

*Charles E. Jordan High School*  
*Durham, North Carolina*

*Class of 2020*



*Commencement*  
*Charles E. Jordan High School Campus*  
*June 11, 2020 ~ 9:00 a.m.*

*Principal Susan Stewart Taylor*  
*Superintendent Dr. Pascal Mubenga*

# *Commencement Exercise for the Class of 2020*

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**MUSICAL SELECTION**  
"Rise Up"

**JHS Chorus Seniors**  
Music by Andra Day  
Corinne Huber, Director

**WELCOME**

**Susan Stewart Taylor**  
Principal, Jordan High School

**OPENING REMARKS**

**Joseph Stanley**  
Salutatorian

**INTRODUCTION**

**Ryan Smith**  
President, Senior Class

**COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS**

**Hannah Sauls**  
Valedictorian

**PARTING REMARKS**

**Gabrielle Overcast-Hawks**  
President, Student Body

**PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS**

**Susan Stewart Taylor**  
Principal, Jordan High School

**DECLARATION**

**Dr. Pascal Mubenga**  
Superintendent, Durham Public Schools

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## Diploma Candidates ~ Class of 2020

Sam Mowafag Awad Abdalla  
 Sajeda Fatmeh Abedrabo  
 Darrell Davon Adams  
 Isaac Alonso Aguilar  
 Joshua Phillip Akinragbe  
 Maryam Ghazwan Adnan Al Sakafi ☩  
 Melanie Albineda  
 Abdulkarim Ibrahim Alhaj Amin  
 Abdullah Ibrahim Alhaj Amin  
 Anwar Khaled Alhassan  
 Hadeel Anwar Ali  
 Abutu Khalid Alioche ✦ ✱  
 Keegen Aubree Allardyce  
 Kendra Caeley Allen  
 Jala Sayyida Isley Anderson  
 Ellington Louisa Andrews ✦  
 Muhammad Fahad Ansari  
 Kharla Aparicio  
 Jesus Apolonio-Zurita  
 Nadia Shalom Archer  
 Jesus Arellano Flores  
 Kenneth Anibal Argueta Galiano  
 Nyi Nyi Aung  
 Jack Barnett Aylin  
 Kush Kifayatu Allahi Baksh Azuriah  
 Jaden Alexander Bailey  
 Myles Dean Bailey  
 Abdelrahman Kamal-Murtada Balal  
 Nicholas Walker Banta  
 Kristal Lynn Barcelos  
 Olivia Rae Barefoot ✦ §  
 Maylea Barranco  
 Sarah Anne Basden ✦ ✱  
 Gian Elijah Bass ☩  
 Jailah Leigh Bass ✦  
 Doris Estefania Benitez Giron  
 Marie Janelle Bennett ✦  
 Spencer Alexander Benning  
 Ilan Yishai Benschikovski ✦ ✱ -  
 Joshua Walter Benson ✦ ✱ ♪  
 Andrea Nicole Benz ✦ ✱  
 Guy Richard Beretich III  
 Bryson Lynn Bergen  
 Ahleeya Marsha Best  
 Ahle'ya Arsha Best  
 Zaryhana Blackwell  
 Anna Katherine Borasky ✦ ✱ ∞ § ♪ ♪  
 Colin Alexander Botts  
 Kamaliyah Dalayah Braddox  
 Jonathan Dylan Bristow  
 Georgia Lily Brooks ✦  
 Langston Jabari Brooks  
 Samari Davon Brooks  
 Thialen Raziel Broughton  
 Dereka Sharae Brown  
 James Anthony Brown Jr  
 Jodeya Josuphin Brown ☩  
 Tavera Andrea Brown ✦  
 Alexandria Rochelle Brunson-Gaines  
 LaTeja Reeona Bryant  
 Amanda Sue Bryson  
 Kirsten Marie Bugayong Febre ✦ ✱  
 Joey Thomas Bullock  
 Kelly Merritt Burnette Δ  
 Raushaun Jermaine Burt Jr  
 Brittany Alexis Bynum  
 Wesley Roel Cabrera Arias  
 Connor John Cain ✦ ✱ §  
 Elon Clinton Cain  
 Marie Ann Caiola ✦ ✱ ∞ -  
 Daniel Edward Darius Cambridge Jr  
 Ja'den Hays Campbell  
 Edwin Eduardo Cardenas Ramirez  
 Maria Esmeralda Cardenas-Fuentes  
 Evan Barrett Carlson  
 Cameron Noah Carrow  
 Mya Nicole Castillo  
 Kimberly Jaylene Castro  
 Kenny Alejandro Castro Ortiz  
 Maleyah Antoinette Cates  
 Abigail Cedeno  
 Tayron Alexander Cevallos Juanmayor  
 Tellis Tobias Chandler II  
 Julia Caroline Chappell § ♪  
 Sophie Meehan Charles ☩  
 Joseph Linden Chasteen

