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Good afternoon,

You are receiving this email because you graduated in the past summer/fall or have a 2026 winter graduation date and have not yet participated in Commencement.

Below is important information about ordering regalia and signing up for lodging in the residence halls over the upcoming commencement weekend.

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. Applications for on-campus housing are open now.

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.

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.

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.

On-Campus Lodging Application Deadline/Late Registration

Applications are due on April 13, 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.

Additional and most up to date information can be found at the 2026 Commencement website at: <https://home.dartmouth.edu/events/commencement> and at <https://students.dartmouth.edu/undergraduate-deans/students/resources-class/seniors/commencement-information>.

All the best,

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