

**Greater Albany SD 8J  
Board Policy**

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**Participation in Graduation Commencement Exercises**

Participation in graduation commencement exercises shall be made available to the following students:

1. Students who have met all requirements for graduation and are receiving a diploma;
2. Students identified as special education students who have met the requirements indicated in their individual education program and/or the regular requirements of the district;
3. Senior students who have spent a year in an Albany High School as foreign exchange students under an approved program;
4. Students that the principal, in consultation with the building administrators, approves to participate in the graduation ceremony though not receiving a diploma and not qualified under special education programs when the causes for not meeting the requirements are beyond the student's control.

All other students earning certification of competence, credits and/or attendance shall receive the documents of certification individually in a manner determined by the building principal.