THE LOYOLA EXPERIENCE

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Making Loyola Home

The Department of Residence Life enhances the campus experience by creating transformative environments. We provide safe, secure residence halls and inclusive communities where students, staff, and faculty integrate key academic, social, spiritual, and recreational experiences. Our commitment is to ignite individual passions and social responsibility in partnership with our residents.
Session Overview

- The Living Experience
- Our Staff – A Network of Support
- Engagement, Expectations, Responsibilities
- Amenities
- Dining
- Housing Assignments
- Move-in
- What to Bring and Not to Bring
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The Living Experience: Transformative Education

Academic Achievement

Co-Curricular Engagement

Student Development
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The Living Experience: A Residential Campus

As a University committed to the education of the whole person, the residential experience is considered an integral part of a student’s education. Living on-campus has demonstrated at Loyola, and around the globe:

- Residents have a more positive academic experience
- Residents are more involved/engaged in academic and campus activities
- Residents persist and graduate at higher levels
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Our Staff – A Network of Support

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Staff are Available 24 hours per day, 7 days per week
Call Campus Safety: 773-508-6039
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Engagement

➔ The First Six Weeks
➔ Set the Stage for a Successful Year in the Halls
  – Get to know your community
  – Connect with the RA
  – Set roommate and community agreements
  – Develop habits and patterns of behavior for sustained success
➔ Critical Time to get Connected and Engaged
  – Welcome Week
  – Hall and Floor Programs
  – Online social networks and connectedness “back home”
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Expectations

➤ Community Standards
  • All students are expected to know the following:
    LUC.edu/osccr/resources/communitystandards

➤ The Student Promise
  • Care for Myself
  • Care for Others
  • Care for Community
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Responsibilities

⇒ Before Move-In Day:
- Vaccinations
- Health Insurance
- Medical Information
- Emergency Contact
- Missing Person Contact
- Renter’s Insurance
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Amenities

Each Student Receives:
- Extra Long Twin Bed
- Desk with Chair, Hutch and Light
- Closet or Wardrobe
- Chest of Drawers

Each First-Year Hall Provides:
- Campus Card Access
- 24-Hour Staffed Front Desk
- Wireless Internet & Printing
- Cable TV
- ResLife Cinema
- Lounge Spaces
- Laundry Facilities
- Kitchenettes & Vending Machines
- Custodial & Maintenance
Amenities - Dining

7-Day All Access
Plan 1: $100 Dining Dollars/semester – $2,430/semester
Plan 2: $200 Dining Dollars/semester – $2,530/semester

5-Day All Access (Monday-Friday)
Plan 1: $250 Dining Dollars/semester – $2,400/semester
Plan 2: $350 Dining Dollars/semester – $2,500/semester

- Damen Dining*
- de Nobili Dining*
- Simpson Dining*
- Damen Food Court (Damen)
- Rambler Express (Damen)
- Engrained Café (San Francisco Hall)
- Connections Café (Info Commons)
- Center Stage Café (Mundelein)
- LU’s Deli (Water Tower Campus)
- Nina’s Café (Water Tower Campus)

* All Access Facilities
Housing Assignments

- Hall assignments were sent to students’ LUC e-mail account on June 11 and ongoing
- Room and roommate assignments will be sent in mid-July (allows students opportunity to meet people at Orientation and request a roommate!)
- Personalized move-in mailing sent in late July/early August and will have specific move-in date/time, guidelines, map, etc.
- Roommate Relationships
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Move-In

➔ Assigned move-in date and time
  – Tuesday, August 18: Campion, Honors
  – Wednesday, August 19: Out-of-State
    (and some in-state)
  – Thursday, August 20: In-State

➔ Personalized move-in mailing sent to permanent address in early August

➔ What to expect

➔ Bunking/lofting request
What to bring...

Full list available on our website: http://www.luc.edu/reslife/resources/movein/packing

Tips to Remember:
- Bed sheets – XL Twin
- Refrigerators – under 4.2 cubic feet
- Microwaves – under 800 watts
- Decorations
- Toilet Paper – for suite bathrooms
- Laundry Detergent – High Efficiency

Have your student coordinate with their roommate!
...and not to bring.

- Any major appliances
- Beds of any kind*
- Candles or incense
- Drugs, alcohol, or any related paraphernalia
- Weapons
- Halogen lamps
- Pets (except fish)
- Large sofas or other large pieces of furniture
- Flammable liquids
- Fireworks
- Heirlooms or expensive jewelry

* Except for accommodations – contact Services for Students with Disabilities.
LUC.edu/ResLife

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