



What to Bring

2018-2019

What's included in your residence hall room: XL twin bed and mattress, desk and chair, dresser, closet or wardrobe, and built-in lighting. In each of our residence halls you'll find a lounges, study areas, community kitchens, and laundry rooms with washers and dryers.

We recommend that you talk to your roommate and/or suitemates when you are planning what to bring. Keep in mind college-owned furniture may not be removed from your room. We encourage all residents to purchase renters insurance.

IDENTIFICATION

- Student ID (needed to check in)
- Driver's license or passport
- Health insurance card/info
- ATM Card/credit cards/checkbook

MEDICATIONS

- Anything you take regularly and special instructions for things like allergy shots
- Spare eyeglasses, contact lenses, supplies
- Current written prescriptions
- Headache / cold medicine
- First aid supplies

LINENS

- Pillow (1-2)
- Blanket for XL Twin
- Comforter for XL Twin
- Sheets for XL Twin Bed (36" x 80")
- Mattress Pad for XL Twin
- Towels—probably at least 2 bath, 2 hand, 2 face depending on how often you do laundry and want clean towels

SCHOOL STUFF

- Book bag/messenger bag
- Computer/laptop or USB for the computer labs
- Ethernet Cord
- Computer supplies, printer, ink, etc.
- Binders, folders, paper, writing utensils
- Planner/calendar

PERSONAL ITEMS

- Cell phone/charge (rooms don't have landlines)
- Your warm weather to fall clothes (but not all)
- Rain gear like a jacket and or umbrella
- Swim suit, workout gear (optional)
- Toiletries
- Brush and comb
- Shaving items, tweezers
- Hair dryer, curling / straightening iron
- Shower shoes (recommended)
- Robe
- Shower tote to carry to the bathroom if you're in Wise Hall
- Toilet paper
- Box of tissues

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS (must haves)

- Surge protector / power strip
- Sewing kit (if you know how to use it)/safety pins
- Alarm clock
- Plastic stacking cubes or plastic totes to stash stuff under the bed or in closet
- Cleaning supplies like cleaning wipes or all purpose spray cleaner and paper towels
- Bathroom cleaning supplies & bathroom rugs (unless you live in Wise Hall)



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SNACKING STUFF

- Mug, cup, plate, silverware (1-2 of each would suffice)
- Non-perishable snack foods
- Microwaveable dish or pan for light cooking (if you do heavy cooking then you'll need more)
- Can-opener
- Dishwashing detergent, cleaning sponge, dishtowel

LAUNDRY / CLOTHING CARE (don't forget clothes)

- Detergent, fabric softener
- Laundry basket, hamper or bag
- Hangers
- Iron and mini-ironing board if you like crisp clothes

OPTIONAL EQUIPMENT

- Flashlight and batteries
- Bike with strong U-lock
- Board games/cards, Frisbee, basketball, etc.
- TV with coaxial cable/blu ray Player
- Small stereo/headphones/ MP3 Player/IPOD
- Mini refrigerator (cannot exceed 4 cubic feet or 115 volts)
- Microwave
- Coffeemaker
- Fan

OPTIONAL DECORATION (Makes a room like home)

- Posters, photos, artwork, calendar, picture of the fam
- Removable mounting tapes (3M kind) or poster putty
- Plants
- Small area rug (6' x 8' will work in all rooms)
- Desk lamp or additional floor lamp

STUFF TO LEAVE (Prohibited)

- Ø Halogen, upward facing bowl and multi-arm lamps
- Ø George Foreman grill or toaster oven
- Ø Personal lofts
- Ø Air conditioners
- Ø Drapes/curtains
- Ø Electrical cords without surge protectors
- Ø Open coil appliances i.e. space heaters or hot plates
- Ø Pets other than non-flesh eating fish (10 gallon tanks or less)
- Ø Candles, incense, wax melters, and plug-in type air fresheners
- Ø Permanent adhesives and nails
- Ø All weapons including firearms, airsoft guns, & non-kitchen knives
- Ø Fireworks, propane, butane, or other explosive materials (includes Hover Boards)
- Ø Alcohol (prohibited in Putnam and Phelps and if under 21)