

## **DRESS CODE**

We recognize that much can be reflected in a student's personal appearance, language, and behavior. Having a dress code encourages a more productive and optimistic school environment. The expectation for all students is that they abide by the dress code set forth below and that they take pride in representing both themselves and Bridgton Academy throughout the entire year.

Dress code will be enforced during the academic school day:

- Monday 8:00 am—3:00 pm
- Tuesday 8:00 am—3:00 pm
- Wednesday 8:00 am—11:30 am
- Thursday 8:00 am—3:00 pm
- Friday 8:00 am—3:00 pm

## For the following buildings:

- Humanities Center
- Hamlin STEM Center
- Goldsmith Dining Hall
- Chapel
- Academy Building

Students who have breaks during the day may go to other buildings for any reason (i.e. Chalmers Ice Arena, Memorial Gymnasium) and wear appropriate work-out attire. If the student is then returning to an academic area defined above during the academic day, they must be showered and return to academic dress as defined below. If a student is not in compliance with dress code, they will be sent back to their dormitory room to change and are expected back at their academic commitment after they have changed.

## **Academic Dress Code Defined:**

- Shirt must have a collar (button-down, golf, or polo style shirts are acceptable)
- Sweater may be worn over a collared shirt
- Hooded or crew-neck sweatshirts are allowed, but if a student removes the sweatshirt, they must be wearing a collared shirt underneath
- Khaki shorts, pants, or jeans
- Clothing should always be neat and clean and free of any inappropriate branding

## **Academic Dress Code Infractions include:**

- T-shirts
- Any article of clothing that is branded with inappropriate material
- Sweatpants, joggers, or any other athletic type clothing
- Hats and hoods are not permitted in any of the academic buildings any time. They should be removed upon entering the following building at any time.
  - Humanities Center
  - Hamlin STEM Center
  - Goldsmith Dining Hall
  - Chapel
  - Academy Building
- Shirts with sleeves will be required for all meals in the Dining Hall