Important December 2025 Graduation Information – 10/6/2025 – Vol. 1

Congratulations! This is a Celebration of your Academic Success!

Ceremony Date and Times:

Location:

 Walter Sillers Coliseum (located on the North side of the campus, West of Kent Wyatt Hall)

• Ceremony Times:

- o Friday, December 12th
- o 10 am ALL Graduate students
- 2 pm All Undergraduate students

Summer 2025 Graduation Participation:

- Degrees for all Summer 2025 graduates have been conferred. The \$50 Graduation fee, along with any applicable late application fee, was assessed to your student account on July 25, 2025.
- If you planned to participate in the commencement ceremony but have since decided not to walk, please email the Registrar's Office at registrar@deltastate.edu.

Fall 2025 Graduation Application and Fees:

- The final deadline to apply for the Fall 2025 semester was October 1st. If you missed the deadline, you will need to apply for the Spring 2026 semester. If you need to make any changes to your application, contact the Registrar's Office at registrar@deltastate.edu. Anyone who has applied for graduation during the late application period (July 2nd-Oct 1st) will be responsible for paying the \$50 late graduation application fee.
- The graduation fee of \$50 and the late application fee of \$50, if applicable, will be applied to your student account on Friday, December 5th. You can pay these fees on or after this date. All fees are payable to Delta State University, Student Business Services, Kent Wyatt Hall #131, Cleveland, MS 38733. Please include your student ID# with payments, or you can make a payment through your MyDSU Online Portal. Fees must be paid for you to receive your diploma.
- If graduation requirements will not be completed by the end of the Fall 2025 semester, contact the Registrar's Office via email (registrar@deltastate.edu) to inactivate or move your application by Friday, November 21st. If your name is not removed from the graduation list by the deadline and if you do not meet graduation requirements, you will be responsible for reapplying for graduation and paying the \$50 fee for that application as well.

Immediate Next Steps:

• Commencement Participation Survey

If you are going to be walking in the ceremony, you must complete the Commencement Participation survey prior to picking up your tickets. Click on the link below or scan the QR code to access the survey.

Fall 2025 Graduation Participation Survey: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JZ88VGB



• Purchase of Regalia

- If you intend to participate in the commencement ceremony, you must purchase regalia from the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore (located in the Union). Students will keep their entire regalia package. You will not be allowed to participate in the ceremony unless you are wearing regalia.
- You can purchase your regalia by clicking on the following link: https://gradsupply.com/dsu/
- The deadline for ordering online is 11:59 PM CT on Wednesday, October 29, 2025. After online ordering closes, you may visit the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore starting Wednesday, November 19th to purchase a limited number of extras if you did not order online. A \$25 late fee will be assessed for all regalia sales after the October 29, 2025 deadline.
- Students may visit <u>www.gradsupply.com/student-orders</u> to request a refund before midnight on Sunday, November 2, 2025. After November 2, 2025, all regalia purchases are final.
 - Cost of regalia:
 - BACHELOR PACKAGE \$62.98 incl. tax (Purchase includes cap, gown, and tassel)
 - MASTER/SPECIALIST PACKAGE \$119.98 incl. tax (Purchase includes cap, gown, tassel, and hood)
 - **DOCTORAL PACKAGE** \$190.98 incl. tax (Purchase includes a tam with tassel, gown, and hood)
 - Prices above do not reflect the additional \$25 late fee that will be added to ALL orders placed after the October 29th deadline or the \$20 fee that will be added to SHIP-TO-HOME orders.
 - All orders become non-refundable after the November 2nd refund request deadline.
 - The graduation fee of \$50 <u>DOES NOT</u> include regalia fees. Your regalia will not be ordered until payment for the regalia has been received.
 - Regalia Distribution:
 - IF YOU CHOOSE IN-STORE PICK-UP: Your regalia order will be ready for pick-up starting Wednesday, November 19, 2025, in the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore.
 - IF YOU CHOOSE SHIP-TO-HOME: Your regalia order will be shipped to you during the week of November 14, 2025.
 - IF YOU DID NOT ORDER BY THE OCTOBER 29TH, 2025 DEADLINE: You will need to visit the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore starting November 19, 2025 to purchase your regalia from a limited number of extras. A \$25 late fee will be assessed at that time.
 - Questions/Concerns about regalia Please contact the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore by phone at 662-846-4640 or by email at SM8031@bncollege.com.

• Name or Address Information Changes

If you have moved or have had a legal name change since you applied for graduation, complete and return the Name/Address Change Form (click here).

Graduation Announcements

Graduation announcements may be ordered through the Jimmy R. Williams Bookstore.