

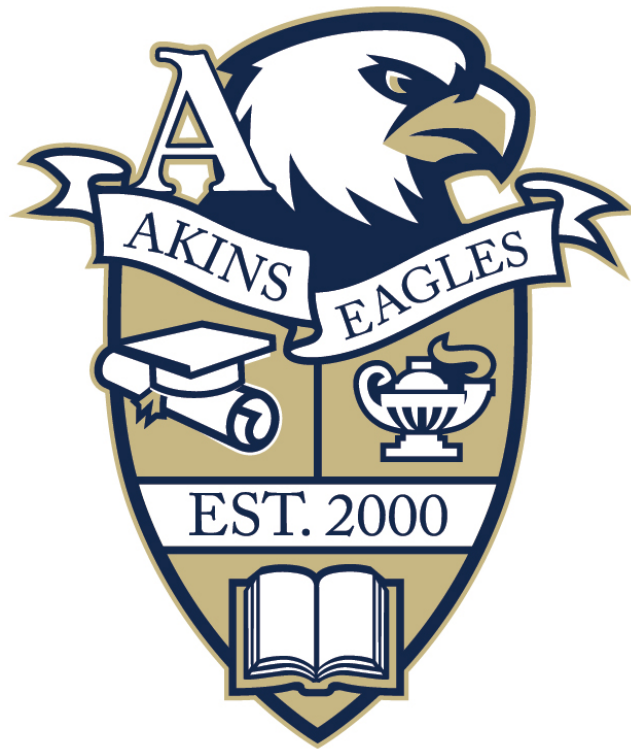
Commencement

OF THE

W. CHARLES AKINS EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL

AUSTIN, TEXAS

2024 – 2025



BURGER ACTIVITY CENTER

Monday Evening

8:00 P.M.

June 2, 2025

COMMENCEMENT

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Processional – <i>Pomp and Circumstance No. 1</i>	Edward Elgar
Welcome	Michael Herbin, <i>Principal</i>
The Pledge of Allegiance.....	Akins Senior
The Pledge to the Texas Flag.....	Akins Senior
<i>The Star Spangled Banner</i>	Francis Scott Key.....Akins High School Choir
Introduction of Honored Guests and Superintendent.....	Michael Herbin, <i>Principal</i>
AISD Trustee’s Address	Andrew Gonzales, <i>Trustee District 6</i>
Superintendent’s Address.....	Matias Segura, <i>Superintendent</i>
<i>Homeward Bound</i>	Brant KarrickAkins ECHS Band & Choir
Farewell Address to Class of 2025.....	Michael Herbin, <i>Principal</i>
Salutatorian Address.....	Salutatorian
Valedictorian Address.....	Valedictorian
Certification of Graduates and Awarding of Diplomas	AISD Board of Trustees
Alma Mater.....	Akins ECHS Band
Recessional – <i>British Eighth</i>	Zo Elliott

(Audience will remain seated for the recessional)

PRINCIPAL

Michael Herbin – Principal

ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS

Carman Deleon-Wissel, Karla Reyna Olvera, Gabriella Rodriguez, Ruben Sarinana,
Ernesto Segura, Melinda Van Horn, Tyson Williams

COUNSELORS

Margarita Moreno – Lead Counselor
Jaime Garcia, Christine Hankins, Jennifer Moczygemba,
Lara Noack, Karina Reyna, Victoria Rask

SENIOR ADVISORS

Griselda Lopez – College and Career Advisor
Hamza Bouderdaben - Post-Graduation Advisor
Cladianis Soto – Project Specialist

REGISTRARS

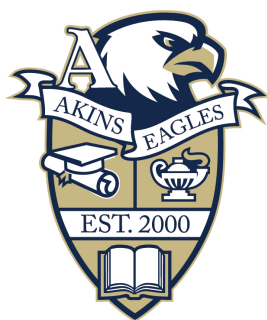
Raquel Martinez and Patricia Ballin

ACADEMY COORDINATORS

Gibran Flores Fonseca, Ann Hartsfield, Juan Martinez-Esqueda, Kyle Monk,
Adina Ramirez, Kasey Roebuck, Loraine Tijerina

School Song

New found wings form bonds
And soon we are gone
Though the years will come and go
We shall sing our song;
Loyal eagles we will be
Wings spread gracefully
Taking flight from Akins High
Our love will ne'er die.



BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Matias Segura

#AISDProud of our #AISDGrads

The listings of the students in the program under Highest Honors, Higher Honors, and High Honors, are based on the class rank that was calculated at the end of the 2024 Fall semester.

The students speaking at this event were selected to speak based on neutral criteria. Unless otherwise indicated, the content of each student speaker's message is the private expression of the individual student and does not reflect the endorsement, sponsorship, position, or expression of the District.