

2025 Seniors Yearbook/ MEXICONIAN FALL DATES to remember:

HS FREE PORTRAITS DAY*	TUES	September 17th	8:00–2:45	HS Wrestling Room
SENIOR PACKET (3) DUE!	FRI	October 18	3 PM	Maidens mailbox in HS Main Office
HS RETAKE PHOTOS (FREE!)*	TUES	OCTOBER 29	7:45–12:00	HS Hungerford Library
Senior Panoramic	TUES	OCTOBER 29	7:45–8:00	Panoramic-Gym
Senior Class Breakfast	TUES	OCTOBER 29	8:05–8:20	Breakfast: Cafeteria
All HS Club & Groups Photos *	TUES	DECEMBER 10	8:00–2:45pm	HS Hungerford Library (snowdate 12/17)
SENIOR PHOTOS DUE!	FRIDAY	NOVEMBER 15	by 3 PM	send to: dmaidens@mexicocsd.org
YB BABY ADS DUE	FRIDAY	FEBRUARY 7	by 3 PM	send to: dmaidens@mexicocsd.org

3 SENIOR YB packet ITEMS TO BE RETURNED by 10/18/24:

- 1- ☐ **Senior PORTRAIT** • Go to 1 of 3 HS sessions- OR SUBMIT YOUR OWN PRO photo **DUE BY: NOVEMBER 15th**
- 2- ☐ **Senior Quote:** • SPELL CHECK • FULL NAME ON IT • hit SAVE/ RETURN IT **DUE BY: OCTOBER 18**
ADMINISTRATION CHECKS THEM ALL! *ONLY APPROVED MACS HS SCHOOL APPROPRIATE QUOTES WILL BE USED-
- 3- ☐ **Senior Directory:** • FULL NAME ON IT • SAVE/RETURN IT **DUE BY: OCTOBER 18**
The complete list that exhibits all of your HS RELATED accomplishments- do not list jobs....
- 4- ☐ **Superlatives:** • JUST RETURN IT TO MR MAIDENS HS MAILBOX **DUE BY: OCTOBER 18**
Vote for senior classmates (B&G) -A student's name can only be used in ONE category- so think hard who is really most deserving!

- 5- ☐ **Baby Ad: (Optional)** Remind parents: *See baby ad info sheet in packet **DUE BY: FEB 7th- 2025**
PAID ADs purchased by parents- Prices are still: •1/4 page @ \$100 •1/2 page @ \$180 •Full page @ \$360

MEXICONIAN YEARBOOK

SENIOR QUOTE for:

Type your ***“school appropriate and meaningful”*** quote below-
30 words or less... it’s a quote- not a short story!

- **ABSOLUTELY NO links/references to outside internet related sources allowed-**
- * **ANYTHING DEEMED UNAPPROPRIATE OR DEROGATORY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!**
No second chances for disobeyers! Admin checks them all!

DISCLAIMER: the MEXICONIAN staff has the right to REFUSE anything deemed NOT school appropriate

**Any/all controversial/questionable quotes will carefully be reviewed by HS Administration -*

MEXICONIAN YEARBOOK SENIOR DIRECTORY LIST

PRINT YOUR FULL NAME
no nicknames!

FIRST- CIRCLE ALL YOUR ACTIVITIES BELOW.... **THEN ...** WRITE ONE CLUB PER BOX TO ENSURE WE GET THEM ALL

NOTE: NO JOBS OR WORK RELATED ITEMS PLEASE...
JUST MEX HIGH SCHOOL SPONSORED CLUB/GROUPS

SPORTS: Specify **JV or Varsity** where applicable:

USE KEY: 9th grade: "1" 10th grade: "2"
11th grade: "3" 12th grade: "4"

DEADLINE BY: FRIDAY October 18- 2024 3pm

EXAMPLE: Soccer- JV1, V2, 3, 4

- National English Honor Society
- French Club/ & Honor Society
- German Club/ & Honor Society
- Spanish Club/ & Honor Society
- Concert Band, • Jazz Band
- Marching Band
- Concert Choir, • Select Choir
- Chorale • Women's Choir
- Color Guard
- National Honor Society
- Math Honor Society
- National Art Honor Society
- Business Club
- Abroad Travel • List year?
- Student Council
- Student Senate
- STEAM/ STEM Club
- Robotics Club
- Yearbook Club
- Class Officers: P, VP, SEC, TREAS
- Top 100
- GAPP
- JROTC
- Rocket Club
- OCAY League
- LOCY
- Mock Trial
- Library Club/ Book Club
- Battle of the Books
- AV Club
- Chess Club
- Tennis
- Football
- Soccer
- Swimming & Diving
- Powder Puff Football Jr/ Sr
- Basketball
- Cross Country (XC)
- Indoor Track/ Field
- Outdoor Track/ Field
- Wrestling
- Cheerleading- Fall/ Winter
- Volleyball
- Weightlifting- Winter/ Spring
- Baseball
- Softball
- Golf
- Lacrosse / LAX
- Unified Bowling/ Basketball
- SKI Club
- Variety Show
- Mexico Idol
- Drama Club
- Fall Theatrical Play
- Spring Musical
- Media Production
- CITI- (BOCES) WHAT CLASS?
- New Visions -WHAT CLASS ?
- SkillsUSA Competitor
- Friends of Rachel
- SADD
- LGBTQ
- AVID Program
- Anime Club
- KEY CLUB
- Creative Writing Club
- Creative Media Club
- Youth Advisory Council (YAC)

