

# THIS IS IT.

I walked through these same doors as a freshman with no idea what the next four years would hold.

High school was a blank canvas, and I could do whatever I wanted with it.

Now, it's been four years, four years of growth, memories and excitement, and now it's all ending.

## BUT...

First one final assembly, the Senior Gauntlet; the assembly that every student anticipates, no matter their grade.

The juniors, devastated to say goodbye to their best friends,

The sophomores prepared to send off teammates,

The freshmen ready to move up on the food chain,

And the seniors, ready to say goodbye (or so they claim).

## BUT...

Then Abbott pulls out that dollar (yes, that one from the senior's first day of freshman year).

He talks about life, high school, memories, and experiences.

He talks about how we did it, and that we're done, and it's time for the real world.

Yeah, that definitely may make some of our stomachs churn.

## BUT...

We get ready for what is next.

We hold our best friend's hands and hold in our laughs as a freshman HoCo picture dances its way across the screen.

We are ready to walk across that stage tonight.

*you know*  
**WE LOVED IT.**



**LET ME SEE YOUR MONARCH SPIRIT** Student Council members Connor Moore (12), Laine Dupee (12), and Kaylix McClure (12) participate in the senior chant. "The Homecoming assembly was amazing because everyone was so involved and showed a lot of Monarch spirit!" Dupee said.



**CELEBRATE GOOD TIMES** Jane Stark (12) and Madeleine Denninger (12) do the Monarch March at their final Homecoming pep assembly. "I think that the Homecoming pep assembly is one of the most fun assemblies all year. The seniors this year especially were super into it and I think it made the whole experience better," Stark said. **A DANCING QUEEN** Sravant Chadalawada (12) Laine Dupee (12) stand with Maren Steiner (12), as she poses for the crowd after she receives her Homecoming queen crown. "Being Homecoming queen was like a dream come true. Ever since seeing Princess Protection Program I wanted to be royalty," Steiner said.