To 2024 School of Education Graduates:

Note: <u>Doctoral candidates</u> will receive instructions from the Graduate School for the Hooding Ceremony scheduled for Wednesday, May 8th. Doctoral candidates may attend the School of Education ceremony and sit with SOE Faculty in the reserved faculty section on floor of Pavilion. Doctoral candidates <u>will not</u> be called across the stage during the ceremony but will be asked to stand and be recognized from their seats.

Bachelor's, Master's & Specialist candidates: We are looking forward to seeing those of you who will participate in the School of Education Commencement on Friday, May 10th at The Pavilion!

*Graduates will enter The Pavilion on the "Pavilion Club" side--look for directional signs!

Please note the ceremony will begin <u>promptly at Noon</u>. We ask that graduates be present no later than 11:15 a.m. Doors to the Pavilion will open at 11 a.m. For graduates who need to pick up your "reader's card" there will be tables at the graduate entrance labeled by your degree area AND also last name range: "Specialist, Master's A-L, M-Z" and "Bachelor's A-L, M-Z". [Undergraduate students will receive their reader's card during exit interviews with their University Supervisor. In the event you do not receive yours OR misplace it prior to Graduation, please just check in at the entrance reader's card tables in The Pavilion and we will have extra copies available).

Graduates will proceed from this check-in area directly to the ground level / floor of the Pavilion and look for your degree sign for being seated. The degree signs will say "Specialist", "Master's" and "Bachelor's". You will be able to sit anywhere within your degree program area. There is no processional.

If you need additional information on caps/gowns, parking, ADA assistance/ accessibility, etc., please refer to the website for Commencement: <u>https://commencement.olemiss.edu/</u>

Congratulations on this exciting time in your life! We look forward to seeing you!

General Information on Saturday "Campus Commencement" Ceremony Campus Commencement Convocation/ THE GROVE Saturday, May 11th at 9:00 a.m.

Graduates who wish to participate should arrive by 8:30 a.m. There will be a reserved section for "Graduates"—please just sit in reserved section. It is general seating of all graduates regardless of degree program area. There is no processional.

*Rain Location (Campus Convocation): If the University moves to "rain location" plan for Saturday, the ceremony will take place in The Pavilion starting at 9:30 a.m. Graduates should sit with family/friends in any seats available on floor of Pavilion or throughout the facility.