



RESIDENCE LIFE

WHAT TO BRING for Rising High School Seniors

Residence Life at Union University has a tradition of excellence, and we strongly believe in the developmental value that comes with the experiences of life on campus! With Christ-centered Residence Life staff, innovative programming, community values and people-focused service to each student, you can be confident that your residence life experience at Union will be a very enriching part of your college career.

As you prepare to move on campus, there are a few things about Residence Life at Union that will be helpful for you to know. The following is some **general information** about on campus housing at Union:

- Each apartment on campus is furnished with a couch, chair, coffee table, end table, and bookshelf.
- Grace Residence Complex has two bathrooms in each apartment.
- Each bathroom on campus includes a sink with cabinet space below, a mirror and a toilet, and shower curtains are provided for each bathroom.
- All apartments on campus have central heating and air conditioning, and venetian blinds to cover all windows.
- All apartments on campus have a small kitchen. These include a refrigerator, stove/ oven, microwave, shelves, and cabinets, as well as a small washer and dryer.
- All students will be assigned a 25 block meal plan that can be used over the course of the term.

Rising High School Seniors will live in **Grace Residence Complex**. Each bedroom in Grace is furnished with:

- a twin-sized bed and extra long (80") mattress
- a desk with an upper shelves and three drawers
- a desk chair
- a built-in closet
- a chest of drawers
- overhead storage above the closet
- an internet port near the desk

The following are suggestions of **WHAT TO BRING** that we give to full-time undergraduate students. You may or may not prefer to bring all of these items for your RHSS term:

- Bedding for a standard twin-sized mattress
 - The beds in Grace are adjustable so you will be able to raise or lower them to your desired height.
- Computer/ TV/ DVD player
- Supplies: toilet paper, vacuum, broom/ mop, cleaning supplies, wastebaskets, laundry supplies, dishes, pots and pans, iron and ironing board, flashlight, small first aid kit
- Appliances: toaster, cutting board, coffee maker
- Decorations: decorative shower curtain, curtain for closet (a standard-sized shower curtain works well), curtains for windows and tension rods to hang, small painters nails should be used to hang any decorations

What NOT to Bring

The following are some specifics that will help you decorate in a way that adds personality *and* avoids damage to your apartment at the same time. For more information please refer to the Residence Life section of the Campus Life Handbook. We ask that you not bring the following:

- Pets of any kind (including fish)
- Candles, incense, candle warmers
- Air-soft guns, paintball guns, sling shots, water balloons
- Deep fryers
- No tobacco of any kind, hookah pipes
- Alcohol of any kind
- Immodest clothing
- Halogen lamps
- Large screws, nails

Please note: **NONE** of the Union furniture may be taken out of the apartment at any time. City fire codes demand easy entrance/exit to the apartment; therefore, bringing furniture from home is limited to one more living room chair and an entertainment center.