Story Starters



Notes:

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Caps & Gowns

Interview Questions:

With whom did you go to order your cap and gown? Who measured you for your cap and gown? Who paid for your cap and gown? Who will get your cap and gown ready for graduation? Who in your family also had a school cap and gown you could borrow?

What part of your cap and gown is most important? What did you order at the time you ordered your cap and gown? What do you plan to do with your cap and gown once you graduate? What do you plan to wear under your graduation gown? What do you think your parents and your sibling(s) will say when they see you in your cap and gown? What special tassels or cords do you and what do they represent?

When did it first occur to you that you would be graduating and need a cap and gown? When did you order your cap and gown?

Where will you put on your cap and gown before graduation?

Why do you feel the graduation ceremony and the gap and gown tradition is important to finalizing your high school education?

How did you feel while being measured for your cap and gown? How much did you spend just on your cap and gown? How much did you spend on other graduation products? Describe how you feel in your cap and gown. How do you plan to personalize your graduation regalia?

Poll/Survey Question:

Did you order an extra tassel?

Yes

No

Photo Possibilities:

Measuring the tallest and shortest senior for their caps and gowns

Hanging the tassel on the rear view mirror of car

Seniors throwing their caps up in the air at graduation

Photos of seniors in their caps and gowns and showing what they wear underneath

Line of seniors in their cap and gowns

Photos of the graduation process

Module Ideas:

News feature story

Photo montage with caption quotes about the meaning of the cap and gown

Infographic of poll and survey results using a tassel as the illustration sized to reflect percentages *iostens*

Series of photos with seniors in and out of their caps and gowns

