

*Veterinary Technology
Pinning Ceremony
Class of 2026*



*Wednesday, the Twentieth of May,
Two Thousand Twenty-Six
at twelve-fourty-five in the afternoon*



Veterinary Technology CLASS OF 2026

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*The Veterinary Technology Class of 2026
would like to extend our sincere
thanks to the administration and faculty
of Mount Wachusett Community College
who helped make today possible.*

*We would also like to thank all of our families
and friends who have supported us and share
this special day with us as we enter into the
Veterinary Technology Profession.*

Veterinary Technology

Pinning Ceremony

Processional.....Class of 2026

Master of Ceremonies....Tara Novak, MEd, CVT, LATG, FVTE
Director of Veterinary Technology

Welcome.....Kimberly Shea, DNP, RN
Dean of Nursing & Health Sciences

Message the Graduates.....James Vander Hooven, EdD
President

Keynote.....Michelle Emmott, BS, CVT, VTS(ECC)

Veterinary Technology Oath.....Students & CVTS

Participating Veterinary Hospitals & Local Farms

Charles River Laboratories
Worcester, MA

Gardner Animal Care Center
Gardner, MA

Hanson Farm
North Brookfield, MA

Hemlock Hill Farm
Ashby, MA

Holiday Acres Equestrian Center
Rutland, MA

Minglewood Farm
North Brookfield, MA

UMass Chan Medical School
Worcester, MA

Walker Farm at Whortleberry Hill
North Brookfield, MA

*A special thank you to each of you for your continued support
and commitment to the Veterinary Technology Program.*

Veterinary Technology Oath

I solemnly dedicate myself to aiding animals and society by providing excellent care and services for animals, by alleviating animal suffering, and by promoting public health.

I accept my obligations to practice my profession conscientiously and with sensitivity, adhering to the profession's Code of Ethics, and furthering my knowledge and competence through a commitment to lifelong learning.

