## UNIVERSITY OF WORCESTER

# **GRADUATION SCHEDULE**

### SEPTEMBER 2025

There will be up to three Graduation ceremonies each day. The schedule below details the timings for each of the activities during the day, including arrival and robing, travel to the ceremony, the ceremony itself and the reception.

Remember, your arrival time at Severn Campus covers your ticket collection, gown collection and photography. If you arrive within the last few minutes of your time slot, you will not have time for photography.

You should have booked both your gown and photography in advance, so this will help you know how much time you will need before the ceremony.

We have included some extra notes below that you may find useful when planning your day.

#### Ceremony 1 (10:00 Ceremony)

- Arrive at Severn Campus for check-in, ticket collection, robing and photography: Between 7:30 and 8:45
- Walk to the Cathedral: 25 minutes
- Arrive at the Cathedral by: 9:20
- All Graduates and Guests seated in Cathedral by: 9:30
- Ceremony: 10:00 to 11:30
- Walk back to Severn Campus: 25 minutes
  Reception at Severn Campus: 12:00 to 1:30
- Depart Severn Campus: 1:30

#### Ceremony 2 (12:30 Ceremony)

- Arrive at Severn Campus for check-in, ticket collection, robing and photography: Between 10:00 and 11:15
- Walk to the Cathedral: 25 minutes
- Arrive at the Cathedral by: 11:50
- All Graduates and Guests seated in Cathedral by: 12:00
- Ceremony: 12:30 to 2:00
- Walk back to Severn Campus: 25 minutes
   Reception at Severn Campus: 2:30 to 4:00
- Depart Severn Campus: 4:00

#### Ceremony 3 (3:00 Ceremony)

- Arrive at Severn Campus for check-in, ticket collection, robing and photography: Between 12:30 and 1:45
- Walk to the Cathedral: 25 minutes
- Arrive at the Cathedral by: 2:20
- All Graduates and Guests seated in Cathedral by: 2:30
- Ceremony: 3:00 to 4:30
- Walk back to Severn Campus: 25 minutes
  Reception at Severn Campus: 5:00 to 6:30
- Depart Severn Campus: 6:30

#### Some tips for planning your day:

- It is essential to book your pre-book your gown. It is also recommended that you book your photography in advance as well. If you haven't already done this, please visit the official booking site as soon as possible. This will help you manage your time on the day.
- Gown return is located in the Arena at the Severn Campus and will be signposted.
- Visit our <u>FAQs page</u> for lots more information about the day