

Here is a recommended checklist for incoming students. Essential items have an asterisk(*). Every student may have different needs, but this list provides a good start. Make sure to consult your roommate to avoid purchasing doubles of items like lamps or appliances!

Identification/money

- ATM card*
- Checkbook*
- Credit cards*
- Driver's license*
- Insurance cards*
- Social security card
- Lock box

Bed and bath

- Mattress pad/cover
- Pillow(s) and pillow cases*
- Sheets* (building specific)
- Comforter*
- Blanket
- Towels and washcloths*
- Robe
- Shower shoes/flip flops*
- Shower caddy
- Throw rugs
- Desk lamp and bulbs (non-halogen)
- Floor lamp and bulbs (non-halogen)
- Hangers
- Mirror-full length (building specific)
- Trash can

Laundry/cleaning supplies

- High efficiency detergent*
- Dryer sheets
- Drying rack
- Fabric softener
- Iron (auto shut-off)
- Ironing board
- Laundry bag/basket*
- Cleaning supplies (all-purpose cleaner, etc.)*
- Small utility vacuum

Personal supplies

- Prescription medications*
- Ear plugs
- First aid kit
- Electronic thermometer
- Quarters (for vending machines)

Personal hygiene products/toiletries

- Soap/shampoo
- Hair products/hair dryer
- Toothbrush/toothpaste
- Makeup/moisturizers
- Shaving accessories

Electronics/appliances

- Microwave (10 amps max.) dim. ≈ 11" h x 19" w x 15" d
- Compact refrigerator (2.5 amps max.) dim. ≈ 34"h x 20"w x 20"d
- Alarm clock*
- Camera
- Music player (CD, MP3, iPod)
- Cell phone and charger
- Computer/laptop
(Don't forget the laptop's charger and locking cable)
- Ethernet cable
- Movie player (DVD/Blu-ray w/remote and user manual)
- Movies
- Gaming system
- Power strip w/surge protector (UL approved)
- Grounded/three-prong extension cord (UL approved)
- Printer and ink cartridges
- Computer paper
- Smart TV for streaming digital content

Miscellaneous

- Backpack*
- Misc. school supplies*
 - pens/pencils
 - spiral notebooks
 - calculator
 - scissors/stapler
 - tape/post-its
 - calendar/planner
- Flashlight
- Emergency supply kit
- Plastic food storage containers with sealing lids
- Dishware/silverware
- Can opener
- Water filter pitcher
- Umbrella/raingear*
- Storage trunk (convenient storage and coffee table in one)
- Sports equipment (e.g. Bicycle, rackets, balls)
- Sunglasses
- 3M™ Command™ adhesive products
- Posters
- Message board (dry erase board)

Keepsakes

- Photo albums and scrapbooks
- Pictures
- Stuffed animals
- Yearbook

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