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SCHEME OF ACADEMIC DRESS FOR BUCKINGHAMSHIRE NEW UNIVERSITY

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Introduction

The wearing of academic dress is compulsory for students upon whom an award is being conferred. Members of staff in the Graduation procession are required to wear the appropriate academic gown, hood and mortar board for their highest academic award. All other members of staff associated with the conferment process should be appropriately attired.

The University's academic dress is as follows:

Certificate of Higher Education, Diploma of Higher Education, Diploma in Professional Studies

Gown	Black stuff, Cambridge shape but without open forearm seam
Hood	Burgundy and Grey
Hat	Black cloth mortar board

Higher National Diploma, Higher National Certificate, Diploma, Certificate, Foundation Degree

Gown	Black stuff, Cambridge shape but without open forearm seam
Hood	Burgundy and Grey
Hat	Black cloth mortar board

Graduate Diploma Postgraduate Diploma, Postgraduate Certificate, Diploma in Management Studies, Certificate in Management

Gown	Black stuff, Cambridge shape but without open forearm seam
Hood	Cambridge full shape, silver grey outer fully lined black faced inside cowl edge with 50mm Buckinghamshire New University cardinal (red) velvet. Neckband is reversed to show velvet
Hat	Black cloth mortar board

Bachelor Degree

Gown	Black stuff, Cambridge shape but without open forearm seam
Hood	Special simple shape of cardinal (red) stuff, fully lined silver grey silk taffeta and faced inside with 50mm of Buckinghamshire New University cardinal (red) velvet, finished with silver grey cord piping at seam of cardinal (red) stuff and cardinal (red) velvet. Reversed band showing cardinal (red) velvet in front.
Hat	Black cloth mortar board

Masters Degree

Gown	Black stuff, Cambridge shape but with bottom of hanging sleeve cut straight
Hood	Cambridge shape, Buckinghamshire New University cardinal (red) wool panama outside, lined with silver grey silk taffeta and faced with 65mm Buckinghamshire New University cardinal (red) velvet, finished with old gold cord piping at seam of cardinal (red) stuff and cardinal (red) velvet
Hat	Black cloth mortar board

Please note: This includes 'undergraduate' Masters Degrees

Doctor of Philosophy, DBA, EngD

Gown	Cardinal (red) stuff Oxford shape, with 100mm facings and 100mm cuffs of Buckinghamshire New University burgundy velvet
Hood	Cambridge shape, cardinal red, lined gold and edged black cord piping, faced inside 90mm Buckinghamshire New University burgundy velvet
Hat	Burgundy cloth bonnet, with black or gold rim and opposite colour for tassel

Honorary Fellow

Gown	Black stuff QC shape with fronts and cape collar trimmed damask with 15mm edging in pewter lattice
Hood	No hood
Hat	Black Cloth Mortar Board

Honorary Doctor

Gown	Oxford Doctors shape, cardinal red WP body with facings and sleeve ends all faced with 100mm cardinal red velvet
Hood	Cambridge full shape of cardinal red WP Fully Lined London Pharmacy gold, Cowl faced inside with 100mm cardinal red velvet. Cowl edge only is also piped with black cord. Neck band is faced with cardinal red and has to be worn reverse to show velvet is not piped
Hat	Tudor bonnet of cardinal red WP with a black WP brim. Worn with gold silk cord and tassels

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Bachelor Degree



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