

*Richard O. Jacobson Technical High School*

# 2025

# Graduation



*"Success is a journey, not a destination."  
- Arthur Ashe*



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Richard O. Jacobson Technical High School at Seminole

**Class of 2025**

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**Graduation Program**

Processional ..... *"Pomp & Circumstance"*

Pledge of Allegiance.... Melissa Campbell, Ed.D., Assistant Principal

National Anthem..... *"The Star-Spangled Banner"*

Introduction of Guests.....Joshua Wolfenden, Principal

Salutatorian ..... Melissa Campbell, Ed.D., Assistant Principal  
Andjela Mrkela, Salutatorian

Introduction of Class President.....Joshua Wolfenden, Principal

President of Senior Class ..... Alexander Moore

Greetings from..... Melissa Campbell, Ed.D., Assistant Principal

Valedictorian..... Melissa Campbell, Ed.D., Assistant Principal  
Victoria Frye, Co-Valedictorian

Conferring of Diplomas .....Joshua Wolfenden, Principal &  
Melissa Campbell, Ed.D., Assistant Principal

Graduate Name Readers

Anita Thompson, Commercial & Digital Art  
Vincent Volpe, Construction Technologies and Electricity  
Ronald Flowers, Game Simulation & Programming  
Alex Vaughn, Marine Mechanics  
Kristine Petrulis, Nursing  
Kelsey Carvajal, Veterinary Sciences

Presentation of Diplomas .....Joshua Wolfenden, Principal

Recessional



## Honors Status

Students must earn the following cumulative weighted grade point averages (not rounded) to qualify for honors status.

**Summa Cum Laude** GPA greater than 4.0

**Magna Cum Laude** GPA greater than 3.8  
but less than or equal to 4.0

**Cum Laude** GPA greater than or equal to 3.5  
but less than or equal to 3.8

**With Distinction** GPA greater than or equal to 3.25  
but less than 3.5

### Our Philosophies

WE Act with Integrity

WE Use Our Words Responsibly

WE Never Give UP

WE Are Making 599 Friends

WE Are Investing in OUR Future

WE Are ... **TECH HIGH**

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# Commercial & Digital Art

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**Kawliga Lynn Caulfield**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Sabrina Jaden Colombo**

*Cum Laude*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Sophie Grace Davis**

*Cum Laude*

*National Technical Honor Society*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Victoria Lynn Fleming**

*Summa Cum Laude*

*Talented 20*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Damaris Garcia-Vega**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Avery M. Growe**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Cheryssa Helmick****Jorden Matthew Holmes****Ava Horsch**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Emma Hubbard**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Joshua Elias Hunt**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*Take Stock Scholarship*

**Austin Malinak**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Sofia Martino**

*Magna Cum Laude*

*Talented 20*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Olivia Tobias McEarchern**

*Distinction*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Haley Virginia Muto**

*Magna Cum Laude*

*Talented 20*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Lina Nguyen**

*Cum Laude*

*National Honor Society*

*National Technical Honor Society*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Kathy-Anne Penick**

*Magna Cum Laude*

*Talented 20*

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**Joseph Anthony Pirrello**

*Cum Laude*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Isabella Rose Reck****Lexie Marie Sanchez**

*Distinction*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Sierra Schall**

*Cum Laude*

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Jillian Elizabeth Stammel****Santiago Vargas Lopez**

## Construction Technologies

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**Braylon Bates**  
*Distinction*

**Jack Jerichow**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Brady Patrick Knapp**

**Jacob Leopold Mason**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Logan Michael Shane May**  
*Cum Laude*  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Ethan Pruitt**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Philip Wright Tromble**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Kaison Albert Welch**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

## Electricity

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**Julia Rose Beaulieu**  
*Summa Cum Laude*  
*Talented 20*  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*  
*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Mason Gamache**  
*Distinction*  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*  
*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Jared Pichardo Galvez**

**Zyan Jamaal Saunders**  
*Talented 20*  
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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**James Joseph Seman**

## Game & Simulation Programming

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**Hailey Pearl Allen**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Greyson Charles Ames**  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Noah Adam Balaity**  
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**Aden Bear**  
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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

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**Novalie Rae Gobel Lamberty**  
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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

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*Distinction*

**William D. Lemoine**  
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## Marine Mechanics

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**Alex Bell***Cum Laude**State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation***Tyler Hayden Fick***State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation***Gavin Howard Lewis***Distinction**State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation**State of Florida Scholar Designation***Alexander Robert Moore***Distinction**Senior Class President**National Honor Society**State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation**State of Florida Advanced Scholar Designation**State of Florida Scholar Designation***Jacob Owens****Ryan Jacob Redman***Take Stock Scholarship***Landon Whitenton**

## Nursing

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**Rylan Anderson**

*Distinction*

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**Cloey Barthemes**

**LaGia Chanell Biglow**

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**Violet Blue Bornfleth**

*Cum Laude*

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*Take Stock Scholarship*

**Hamza Chafchaoui**

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*Distinction*

*National Honor Society*

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*Distinction*

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*Summa Cum Laude*

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*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**LaNeise Shatara Garcia**

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**Taylor Gatlin**

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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Olivia McGlone**

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**Chloe Medina**

**Phoenix Cole Perry**

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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

**Mackenzie Schwab**

## Veterinary

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**Isabella Alvarado Molinaro**

*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

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*National Honor Society*  
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*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

**Hannah Hayden**  
*Magna Cum Laude*  
*Talented 20*  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

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*State of Florida Scholar Designation*

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*Cum Laude*

**Desiree McIver**  
*Distinction*  
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*National Honor Society*  
*State of Florida Merit Scholar Designation*

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**Andjela Mrkela**  
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## **Pledge of Allegiance**

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America,  
and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God,  
indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

## **The Star-Spangled Banner**

*By Francis Scott Key, 1814*

O say can you see by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous  
fight  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there,  
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?





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