

Policy of the Lancaster Board of Education

Students

**LANCASTER COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
VALEDICTORIAN/SALUTATORIAN**

The valedictorian and salutatorian will be determined after a student's seventh semester. The student with the highest grade point average will be valedictorian and the student with the second highest grade point average will be salutatorian.

In cases of ties, the following guidelines will be used:

1. If two students tie for valedictorian, they will be co-valedictorians with no salutatorian.
2. If three or more students tie for valedictorian, the student with the highest ACT score will be the valedictorian and the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest will be the salutatorian.
3. If two or more students tie for salutatorian, the student with the highest ACT scores will be salutatorian.

To be eligible for consideration for the Valedictorian/Salutatorian all candidates must attend Lancaster High School for at least three (3) consecutive semesters immediately preceding the determination of the top ranked student.

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