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ACADEMIC DRESS

All students must wear correct academical dress at the Matriculation ceremony, when sitting University examinations, and when taking a degree. Academic dress consists of 'sub fusc' clothing, comprising of:

- (1) one of the following:
 - (a) a dark suit with dark socks
 - (b) a dark skirt with black tights or stockings
 - (c) dark trousers with dark socks
- (2) dark coat, if required – worn underneath gown
- (3) black shoes
- (4) plain white collared shirt or blouse
- (5) a black bow tie or a white bow tie or a full-length black tie or a black ribbon
- (6) the appropriate gown and a mortar board or soft-cap

Gowns should be worn as a matter of courtesy when calling formally on the President. They are worn at formal Hall and at Guest Nights. Undergraduates wear Commoners' gowns or, if they are elected Demies or Scholars, they wear Scholars' gowns. Organ Scholars and Academical Clerks wear Scholars' gowns.

As a visiting student, although you will not matriculate on 14th October, you are welcome to join in the group photograph which will be taken beforehand. You will be able to borrow an academic gown for this but will need to bring the rest of the clothing listed above.

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