START
HERE:

**PLEASE ADD ANY OTHER
SCHOOL SPONSORED
CLUBS WE MISSED**

SAVE! Return to: D. Maidens' by: **10/18th** -HS Main Office Mailbox or email to: **dmaidens@mexicocsd.org**

YEARBOOK SENIOR BABY ADVERTISEMENTS

To place your OPTIONAL Senior's PAID BABY AD order, simply complete the form below...

Regardless if you submit photos or e-mail them- **PLEASE STILL FILL THIS OUT-**

**This form is our indicator/reminder to us to include your ad. Thanks!*

*** Make check payable to: • 2025 MEXICONIAN •**

Please drop off pics/\$ at HS Attendance Office - Use HS rear entrance, **or please mail to:**
David Maidens, YB Advisor- Mexico High School, Rm 125- 3338 Main Street, Mexico, NY 13114

OR: E-Mail your individual ".jpg/.jpeg format" photos to: **dmaidens@mexicocsd.org**

1- **Check Method of Payment:** I am paying with: **CASH** or **CHECK**

2- **Select/ Check-off the Desired Ad Size/ Price** **Same prices since 2006!*

1/4 page= \$ 100.00

1-6 pictures

aprx 35 words or less

1/2 page= \$180.00

6-10 pictures

aprx 60 words or less

FULL PAGE= \$360.00

no more than 20 pix!

up to 100 words aprx

3- **TOTAL # of PICS** _____ Total number altogether to be USED-

I am enclosing # _____

of LABELED Pictures to be scanned **(HINT:Return Address stickers work great!)*

I'm e-mailing # _____

digital pictures directly to your email-

TIP! • DO NOT WRITE ON THE BACK OF YOUR PICS WITH A BALL POINT INK PEN!

The scanner will reveal the pen creases you make by pressing down- Plus WET INK sticks /smears to the picture placed on top !

ALSO: Pics don't have to be baby photos- Use any age! Elem, middle or any good high school memories!

4- **✓- IMPORTANT!!!! Does the student know about this ad?**

(NO! They DON'T KNOW- SHHH! -It's a SURPRISE!)

Yes, the student DOES KNOW about this ad.)

** We can return photos to students who KNOW about the ad earlier, Or the SURPRISE ones are returned in June when the YB's come in*

5- **Student's Name:**

6- **Parent's Name:**

7- **Parent Email /text #:**

8- **FROM?** Love Mom, Dad and Zoey

****** We prefer that you e-mail it to: **dmaidens@mexicocsd.org** or: TYPE, spellcheck, print out a copy , and attach your message.

To avoid confusion- Please Indicate which student it is for- using their **REAL first /last names** on the form please-

Please try to keep it short/sweet- the more you add - the smaller the text size will become.

***The yearbook staff reserves the right to edit responses & REFUSE ANYTHING DEEMED NOT SCHOOL APPROPRIATE!**

Make sure your message is short- otherwise pictures will have to be made smaller

REMINDER HIT SAVE!!!! DID YOU:

Attach mailing address labels to all pics? **HINT: PUT all pics, this completed form, and check- in a zip-lock bag-**

Did you circle your ad size? Indicate- Surprise or not ? Sending OR emailing pics? Circle your payment method ?

PLEASE REMEMBER TO HIT SAVE TO LOCK IN YOUR DATA!



2025 SENIOR YEARBOOK PORTRAIT OPTIONS

MEXICONIAN HS YEARBOOK RULE!

By default- We will use everyone's FREE HS ID portrait from the free HS Portraits sessions
UNLESS... you email OR tell us you have a NEW SPECIAL **paid portrait being sent before mid NOVEMBER !**

YOU CALL & BOOK an **EARLYBIRD SUMMER SPECIAL** in: **July, August or Sept.**
and Your **SENIOR GOES TO THEIR STUDIO** or **Outside Locale!** **Discounts Vary between businesses!*

OPTION

1

PICK A PHOTOGRAPHER FROM OUR LATEST LIST

Call, schedule an appointment on your own!