Aylyn Chos Reyes  
 Isaac Chos Reyes  
 Jerryl Christopher ✦ ✱ ∞  
 Luis Enrique Cintron Jr  
 Miriah Leanne Clarke-Thorpe  
 Tara Nicole Conner ✦ ✱ -  
 Guadalupe Milagros Contreras Jimenez  
 Chrisitan Mosaic Corley  
 Dayron Cornejo  
 Erika Lizbeth Cornejo-Cornejo  
 Dulce Flor Cornejo-Salgado  
 Kelsey Lauren Counter  
 Sanaa Amani Estelle Coves  
 Tyler Yamani Cox  
 Jonathan Corey Cradle  
 Triston Blakely Cruell  
 David Agustin Cruz Lugo  
 Braulio Omar Cruz-Castillo  
 Jonathan Cruz-Hernandez  
 Sebastian Andrew Czerniejewski  
 Lilit Da Silva Fernandes  
 Michelle Renee Danos  
 Mariah Faith Davenport  
 Jackson Thomas Davis  
 Joaquin Marcos Davis II  
 Joseph Darnell Day ✦  
 Giovanna Lanna De Almeida  
 David Matthew Colon De Castro ∞  
 Jose Miguel De La O Diaz  
 Maxwell McHardy Dean ✦ ✱ ☩  
 Shaun Bowman Deardorff ✦ ✱ § ♪  
 Julisha Micol Ramos Dela Cruz  
 Lesbia Yolany Deleon Lopez  
 Ramses Amini Denis-Cooper  
 Frederick Tyrone Dennard Jr  
 Jackson Robert Coffman DeWitt ✦ ✱ ♪  
 Karina Diaz Fernandez  
 Imani Simone Dixon  
 Jordyn Gabrielle Dockery  
 Tylory Xavien Dockery  
 Erika Nayeli Dominguez Garcia  
 Tyshaun Tokez Dowrich  
 Eleanor Jeanne Dryden ✦  
 Pavlina Scott Dunham  
 William Foster Earley ✦ ✱ ☩  
 Jordan Aurelius Edwards  
 Elena Bocchieri Einaudi ✦ ✱ §  
 Davaughn Ellington  
 George Ennis  
 Nelytza Espinoza  
 Johnna Elizabeth Etchells ✱  
 Jadakis Lamesha Nicole Farmer  
 Riley Elizabeth Ferguson  
 Juan Francisco Fernandez  
 Sofia O'neal Fernandez ✦ ✱ -  
 Beverly Mabel Fernández Argueta  
 Eva Noelle Finlay ✦ ✱  
 Madeline Jean Fitzgerald ✦ ✱ ♪  
 Kelly Arianne Flores  
 Ashley Erandy Flores-Garcia  
 Quinton Alexander Fontenelle  
 James Sterling Fowler  
 Charles Davies Frank  
 Christian Tyree Funderburk  
 Jaylene Jamilek Funes-Cabrera  
 Genevieve Grace Carrington Furses ✦ ✱ ☩  
 Ishmeal Jamaseon Gaddy  
 Marc Jeffrey Baptista Gafoor ✦ ∞  
 Yeriel Gallegos-Flores  
 Valentina Garay  
 Benicio De La Torre Garcia  
 Alonso Garcia Guerrero  
 Brandon Andrew Garcia-Contreras  
 Rosa Linda Garcia-Cruz  
 Juan Manuel Garcia-Garcia ✦ §  
 Shania Garcia-Ramirez  
 Christian Jerome Garrett  
 Justin DeAngelo Gibson  
 Mackenzie Michelle Giermann ☩  
 Ashley Michele Gill  
 Elian Alejandro Gomez-Zurita  
 Gerson Emanuel Gonzalez Grijalva  
 Clayson McKinley Good ✦ ✱  
 Nicholas James Goodman ✦ ✱  
 Briana Lynn Marie Goodwillie  
 Vianney Grande

