

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA ROCHESTER

Office of Residential Life What to Bring & What Not to Bring: Student Life Center

This guide is intended to help students with the packing process. It is important to communicate with your roommate(s) to discuss the common use/area items.

Suggested Items to Bring

Bedroom	Bathroom	
Bed Linens*	Shower Curtain & Liner**	
Pillow/Blanket	Towels	
Mattress Pad*	Hygiene/Toiletry Items	
Extra Storage Bins	Toilet Paper	
Hangers	Wastebasket & Trash Bags	
Chargers	Bathmat	
Lamps	Toilet Plunger	
Laundry Basket	Cleaning Supplies	
Laundry Detergent	First Aid Kit	
Seasonal Clothing	Cabinet Liners	
Power Strip	Kleenex	
Umbrella		
Television		
Lamps		
Area Rug		

* Check your housing assignment for your exact bed size.

** Check your housing assignment and the *Student Life Center Bathroom Styles by Room Number* document for your exact bathroom style as only the tub/shower combo bathroom styles require a shower curtain and liner.

Note: this is not a complete list.



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Items to Not Bring & Prohibited Items

Mounted TVs*	Illegal Substances or Paraphernalia*	Pets/Animals*	Any device that creates an open flame or has an open heating element*
Candles*	Weapons*	AC Units*	Any chemical or substance that has a potential for combustion that is not cooking related (fireworks, fuel, etc.)*
Mini fridges larger than 4.3 cubic feet*	Microwaves that use more than 700 watts*	Any device that is not UL approved*	Non-fused extension cords or multi-plug outlets*
LED strip lights*	Items that are already included in the apartment (ex. microwave)	Water Devices>10 gal.*	

* = prohibited items

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