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Greetings - we hope you are well!

Our office is writing because you are a recent Dartmouth College graduate who indicated that you are planning to participate in the 2026 Commencement ceremony on June 14. We have a seat reserved for you, and the information you provided when you filled out the Degree App will be used for your listing in the program and the pronunciation of your name during the Commencement Ceremony.

To facilitate the ceremony running as smooth as possible, **please respond to this email by May 1, 2026, to confirm if you are still planning on participating.** If your plans have changed and you are **no longer planning to participate, please also respond to let us know.** If you choose not to participate this year, you will remain eligible to participate in a future ceremony.

As a follow-up on previous communications about signing up for lodging in the residence halls over the upcoming commencement weekend, if you have not already done so, submit your application as soon as possible—the deadline is April 6th. Later applications will be accommodated if space is available.

On-Campus Lodging

Guests are invited to stay in college residence halls. As undergraduate residences, they do not offer the amenities found in a hotel, but their convenience to on-campus events makes them a popular housing option. Housing assignments will be made after the application deadline. Guests whose applications are submitted after the application deadline will be housed only if space is available.

As past graduates, if you are returning for commencement, you and your spouse or life partner are guest(s) of the College in one of the residence halls for that weekend and stay free of charge. **You must submit an application by the deadline below to request this lodging.** Family members and supporters can be registered for on-campus lodging for the standard fee of \$70 per person, per night.

Click [HERE](#) to visit the Commencement Housing page for information on campus housing and a [link to the application form](#).

Residence hall rooms are available for occupancy from 2 p.m. on Friday, June 12 until 2 p.m. on Sunday, June 14. The College is not able to accommodate any guests on Thursday or Sunday night.

On-Campus Lodging Application Deadline/Late Registration

Applications are due on April 6, 2026, at 11:59pm (EDT). Applications submitted after the deadline will be subject to a \$10 late fee.

[Academic Regalia](#)

Bachelor of Arts degree candidates' caps and gowns (Regalia) are worn, with appropriate attire, during the Commencement ceremony on Sunday; they are not worn at Class Day on Saturday.

[Pre-orders for Caps and Gowns](#) are available for order through Sunday, May 10. Pre-orders that are shipped to the college will be available for pick-up from Thursday, June 11 through Saturday, June 13 from 9 am through 4 pm in Paganucci Lounge, Class of 1953 Commons.

For additional information about Commencement, please visit the Undergraduate Deans Office [Commencement Information Page](#).

We look forward to hearing from you!

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