

WELCOME, CLASS OF 2026!

We're excited to welcome the Bridgton Academy Class of 2026 to campus in just a few short weeks. As you prepare for this next step, we want to share some important updates and help guide you through what to expect on Registration Day.

Your Arrival Date and Time

Your arrival date and time are based on the primary program or sport you'll be participating in at Bridgton. Please note your assigned window below:

Monday, August 18: Registration Day

- Football Program: 8:00 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
- Soccer Program: 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

Saturday, August 23: Registration Day

- Baseball and Basketball Programs: 8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
- Golf, Hockey, and Lacrosse Programs: 9:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

If you are unable to arrive during your assigned window, please contact the <u>Office of Admissions</u> as soon as possible to coordinate an alternate arrival time.

Registration Day Details

Registration will take place under the Registration Tent on the upper campus of Bridgton Academy, located on Hancock Dr. As you arrive, our staff will be there to greet you and direct you to the appropriate parking area.

During registration, you and your family will visit several stations, including:

- Data Integrity/Contact Information
- Business Office
- Student Photos
- Academics
- Student Life
- Health Services
- Student Waivers

Once students have completed *all stations*, they will be able to move into their residence hall.

What to Expect on Registration Day

We'll have grab-and-go coffee and refreshments available for you under the Registration Tent to kick off your day!

Throughout Registration (8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.)

• The School Store will be open under the registration tent, offering all the latest Bridgton gear!

11:15 a.m. Remarks from the Head of School

• Head of School, Diana J. Gleeson, will share remarks for parents/guardians and students at the Twitchell Memorial Chapel.

11:45 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Student Lunch

• Lunch will be available for all students in the Goldsmith Dining Hall.

1:45 p.m. Student Orientation Begins

• Student orientation activities, including program meetings and athletic practices, will begin.

For Parents and Guardians

Most families plan to depart campus between 11:45 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. so that students and faculty can begin orientation activities and athletic practices. We encourage parents and guardians to consider exploring lunch options in nearby Harrison or Bridgton.

If you plan to stay the night before Registration Day, a list of area accommodations near campus can be found <u>here</u>. Portland is also about an hour away and offers many places to stay if you prefer to be closer to the airport or the city.

We can't wait to see you soon!

Sincerely,

Jayson Paré

Director of Recruiting and Enrollment Management

P.S. If you haven't already, please be sure to visit our <u>Incoming Student Information</u> webpage for useful resources to help you prepare for your arrival.