Welcome Home!

The beginning of Fall Semester is just around the corner. Like you, we are preparing for an important event – your arrival on campus! This guide includes important items to remember as you prepare for your move to UNC at Chapel Hill. We look forward to welcoming you to Carolina as a member of our campus housing community. Our staff has worked diligently to make your arrival on campus as comfortable and as convenient as possible.

Carolina Housing Mission

Carolina Housing works to provide convenient housing that is safe, inclusive and supportive. We strive for students to experience a welcoming home in our on-campus communities, build lifelong friendships and develop skills for their current and future success as they journey through their Carolina experience.

Connect with us!

[Contact information for Carolina Housing]
Your Move-In Process

Carolina Together Guidance for Move-In

→ Before coming to campus for Move-In, all individuals should check for symptoms using the COVID-19 screening checklist at unc.edu/covid-monitoring. Anyone exhibiting symptom(s), should not come to campus and consult their health care provider.

→ We will require residents moving in, and all those assisting them, to wear masks throughout the move-in process.

→ We will pre-schedule appointments to help achieve physical distancing throughout the move-in process.

→ Residents are to limit the number of people they bring to help them move to a Group of 4 Move-In Helpers: The resident, plus a maximum of three helpers.

→ The Group of 4 Move-In Helpers can be in the elevator together at the same time, per the Elevator Max Occupancy allowed.

→ For the health and safety of everyone involved in in the Move-In process, we ask that you leave as soon as is possible once all student belongings have been brought to their rooms. Thank you for your cooperation!

Pack Light

We will ask residents to limit the volume of belongings they bring with them to campus in case they are required to move rooms or return home during the semester. As the fall progresses, it is possible that residents will need to move rooms as housing is consolidated to meet potential health challenges.
Your Move-In Appointment

Housing Assignment

Move-In appointments can be made on the following days/times depending on your housing assignment. Make sure to check your UNC email for an email from Housing to make your appointment. Students assigned Non-First Year Residence Halls can begin to sign up for move-in appointments once they receive their housing assignment. Move-In appointment system will remain open once the designated time slots open for your community.

Move-In Appointment Opens Tuesday, June 23, 2020 if you are assigned:
Hinton James Community at 11:00 am
Craige Community at 3:00 pm

Move-In Appointment Opens Wednesday, June 24, 2020 if you are assigned:
Ehringhaus Community at 11:00 am
Olde Campus Lower Quad Community (Aycock, Everett, Graham, Lewis, & Stacy Residence Halls) and Manning East (Horton & Koury Residence Halls) at 3:00 pm

→ Roommates will have different appointment times (roommates will not be able to sign up for same time slot)
→ 2-hour time slots for all buildings: 8:30am-10:30am, 11am-1pm, 1:30pm-3:30pm, 4pm-6pm
→ Additional time slots for larger buildings (Hinton James, Ehringhaus and Craige): 6:30pm-8:30pm
COVID-19 Modifications to Living on Campus

**Carolina Together - Housing & Dining**

“This roadmap places the safety and well-being of our campus community paramount to all other considerations, and was created with this perspective and these guiding principles and goals in mind. During this time, we must adopt community standards and behaviors that will help promote a healthy campus and be prepared for some inconveniences and uncertainty along the way.”

→ We will pre-determine and recommend the ideal furniture organization for each room to allow for maximum physical distancing. More details coming soon.

→ We will increase the cleaning/disinfection frequency of common “high touch” areas (including elevator buttons and exterior door handles) and restrooms throughout each day.

→ We will place hand sanitizing stations in buildings, particularly in elevators, restrooms and common areas.

→ We reserve the right to amend guest visitation policies to restrict (or prohibit) non-residents from entering residence halls. More details coming soon.

**Face Masks**

Roommates in residence halls will be treated as a single household and, for this reason, will not be required to wear a mask while inside their own room.

Face masks must be worn by students, faculty, staff, and visitors in indoor common spaces, including in common areas outside of rooms.
Building Signs - Know Before You Go!

Per University Guidelines, we will post safe usage guidelines including physical distancing and occupancy limits for all common areas, including lounges and lobbies, as well as the Makerspace, Morrison Art Studio, Carolina Gaming Arena, Package Centers, etc.

Social Distancing Floor Signs
Look down to see where to stand for best Social Distancing practices!

Carolina Together Posters
Found on your Community’s Bulletin Board and Digital Displays.

Look for these signs in your residence hall and in other UNC buildings:

KNOW YOUR Ws

- WEAR a cloth or protective face covering.
- WAIT 6 feet apart. Avoid close contact.
- WASH your hands often or use hand sanitizer.

One-Way Stairwell Signs
Found at the entrance of and in each stairwell of your residence hall.
Building Signs - Know Before You Go!

Enter Only & Exit Only Signs
Found at the entrance of all public gathering rooms, like lounges, kitchens, study rooms, etc.

Maximum Occupancy Signs
Found at the entrance of all public spaces. Occupancy varies depending on room size.
Move-In & Living on Campus FAQs

WHEN CAN I MOVE IN?

Unlike previous years, the Move-In process will be for all students this year and by appointment only. This general move-in will be between Mon. Aug. 3 and Sun. Aug. 9.

CAN I CHANGE MY ASSIGNMENT OR ROOMMATE?

Yes. Residents can submit a reassignment request at https://housing.unc.edu/residents/current-residents/housing-reassignment-request

HOW DO I PICK A MEAL PLAN?

Carolina Dining Services (CDS) is your on-campus dining source! With 2 main dining halls and over 20 locations, we strive to keep our Tar Heels well fed, happy and feeling at home! Picky eater? Vegan? Pizza Lover? Learn about Meal Swipes, Plus Swipes, Flex and how to eat like a Tar Heel at dining.unc.edu.

