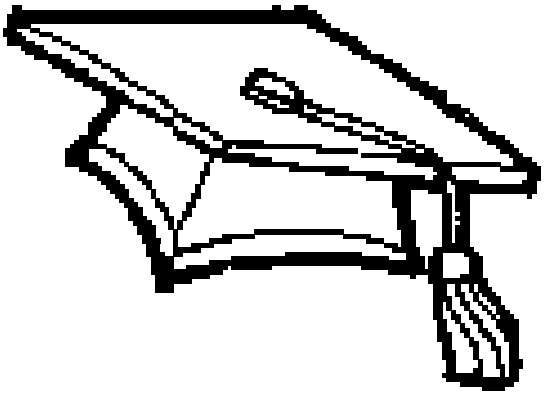
Attention Graduates!
August and December 2012 Graduates and
Candidates for May 2013 Graduation



CONGRATULATIONS! The Bluegrass Community and Technical College Graduation Activities Committee would like to invite you, your family and friends to participate in the graduation activities for 2013. For your reference, we have put together the following schedule of events related to the graduation activities.

Credentials

Credentials will not be issued at the ceremony. They will be mailed to the address indicated on the application for graduation approximately six to eight weeks after the ceremony.

Rehearsal

In preparation for the graduation ceremony, please plan to attend the graduation rehearsal on **Friday, May 10, 2013, 1:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. at Alltech Arena.** The Alltech Arena is located at the Kentucky Horse Park at 4089 Iron Works Parkway. Directions are located at the link below:
http://kyhorsepark.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=610&Itemid=336
Free parking is available. Your attendance at rehearsal will ensure a smooth commencement ceremony.

Caps and Gowns/Invitations

All students participating in the ceremony will need to purchase a cap, gown and tassel. These items may be purchased at the BCTC Bookstore located at either the Leestown or Cooper Campus. The cost will be $46.98 plus tax. The caps, gowns and tassels will be available in the bookstore beginning April 1, 2013.
Information regarding the purchase of invitations will also be available in the bookstore or available online at www.herffjones.com/college.

Ceremony

The commencement will be held on **Sunday, May 12, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. at Alltech Arena.** The arena is located at the Kentucky Horse Park at 2089 Iron Works Parkway. Directions are located at
http://kyhorsepark.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=610&Itemid=336
Admission tickets are not issued to the commencement. It is free and open to family, friends, and the public. Free parking is available.

Photographs

Professional photographs will be taken at the commencement ceremony, and various packages are available. You are under no obligation to order photographs and no money is required unless you place an order. Information on photograph costs will be available at rehearsal. Personal photographs and videos can be made during the ceremony in designated areas only.

Attention Federal Student Loan Borrowers

You must complete exit loan counseling. Exit counseling can be completed online at https://studentloans.gov. If you have questions regarding exit loan counseling, please contact the Financial Aid Office at (859) 246-6200 or email your question to BL_FinancialAid@kctcs.edu.

If you have any questions concerning graduation activities feel free to contact the Registrar's Office at (859) 246-6200.