Zarah Viviana Grande Ruiz  
 Aaron Christopher Green  
 Dakota Michael Green  
 Marlon Green Jr  
 Sophie Catherine Green  
 Marcus Marcel Greene Jr ✦  
 Jordyn Renee Griffin  
 Min Thi Ha  
 Casey John Hackett ✦  
 Ryan James Hall ✦  
 Jaden Christopher Harewood  
 Isaiah Nathaniel Hargett  
 Alexander Taldin Harris ✦  
 Micayla Renee Harris  
 Noni Elise Harris  
 Marial Lydia Hawkins ✦ ✱ §  
 Caroline Olivia Hays  
 Jazmin Adriana Hernandez Alvarado  
 Maycoll Eduardo Hernandez Sierra  
 Iccy Mabel Hernandez Vasquez  
 Jaelyn Laron Herrod-Jones  
 Tyra Janae Hicks ☩  
 Yadiria Ezezer Hidalgo Noriega  
 Jalen DeJuan Hill  
 Thomas Randall Hill ✦ ✱ ♪  
 Amari Kelton William Hodge  
 Olivia Rae Hofheinz ✦  
 Julian LeJuan Holden  
 Christopher Gantt Holliday ✦ ✱ Δ  
 Javian Mykel Holliday  
 Joshua Grant Holloway  
 Quenton Damon Holman  
 Alexandra Leigh Hutchins ✦ ✱ -  
 Richard Lucas Hutchinson ✦  
 Carina Marie Ippolito ✦ ♪  
 Sierra Spencer Isley  
 Azani Pebbles Jackson  
 Cy'Onah Azhanae Jackson  
 Dorian Court'ae Jackson  
 Gabrielle Hazel Jackson ✦ ☩  
 Kaitlyn Mae Jackson ✦ ✱ Δ  
 Rayne Alston Jackson  
 Rodney Alston Jackson  
 Ruben Jaimes  
 Kathryn Elizabeth Jansen ✦ ✱ -  
 James William Jennette  
 Guillermo Jimenez-Gomez  
 Comfort Sia Johnson  
 Nah'Shaun Isaiah Johnson  
 Preston Eric Johnson ☩  
 Tanasia Dashaia Johnson  
 Taniya Rose Johnson  
 Tassie Tanee Johnson  
 Emmanuel Ajene Jones  
 Jacob Alexander Tobias Jones ✱  
 Jayda Corinne Jones ☩  
 Dylan Xavier Joshua  
 Osmar Orlando Juárez Clemente  
 Saira Leticia Juárez Clemente  
 Sydney Lucille Judd ✦  
 Tianna Ishynti Judd ✦ ✱  
 Brooklyn Renee Justice ✦  
 Matthew Harrison Kahn  
 Je'Vaun Ivey Keith  
 Kailyn Margaret Kent  
 Jackson Wesley Keys ✦  
 Mohamed Omar Khatib  
 David Youngwoong Kim  
 Josiah Rommel King  
 Julius Samuel King ✦  
 Anna Katherine Kirk ✦ ✱  
 Noah David Kirksey ✦ ✱ ∞ § ♪  
 Alaina Mackenzie Kleine  
 Sumaiya Ilene Knight  
 Thomas Burke Kressly IV  
 William Harrison Land  
 Olando Larios Ortiz Jr  
 Eric Thomas LeClair  
 Marisa Jordan Lee ✦ ✱ ☩  
 Camryn Alexandria Lewis  
 Ji Liang  
 Cole Davis Liverman  
 Aliyah Skye-Maiden Locklear  
 Jaslin Melissa Lopez Mejia  
 Cecilia Janet Lopez-Figueroa  
 Alfreliño Lorenzo-Cruz

