

## **SELECTION OF CLASS VALEDICTORIAN AND SALUTATORIAN**

Inasmuch as the School Committee believes that designating a student as class valedictorian or salutatorian is an important and significant academic honor, the committee establishes the following criteria for assigning these titles:

1. The class valedictorian shall be the senior student with the highest-class rank, as determined by policy IKC, Determination of Class Rank, who meets all other requirements defined herein.
2. The class salutatorian shall be the senior student with the second highest class rank, as determined by policy IKC, Determination of Class Rank, who meets all other requirements defined herein.
3. To be considered for the designation as class valedictorian or salutatorian, a student must complete their final four semesters at Hull High School.
4. In the case of the two qualified, highest ranking students having equal class rank, the student with the higher GPA calculated for only honors and AP courses (or their equivalent) taken at Hull High School shall be designated valedictorian and the second student as salutatorian. If the two students have equal GPA's calculated in this manner, then the two students shall be designated as co-valedictorians.
5. In the case of the two qualified, second highest ranking students having equal class rank, the student with the higher GPA calculated for only honors and AP courses taken at Hull High School shall be designated salutatorian. If the two students have equal GPA's calculated in this manner, then the two students shall be designated as co-salutatorians.

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