What to Bring / What Not to Bring

This is a list of items residents typically bring each year, and a list of prohibited items. Please note that the items to bring is not all inclusive and no item on the list is required. Particularly this semester due to COVID19, we encourage students to pack light and bring only essential items. We recommend retaining boxes, suitcases and bags, should you need to pack up quickly due to a campus closing.

**PERMITTED ITEMS**

Aquariums (for flake-eating fish only) – tank not to exceed 10 gallons. One per room.

Bicycles – must not block egress (door or window of room).

Black lights – must not be used to replace fixtures provided by university.

Furniture/Couches/sofas/chairs – Collapsible folding chairs only.

Electronic cigarettes – Must be used outside of the residence halls in designated smoking areas.

Fitness weights – not to exceed 10 pounds.

Hair dryers/straighteners – hand held only, must be U.L. approved. To be used in bathrooms and bedrooms only.

Indoor/outdoor decorative lights – must be UL approved. Can't be hung near sprinkler heads or ceilings.

Irons – must have auto shut-off, to be used on desktop boards.

Ironing boards – only desktop boards allowed.

Lamps – desk top lamps, no floor lamps

Microwave/refrigerator combination units – only one allowed per room. If using a microwave combination unit must be one-plug technology. These units are also available for rent through an approved vendor. Please click this link for more information about rentals: [http://www.netstudentservices.com/](http://www.netstudentservices.com/)

Musical instruments – subject to quiet hours and 24-hour courtesy hours.

Plug strip/surge protector – must have built-in circuit breaker & UL approved.

Radios/stereos – only one per room due to the power allotment for each room.

Refrigerators – the unit must be UL approved and draw a maximum two amps due to power allotment in the rooms. Only one per room.

Television – due to the power allotment for each room, only one per room. Students encouraged to bring TVs no larger than 40”

Vacuums – handhelds only (no uprights or canisters).

Posters/wall coverings – must not exceed 50% of wall space.

Wastebaskets – must be made of metal or plastic (no wicker wastebaskets permitted)

Cleaning Supplies - Students are encouraged to bring their own cleaning supplies for their rooms and to clean their space regularly.

Personal Mask/Face Covering - Students are encouraged to bring their own personal mask(s). If unable to do so, students should speak with staff.

**PROHIBITED/RESTRICTED ITEMS**

Air conditioners

Alcohol beverages/containers (empty or filled)

Alcohol paraphernalia

Amplifiers

B-B guns

Candles (with or without wicks) or Oil/wax tart warmers

Cardboard drawer units

Ceiling fans

Coffee pots or coffee makers including Keurig

Dart boards with point tip darts

Drug paraphernalia, such as bongs

Duct tape

Electric appliances

Extension cords (only surge protectors permitted)

Furniture (No furniture except folding chairs; i.e. no futons, couches, or non-collapsible chairs)

Firearms, including air rifles

Fireworks

Fishnets and other ceiling decorations

Fitness equipment

Flammable liquids

Full-size sofas/couches

Gasoline

Gasoline-powered equipment

Halogen bulb fixtures

Heating elements

Hot plates or hot pots

Hover boards

Hookah

Incense

Knives (other than kitchen knives)

Lamps (plastic fixtures, kerosene, oil types, lava lamps)

Loft units

Microwave ovens

Multi-outlet adapters

Noise makers such as bull horns, vuvuzela or megaphones

Non-university mattress

Paint/paint thinner

Pets (except fish)

Portable heaters

Sun lamps

Sub/woofers

Toasters of any kind

Vaporizers or humidifier

Weapons of any kind

Wicker furniture or wastepaper baskets

Wireless router