



PVAMU TO CELEBRATE FALL COMMENCEMENT WITH GUEST SPEAKER ANNA DEAVERS SMITH

PVAMU will hold its fall commencement on Saturday, December 11, 2021.

PRAIRIE VIEW, Texas (December 8, 2021) – The sky is the limit for 642 students who will soon walk across the stage at PVAMU's 26th Fall Commencement Convocation this Saturday, featuring award-winning actress, playwright, and scholar [Anna Deavere Smith](#) as speaker.

This number of graduating students includes 7 doctoral, 113 master's and 522 bachelor's candidates, of which 32.2% identify as first-generation college graduates. Following the event, PVAMU's total alumni count will stand at 79,205 Proud and Productive Panthers.

The ceremony will be held on the main campus in the William "Billy" J. Nicks, Sr. Building at 9 a.m. for all fall 2021 candidates for graduation. For more information on the 26th Fall Commencement Convocation, please visit pvamu.edu/commencement.

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About Prairie View A&M University: Designated an institution of "the first class" in the Texas Constitution, Prairie View A&M University is the second-oldest public institution of higher education in the state. With an established reputation for producing engineers, nurses, and educators, PVAMU offers baccalaureate degrees, master's degrees, and doctoral degree programs through eight colleges and schools. A member of The Texas A&M University System, the university is dedicated to fulfilling its land-grant mission of achieving excellence in teaching, research, and service. For more information regarding PVAMU, visit www.pvamu.edu.

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