Caleb Jeremiah Lowmax  
 Faye Audrey Luckenbach  
 Akiem Richarde Luke Jr  
 Clarence Junious Lyon III  
 Dazz J'quan Lyons  
 Katherine Jane MacDougall ◊  
 Wendy Charlotte Maciver ◊ ◊ ◊ ◊  
 Derrick LaMar Mack Jr  
 Saladine Mahamat  
 Bilal Mangal \*  
 Victor Jeovanny Maravilla Martinez  
 Bryce Marroquin ◊ §  
 Jada Amil Martin  
 Santos Natanael Martinez Agurcia  
 Michelle Andrea Martinez-Barrera  
 Mauridi Masumbuko \* ☒  
 Charlotte Elizabeth Maxwell ◊ ◊ \*  
 Elisabeth Eagan Mayer  
 Jasinique Yvone McBroom  
 Elijah Deshaun McCoy  
 Erin Rae McCraw ◊ \* -  
 Kyndal Alyse McDougal ◊ \* ∞ Δ  
 Camden McGovern  
 Kloe Michele McGranahan  
 Kahya Lurubian McKenzie  
 Isalah Hamish McLeod ◊  
 DeVon Jarvis McMillan  
 Dorryen Najech McNeil  
 Hayden Fernschild McNeil  
 Cameron Tamia McQuaig  
 Oluwatobi Olutimilehin Emmanuel Medaiyese ◊  
 Sarvia Nahomy Medina Pineda  
 Axel Medina-Saldana  
 Trinae' Nicole Medley  
 Alexandra Membreno  
 Kathya Pamela Mencias-Vasquez  
 Kevin Adiel Mendez  
 Jennifer Mendez-Andrade  
 Anselmo Mendoza Crespo Jr  
 Randy Calixto Mendoza Villacorta  
 Samuel Elias Menjivar-Rivera  
 Maya Iman Merritt  
 Truman James Meyer  
 Kevin Santiago Meza-Garcia  
 Sean Paul Michaels ∞  
 Camille Aileen Mikszta ◊ \* §  
 Nathan Joseph Mills  
 Brandon Jamal Minor  
 Fernando Gabriel Molina Fuentes ◊ §  
 Jada Janelle Moody  
 Abigail Grace Moore  
 Anthony Sabel Moraga-Quintanilla  
 Jocelyn Marie Morales  
 Micheal Elijah Morgan ♪  
 Ariel Michelle Morman  
 Madelyn Virginia Morrison ◊ \* ☒  
 Jordan Rayshaun Moseley  
 Rhyah Kamaliyah Irimi Muhammad  
 Alexandre Mulet Fullana  
 Walter Isaac Munoz Ramirez  
 Shayla Naise Myers  
 Ornella Nehoumang  
 Brenda Nehatobaye Nelem §  
 Jaliyah Mekhari Newsome  
 Ti'Nya Marie Newton  
 Jean-Marie Philippe Emmanuel N'Gbichi §  
 Lauren Taylor Nichols  
 Isaac Kashir Nicholson  
 Matthew Haley O'Connell ◊ \* -  
 Claudio Antonio Olivar Henriquez  
 Meyli Ortiz Rodriguez  
 Gabrielle Simone Overcast-Hawks ◊ ◊ \* ∞ -  
 Michael Scott Daniel Owen  
 Kevin Alexander Pacas  
 Luis Enrique Padilla Jr  
 Siena Lynae Padua \*  
 Martina Rose Palladino  
 Dayrin Yanitza Palma Lazo  
 Isaac Benjamin Palmer ◊ \*  
 Henali Bimal Panchal \*  
 Ashaunti Kateshea Lavette Parker  
 Joey Adair Parker Jr  
 Margaret Rebecca Parrott ◊ §  
 Sarah Elizabeth Parrott ◊ § ♪  
 Brenda Janeth Patiño Boyzo  
 Myles Demetrius Patterson

Nyrique Ramon Peavy ♪  
 Jalen Marshall Peoples  
 Dorien Frederick Perez  
 Carlos Julian Perez Blanco  
 Luis Perez-Lopez  
 Psalms Chasite Peterson  
 Cooper Atlas Phillips ◊ ◊  
 Malik Michael Smalls Pinto ◊ \*  
 Anthony Demetrius Pittman Jr  
 Camryn Shenice Pittman  
 Kate Michelle Pittman ◊ \* ♪  
 Mia Elisabeth Placencia  
 Shifa Javed Polani  
 Evelyn Samantha Ponder ◊  
 Avery Clinton Prescott ◊ \* ♪  
 Margaret Rose Rogers Price ◊ \*  
 Kaylin Marie Privette ◊ \* Δ §  
 Erick Jerome Purifoy Jr  
 August Kenneth Pye ◊ \*  
 Angel Ramirez Garcia  
 Jonathan Moises Ramirez-Martinez  
 Dwight Phillip Antione Rand  
 Zachary Sanford Raney ◊ \*  
 Aurora Jiamei Read ◊  
 Johnathan Eric Reichart ◊  
 Gabriella Jolene Reid  
 Samuel Gene Reid ◊ \*  
 Isabella Francesca Reyes ◊  
 Mauricio Arturo Reyes  
 Johana Sarahi Reyes Agurcia  
 Jennifer Reyes Andrade  
 Jennifer Reyes-Banegas  
 Emma Claire Rhyne ◊ \*  
 Jacqueline Ann Rice ◊ \* ◊ ◊  
 Gregory Darrell Rigsbee Jr  
 Kalen Dakota Davis Riley  
 Kimberly Nicole Rivera Rodriguez ◊ ◊  
 Alicia Marie Flora Roberts  
 Ashley Sha'Quea Irene Roberts  
 Kathryn Wariner Roberts  
 Lucy Song Roberts ◊ \*  
 Brianna Niesha Robinson  
 Clarence Robinson III  
 Roger Ines Roblero Velasquez  
 Ethan Cameron Rogers  
 Morgan Nicole Rogers ◊ \* -  
 Lieu Rolan  
 Junior Jared Roque Campos  
 Jasia Nicole Ross  
 Liliane Ella Roux  
 Daryl Lamont Royster Jr  
 Christopher Michael Rudolf Jr  
 Ayeka Khiari Ashanti Ruff  
 Rachel Marie Ruff \*  
 Haya Ahmad Sadeq  
 Madison Paige Saleeby ◊ ☒  
 Elicia Adwoa Sampene  
 Shaun Maurice Sanders  
 Ashlianellize Layre Santiago Velazquez  
 Felix Roberto Santos Villatoro  
 Hannah Marie Sauls ◊ ◊ \* -  
 Camden Leigh Schiavone  
 Robert Thomas Schumann  
 William Charles Schumann  
 Jacob Kalyan Sen ◊ ☒  
 Makaylyn Grace Serrano  
 Erick Jobany Serrano Elizalde  
 Cristian Rodrigo Serrano-Constansa  
 Na'imah Brianna Shields  
 Manjot Kaur Sidhu ◊ \* ☒  
 Naseer Saadat Simon  
 Anya Deann Sims  
 Gursave Jordan Singh Sidhu  
 Chrystian Jamal Smith  
 Ethan Aaron McKee Smith ◊  
 Raymoi Rashaan Jahcure Smith  
 Ryan Douglas Smith ◊ ◊ \* ∞ ♪ ♪  
 Samuel Meredith Smith  
 Zane William Smith  
 William Malaki Sofield  
 Wendy Elizabeth Sosa Mejia  
 Jose Julian Sosa-Romero  
 Chehally Nycholle Soto Morales ☒  
 Briana Nicole Spears ♪  
 Alysse Michéle Spencer ☒  
 Sondas Abdalkhaleq Hasan Srour ◊ \* \*