*** SEE VENDORS LIST**
ON THE REVERSE SIDE
OF THIS SHEET

After your session- PLEASE
CALL, PICK, VERIFY YOUR
YEARBOOK PIC, and PAY!,
*then they release it to us!

2 FREE HS SESSIONS

BY: Isaf Merkur

OPTION

2

Even if you have a private
session **GO TO THIS ONE TOO!**

NEEDED FOR YOUR NEW HS photo ID
and as a backup to have a new pic on file!

HS PORTRAIT DAY
- TUESDAY -
SEPTEMBER 17th

HS WRESTLING ROOM
7:50AM – 2:45PM

**HS portraits RETAKES DAY &
SENIOR PANORAMIC PHOTO!**
- WEDNESDAY -
OCTOBER 29th

senior panoramic: **7:50AM** in GYM
retakes: HUNGERFORD LIBRARY
8:15AM – 12:00PM ONLY!

OPTION

3

**I'M USING MY OWN
EXPERIENCED PHOTOGRAPHER-**
MAKE SURE THEY SEND US YOUR PHOTO!
Following the rules/guidelines
from this **2 page** instructional sheet

www.mexicocsd.org > schools > High school >
QUICK LINKS > PHOTOGRAPHER SPECS



PHOTOGRAPHER is WAITING FOR **YOU**
to CHOOSE your YB appropriate shot, and Pay!
PLEASE! Have the photographer send yourself and
CC me a copy! **THIS WAY** there is NO MIX UP
or wrong # photo accidentally sent/ selected...
BELIEVE ME! IT HAPPENS-

make sure your photographer **emails** it to: **dmaidens@mexicocsd.org** ←

PHOTOGRAPHER LIST

FOR MEXICO ACADEMY SENIORS 2025 V.6

Krista Petti

Facebook: www.Facebook.com/KristaPetti

Instagram: @picturesbykrista

Phone: 315-409-6246

Email: kp.photosbykrista@gmail.com

MACS HS's **NEW SCHOOL PORTRAITS DAY Vendor!**

Isaf Merkur

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isafmerkur@gmail.com

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N. Scott Trimble

315-898-6787

www.nscotttrimble.com (senior portraits section)

www.facebook.com/n.scott.trimble

Aimee Scott (Mohr)

www.facebook.com/aimeemohrphotographer

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MEXICO ACADEMY Senior FORMAL Yearbook Portrait GUIDELINES

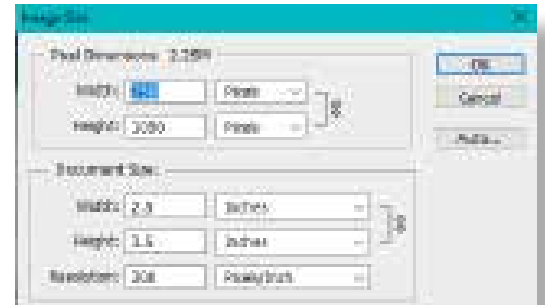
SAVE .JPEG FILE AS- EX: Mack, Avery.jpg then send to:
dmaidens@mexicocsd.org

DEADLINE IS:
EARLY NOVEMBER

2.5 inches wide



3.5 inches TALL



2.5" x 3.5" @ 300 DPI/PPI

$2.5 \div 3.5 = .714$ proportion
*same scale as a 5x7"

NOTE the intentional EMPTY SPACES LEFT AROUND the top AND both sides of the face!

ANYTHING DEEMED: WRONG SIZE, TOO FAR AWAY, TOO TIGHTLY CROPPED, BAD LIGHTING, POOR QUALITY, AMATEUR, or DOES NOT FOLLOW OBEY OUR GUIDELINES... **WILL BE REJECTED!**

PHOTOGRAPHERS!-

- SEE ALL RULES BELOW: **READ & REVIEW BOTH SIDES OF THIS SHEET-**

- PLEASE REMEMBER... WE HAVE **150+** PHOTOS TO PUT SIDE BY SIDE AND MAINTAIN A **UNIFORM LOOK** THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE SENIOR SECTION! -

