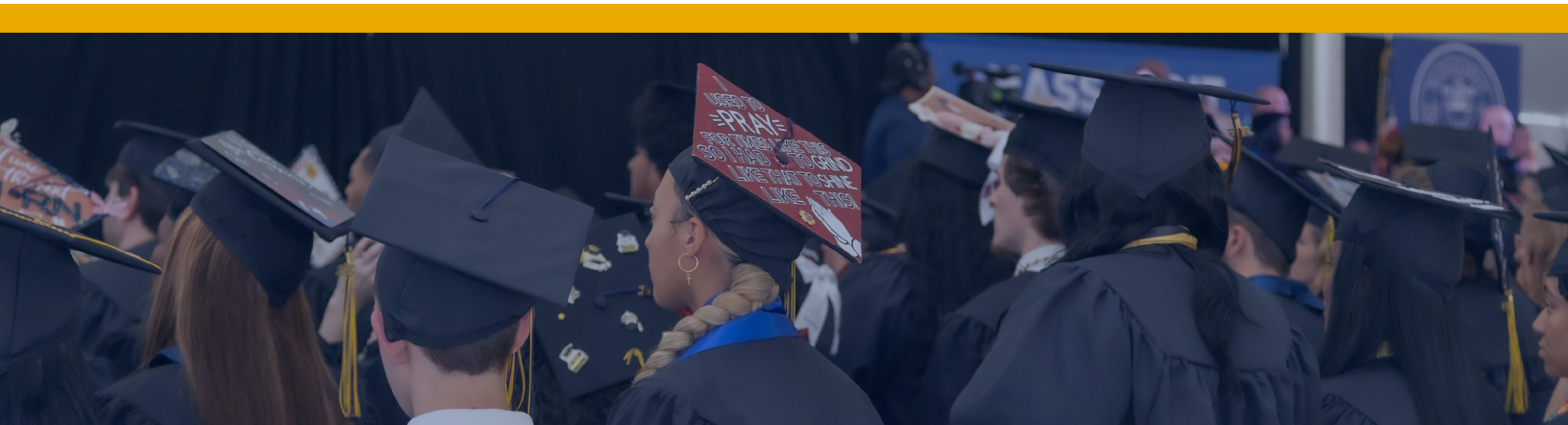


# MASSASOIT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Class of 2024  
Commencement Information  
for Graduates

Ceremony:  
May 23, 2024  
11:00 am

[massasoit.edu/commencement](https://massasoit.edu/commencement)



# Commencement Information for Graduates

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[www.massasoit.edu/commencement](http://www.massasoit.edu/commencement) as necessary.*

## **Commencement Ceremony**

Thursday, May 23  
Graduates check-in at 9:30 am  
Ceremony begins at 11:00 am  
under the tent beside the Asiaf Field House

## **Caps & Gowns**

Order Online  
[massasoit.shopoakhalli.com](http://massasoit.shopoakhalli.com)  
or



**Orders Due by April 28**

## **Tickets**

Tickets and invitations to Commencement may be picked up in the Dean of Students Office, Brockton Campus beginning April 29.

## **Mandatory Rehearsal**

Wednesday, May 22 6:00 pm  
Brockton Campus under the tent beside the Asiaf Field House

## Commencement Day Information

- Commencement day check-in is in the **Field House gym at 9:30 am**. Please wear comfortable shoes, as you will be standing while waiting to process.
- You will be given a card with your name on it, and your name will be announced on stage as it appears on the card.
- Cords of recognition (gold for highest honors 3.90 or higher\*; red, white & blue for veterans) will be **provided at check-in at the Field House** on the morning of commencement.
- All diplomas will be mailed to graduates **6-8 weeks** from the Commencement.
- Faculty marshalls will lead the procession lines and direct you to your seat. **Please follow the person ahead of you.**
- You will be asked to proceed row by row to the stage, where you should hand your card to the reader.
- At the end of the ceremony, faculty, staff, trustees, and the platform party will form a recessional on the walkway to congratulate graduates, weather permitting.
- For those unable to be on campus, the ceremony will be streamed live. A link to the live stream will be on the College home page, **massasoit.edu**, on the day of Commencement.

\* For Board-certified programs.

# Commencement Information for Guests

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## **ADA Disability-Related Accommodations**

ADA Disability-related accommodations/special seating for graduates and/or guests should be made in advance by contacting Dr. Ruben Barato, Vice President for Student Affairs & Enrollment Management at (508) 588-9100, ext. 1415 as soon as possible. There will be closed captioning on the livestream of commencement, and ASL interpreters will be on site.

## **Gifts Available for Purchase**

The Massasoit Alumni Association will be selling floral bouquets across from the tent. A portion of the proceeds will go towards Massasoit Alumni Association scholarships.

## **Photography**

A professional photographer will take several photographs of graduates receiving their diplomas. There is no obligation to purchase. Graduates can register their email address prior to commencement to receive a discount off their purchase(s). Visit [gradimages.com](http://gradimages.com), click on pre-registration, and type Massasoit to get the registration page.

Scan here to register for your photos:



Massasoit's Commencement Ceremony will be photographed and video recorded. Images captured during the event may be used for College marketing and promotional purposes.

# Parking and Event Information

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## **Bags & Strollers**

Large bags, backpacks, and containers will not be allowed in the immediate Commencement area. Members of the community requesting access with these items will be asked to voluntarily return the items to their vehicle or be denied access to the event.

Strollers are not permitted in the tent area. Guests will be asked to leave strollers outside of the tent entrance.

## **Parking**

All parking lots will be open for use, except for Lot 1. Carts will be available for transportation to and from the parking lots for those guests needing assistance.

**A post-graduation reception will be held on the green  
between the Field House and the Student Center  
immediately following the ceremony.**

# Now that you're a college graduate... Let's get you to work.

All Massasoit alumni are eligible for career services. Career Services provides students with internship and job preparation assistance. Students can schedule an appointment for any of the following:

- Resume Review
- Cover Letter Review
- Finding an Internship
- Job Search Strategies
- Effective Interviewing
- Creating a LinkedIn Profile
- Networking

For more information, or to set up an appointment visit [massasoit.edu/careerservices](https://massasoit.edu/careerservices).



## Handshake

All Massasoit students have access to Handshake, a free service to help you find the jobs that you're looking for and make it easy for employers to recruit you.

Students, to get started on Handshake, please follow these two steps:

1. Navigate to [app.joinhandshake.com](https://app.joinhandshake.com).
2. Select Massasoit Community College from the dropdown list

The rest of the activation and on-boarding will be explained once you've activated your account.



## Congratulations on all of your accomplishments!

# *Congratulations Class of 2024!*



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