DIY Decorations
For At-Home Commencement Parties
Commencement is a time to look back on your accomplishments and celebrate with pride and optimism for your future.

We hope that you’ll commemorate this momentous day however you can—and this kit of DIY decorations is here to help! Between photo props, flag banners, and pennants, you can turn your space into a one-of-a-kind NYU party!
Print and cut out these photo props to create your own NYU photo booth! Use tape and Popsicle sticks, straws, pencils, or chopsticks to make them easier to hold in your pictures. Don’t forget to use #NYU2021 when you post to social media!
Flag Banners

Use the flags on the next few pages to create custom NYU banners! Mix and match our purple and white templates to show off your unique style, or follow our design ideas (right). You’ll need scissors, a hole punch, ribbon or string, and some tape to make it work!

Mix-and-Match Flag Designs

Signs

Print out these full-page signs (pages 14 and 15) to hang on your walls, in your windows, or in your front yard to show off your Class of 2021 pride!

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Make a Pennant

Show your NYU pride with a homemade pennant! Get creative and build your own using our blank template and decorative cutouts, or print the ready-made versions. Hang these in your party space, use them in your photo booth, or put them in a spot for all to see.

Instructions

1. Build your pennant by tracing and cutting out a base, border, and tassels using the templates on page 17. Use felt, construction paper, printer paper, or anything else you have on hand!

2. Print and cut out the decoration options on page 18.

3. Glue or tape your favorite decorations onto your pennant base. Make it your own by adding glitter or paint or asking your friends and family to write congratulatory messages!
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