

Class Rankings

In the interest of encouraging and recognizing outstanding academic achievement, a valedictorian and a salutatorian will be selected for each graduating class. A student taking a modified class will not be considered for Valedictorian or Salutatorian. Any student receiving a Modified Diploma, Honorary Diploma or Alternative Diploma will be exempt from consideration for Valedictorian or Salutatorian. The valedictorian and salutatorian will be selected according to the following procedure:

1. The valedictorian will be the student with the highest grade point average as computed at the end of seven semesters of high school work.
2. The salutatorian will be the student with the second highest grade point average as computed at the end of seven semesters of high school work.
3. In case of a tie for valedictorian, co-valedictorians will be honored. In case of a tie for salutatorian, co-salutatorians will be honored.
4. To be eligible for valedictorian or salutatorian honors, a student must be enrolled at Monroe High School the last three of the first seven semesters.
5. The exception to #4 above would be a student who attended their 10th grade at Monroe High School and who was enrolled for the 11th grade school year in a pre-approved exchange program. The student must be able to provide documentation that could be interpreted/adjusted to our grading policy.

END OF POLICY

Legal References

Leslie Short v. Donald L. Grotting and Powers School District No. 31, Case No. 00CV-0255
(Coos County Circuit Court) (June 1, 2000)