GRADUATION INFORMATION

Summer 2021

GRADUATION APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

- Please click on the link below for the graduation application.
  - Graduation Application
    - Please complete the required fields

  - To pay the graduation application fee, click on the link below.
    - Graduation Application Fee

A 3.0 VSU Graduate GPA is required to graduate.

Graduation Requirements by Program Below

Elementary Education
- Complete graduation application
- Must have a 3.0 GPA to graduate

Curriculum and Instruction in Accomplished Teaching
- Complete graduation application
- Recommended to attempt the GACE for Curriculum and Instruction prior to graduation for certification purposes OR submit GACE Registration/Admission Ticket to cmarshall@valdosta.edu by the last day of classes in your graduating semester
- Must have a 3.0 GPA to graduate
- Key assessments, which are completed within your course work (EDAT 6000 and EDAT 6001)

Middle Grades Math and Science
- Complete graduation application
- Must have a 3.0 GPA to graduate

Teacher Leadership
- Complete graduation application
- Must have a 3.0 GPA to graduate

Checking Your Graduation Application Completion Status

You should receive a copy of your completed graduation application via DocuSign once all signatures are completed.

When you pay the graduation application fee online, you will receive an electronic receipt.
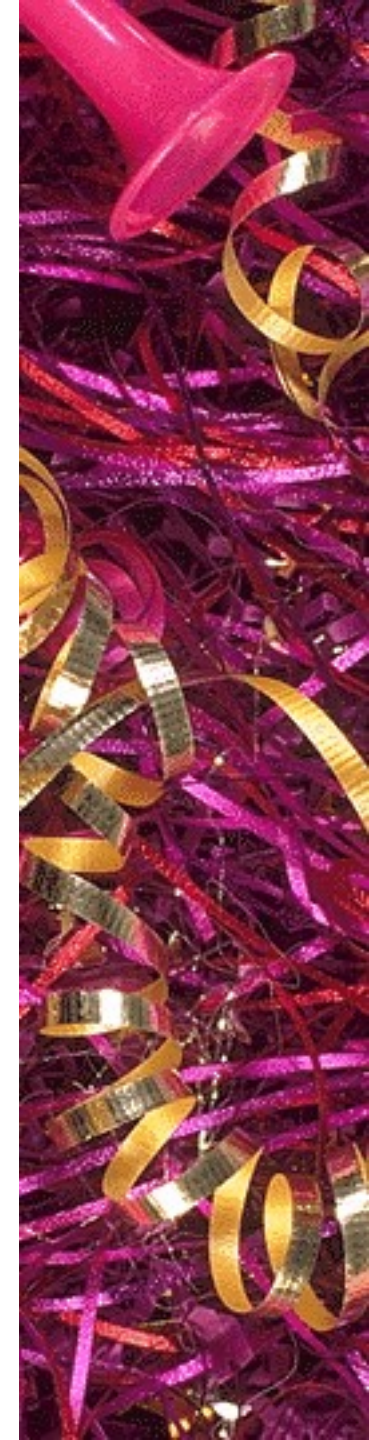
Checking Your Graduation Application Completion Status in DegreeWorks

Please allow for 2 weeks before checking on the completion status of your graduation application.

You can check on the completion status of your graduation application via the steps below:

- o Login in to MyVSU
- o Bottom right hand corner click on the word DegreeWorks
- o Under your name, look for the words Applied to Graduate
- o By the words Applied to Graduate you will see the semester and year

If you are able to see the applied to graduate and semester and year in DegreeWorks then your graduation application has been processed.

NAME CHANGE

- If your name has changed, below is the link to the name change paperwork.
    - [Name Change Form](#)

GRADUATION CEREMONY INFORMATION

- Commencement Ceremonies are only held spring and fall semesters

  - [Upcoming Commencement Dates](#)

  - Summer Graduation Candidates

    - Participate in the fall commencement ceremony

    - If summer graduation candidates meet certain stipulations, candidates can request to participate in the spring graduation ceremony.

      - [Early Walking Procedures Information](#)

QUESTIONS

- For questions regarding the graduation application, please email me (cmarshall@valdosta.edu).