Sarah Michele St. Clair  
 James Brame Stanfield ◊  
 Mercer Fales Stanfield Jr ◊ \* ∞  
 Fredrick Hock Emley Stanley ◊ \*  
 Joseph Grant Emley Stanley ◊ \* ∞  
 Jady Renae Stein  
 Jaira Lenise Stevens  
 William Hugh Sudderth IV  
 De'sauni Jayvon Suitt  
 Mason Atwell Tackett \* §  
 Claudia Carolina Tapia-Centeno  
 Jeliyah Monet Taylor  
 Leela Danielle Taylor  
 Emma Malaika Terry-Edmunds ◊ ◊ \* §  
 Zachariah Martin Thirrolle ◊ ☒  
 Gwendolyn Danyel Thompson  
 Larhonya Dionne Thompson  
 Benjamin Thomas Throckmorton ◊ -  
 Adrian Mitchell Tillman ◊ §  
 Anna Michelle Todd  
 Sarah Bronwyn Tolman ◊  
 Kelvin Daniel Torres Bonilla  
 Bobby Khov Tran  
 Gabriel Antonio Turcios  
 Mya Talaya Turner  
 Talayna Nicole Turner  
 Ikechukwu Uzoma Ukpabi  
 Victoria Nicole Upperman ◊ \*  
 Abel Isai Urbina Molina  
 Christopher Valdez  
 Orlando Valle-Casarrubias ◊ -  
 Jenny Valle-Serrano  
 Joanna Marie Vargas  
 Brandy MeShall Villagomez  
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 Jeriah James Wilburn  
 Jori Simone Wilks  
 Chaz Zoey Williams  
 Victoria Paige Williams  
 Zyire Lee Williams  
 Keywon Williamson  
 Ryan Thomas Wilson ◊  
 Casey Dylan Winkler ◊ §  
 Seth Franklin Wright ◊  
 Yifeng Xu  
 Gilles Oscar Yayo  
 Yuanjie Zhang  
 Zhihan Zhang  
 Aldehdah Abdo Saleh Zubidi  
 Maryam Ammar Zuhair

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◊	Summa Cum Laude
◊	Magna Cum Laude
◊	Cum Laude
◊	Governor's School
*	National Honor Society
∞	Student Government
Δ	National Technical Honor Society
§	Société Honoraire de Français (French National Honor Society)
~	Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica (Spanish National Honor Society)
☒	SLAVA- Russian Honor Society
☒	American Sign Language Honor Society
Π	National Speech and Debate Association Honor Society
Φ	Quill and Scroll Honor Society
⊠	International Thespian Society
⊠	National Thespian Society
☒	Thespian Honor Society
♪	Tri-M Music Honor Society