- 1- All photos must fit our **2.5 x 3.5 @ 300 ppi** VERTICAL template and include an inter-frame in which the student's head **MUST** fit. Make head-size NO larger than the listed approx: 1.25 x 1.75 inch guideline to purposely **leave the needed blank space**.
- 2- **All backgrounds must be non-distracting. We are showcasing the STUDENT!** not their hands, knees, legs, cars, props instruments, purses, trees, pets, branches, flowers, leaves - NO ANIMALS, etc... **TIP: It's your face that we are promoting!**
- 3- **HANDS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON YOUR FACE!** Save your: lying down, fun, playful, or model-like poses for the optional baby ads.
- 4- **A FULLFACE SHOT-** Both eyes must be visible. No side-profiles, silhouettes, extreme black/white hyped or faded-for-effect shots.
- 5- **NO CELL-PHONE SNAPSHOTS** No writing/words/dates. No facebook candid, or BAD internet-copied low-resolution files.
- 6- Follow school dress code. Students must have shoulders and bodies adequately covered. **No inappropriate t-shirts/ sayings.**
- 7- **NO HATS, BANDANAS, SUNGLASSES, PROPS or WIGS!** Only MACS JROTC/Fire Dept. approved uniforms/hats are the only exception, ever!
- 8- Crisp/sharp focused pics only- No blurred filters. We will not be blamed for out of focus, or less than perfect clarity photos.
- 9- **ABSOLUTELY... no HORIZONTAL/LANDSCAPE formatted shots. THEY WILL BE REFUSED!** see page 2:
- 10- SENIOR PHOTOS MUST BE **FULL COLOR**. No extreme black/white, no blown-out highlights, no silver-reflective, muted, or sepia styles.
- 11- **WHO IS SENDING us your Photo?** YOUR photographer is waiting for YOU to **CONFIRM/PAY** for the one you want for our Yearbook.
> **FACT:** Most delays occur when a student/parent had a session -and never **PICKED which one** they want to use! PLEASE CALL THEM! :)

IF YOU CAN'T BRING US A PROFESSIONAL PORTRAIT- PLEASE ATTEND ONE OF THE FREE PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL FALL SESSIONS -

go to a **FREE** school session as a precaution- then if you get something nicer- bring it in- that way you have several options!

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Inside/Outside approved Mexicanian Yearbook accepted PORTRAIT ORIENTATION ONLY:



Outdoor poses are okay- as long as the background is not distracting with branches/telephone poles, etc- and the lighting isn't harsh/overexposing!

DON'TS! Examples that do NOT meet our Specifications:

- Some of these shots are very artistic, but are NOT what we deem acceptable for OUR formal/traditional VERTICAL yearbook template size-



RULE #1! ABSOLUTELY NO LANDSCAPE ORIENTATION

Incorrect head size for our **vertical** template. yearbook 2.5 x 3.5"

CROP BECOMES TOO CLOSE!

No marginal space around top or left and right sides.



Head size too small-

TOO FAR AWAY!

showcases full body instead of desired face and shoulder profile. When cropped tightly it will be blurry

NO HANDS, HATS, BANDANAS, HEADGEAR.

ONLY school approved uniforms: MACS JROTC or local Fire Dept Issued, or religious-related headwear are the only exceptions- ever!



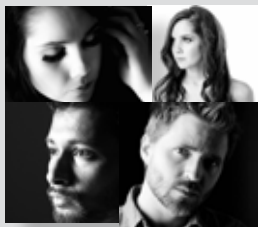
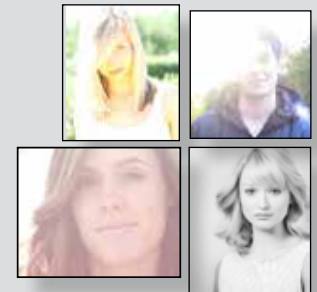
OVER - EXPOSED!

Too many washed out highlights-

Shooting into the sun is not recommended.

If it looks faded/transparent, try again!

HINT: A white dress outdoors in the bright sun is hard to capture accurately!



No BLACK & WHITE!

No extreme B/W contrast, or white on white-hyped ultra contrasty density!



NO HANDS!

NO INTERFERING DISTRACTIONS-

Trees, walls, props, fences- **NO objects in the foreground or background! NO hands ANYWHERE** near the face, head, ears, or especially the chin...

NO HANDS ON FACE,

or lying down, against wall, squatting, or action poses.

Remember... a FORMAL sitting session!



NO HANDS NEAR FACE!

NO SIDE/ ODD - ANGLED BODY SHOTS-

save these playful artsy shots for the paid baby ad section of the yearbook.



NO HANDS!



ORDER YOUR 2025 HS MEXICONIAN YEARBOOK!

**Offer 1 - Back to School Offer Runs From:
September 1st - September 27th**

\$63 cheapest deal all year!

Personalization: \$8

Icons: Up to 4 icons FREE with the purchase of
personalization name stamping option

Offer 2- September 28th - January 31st

Book Price: **\$68**

Personalization: \$8

Icons: \$5.00

NOTE: **Personalizations Covers cutoff: 1.27.2025
Must be received before JAN 27th!*

Offer 3 - February 1st - Mid-May

Book Price: **\$72**

BUY ONLINE until it AUTO SHUTS OFF in mid-May!

Any leftover copies (if any) in mid June:

Book Price: **\$75.00**

Be sure to select our HS: "MEXICO ACADEMY **NY**,
*not the Mexico, MO = Missouri one!



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