WHERE CAN I DO MY LAUNDRY?

Laundry facilities are located either in your residence hall or in a neighboring building in your residential community. Machines accept OneCard Expense Account funds. The machines do NOT accept quarters, cash or personal debit/credit cards.

WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I WANT TO CANCEL MY APPLICATION?

Carolina Away Program

First-Year Students who choose to participate in this program will be granted a waiver to the First-Year Residency Requirement and there will be no cancellation fee or penalty for housing contract cancellation. We ask that you let us know as soon as possible by signing into MyHousingPortal and clicking on the “Online Forms/Resources” tab to access online forms where you can find the First-Year Residency Waiver Request form. Once Carolina Housing receives confirmation that a student has been selected to participate, the waiver will be granted and/or the housing contract will be canceled without penalty.
IS THERE HOUSEKEEPING AVAILABLE TO CLEAN MY ROOM?

You will be responsible for the cleanliness of your own room, disposing of trash and leaving all public areas in clean condition. The housekeeping staff will clean the public areas as well as the hall/suite bathrooms. EXCEPTION: Residents of Craige North, Hardin, Koury, Horton, Morrison super-suites, and Ram Village must clean their own bathroom and provide toilet paper since housekeeping staff cannot access the suite bathroom in those buildings.

SHOULD I GET INSURANCE FOR MY BELONGINGS?

We strongly encourage you to invest in additional property insurance for your student’s belongings. UNC does not endorse any individual insurance program but does encourage parents and students to make sure they have the protection they desire for student property. You may have homeowner’s insurance; however, not all homeowner policies cover everything students bring to school. Most will provide some coverage but have limitations on certain property. You should check with your insurance agent to determine what is and what is not covered under your policy and what the deductibles are for property away from your principal residence.

HOW WILL I BE BILLED FOR HOUSING?

The Office of Student Accounts and University Receivables bills for Housing, not Carolina Housing directly. Please visit cashier.unc.edu for more details.

WHAT ARE CAROLINA HOUSING’S COMMUNITY LIVING STANDARDS?

The Community Living Standards are the rules and policies that you will be held accountable for as a resident of campus housing. As a legally binding adjunct to your Housing Contract, these standards ensure UNC’s residential communities are conducive to academic success. Visit housing.unc.edu to educate yourself on expectations.

WHAT IS UNC’S LIABILITY POLICY?

The University has no legal obligation to pay for loss or damage to items of personal property caused by residents or by occurrences such as flood, weather, or mechanical-related events which occur in University Housing or on its grounds prior to, during, or subsequent to the period of the housing contract.
CAN I BRING A BIKE?

Sure; you should register it for free with UNC Police at police.unc.edu to deter theft and aid in identification if your bike is ever lost or stolen. We also recommend that you purchase a quality U-lock to secure your bicycle to exterior racks which are located outside every residence hall. UNC now offers Tar Heel Bikes, a convenient and cost-effective bike sharing program. For more info, visit: move.unc.edu/bike/bikeshare/

WHERE DO I GET MY ROOM KEY?

Keys can be picked up in the lobby of your building or in the community office if your community has multiple buildings. Don’t forget, bring a keychain!

WHAT IS RESNET?

ResNET provides reliable on-site IT support, educational programs, cutting-edge technologies, and laser printing stations – all right in your residential community, all FREE! Don’t wait until you arrive to configure your devices (computer, game systems, phones, etc.) for our network. Visit help.unc.edu for instructions and setup videos.

Internet- One high-speed Ethernet port and high-speed Wi-Fi is available in all rooms. You must provide your own Ethernet cable.

Cable TV- There is one active CATV coax outlet per room, and you can also stream cable channels on a mobile device from anywhere on campus with Stream2, which includes the ACC Network.

WHAT IS MY MAILING ADDRESS ON CAMPUS?

The complete mailing address is required on all letters, packages and overnight deliveries sent to on-campus residents. To find your mailing address, go to housing.unc.edu and click on the MY ADDRESS icon. Always provide friends and family with your complete mailing address.

Letters, packages, and overnight deliveries are automatically routed to the Package Center zoned for each building. Residents will receive an email from Housing Package Centers when mail is available for pick-up. The email will include the pick-up location, hours of operation and the package tracking number.

Please do not send mail or packages to arrive on campus before the Package Centers open for move-in week.
Getting Here & Parking

STEP 1
Arrive on your move-in day as indicated by your appointment time slot.

STEP 2
Drive directly to the building where you have been assigned. Use the campus map on the back page for reference. UNC Parking Control Staff will assist you with directions to the appropriate unloading area.

STEP 3
In line with Social Distancing practices, UNC Parking and Transportation will be utilizing a streamlined and contactless Move-In Parking assistance this year. Parking Control Staff will log license plates and the time of entry as cars enter allotted parking lots. The Parking Control staff will use that as the basis for enforcement if there are any capacity issues that need attention. Please note the time of entry when you arrive and begin your 40-minute time limit once you park. After 40 minutes, you will need to park your vehicle in a nearby lot as directed by the parking attendants.

STEP 4
Park your vehicle. Then, check in at your building's front office to receive your room keys and start your move-in!

MOVE-IN TIPS
- Be kind. Be patient!
- Dress for hot weather!
- Only share elevator with your Move-In group.
- Abide by your Move-In time.
Important Dates & Break Housing

Mark Your Calendars!
Fall 2020 COVID-19 Modified Academic Calendar

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Find Your Housing Assignment

- Visit myhousing.unc.edu and click the “Login” link on the top right, then click on “UNC Student SSO Login”. Then, on the next page, log in with your ONYEN and ONYEN password.
- Click on “Application” in the top navigation bar.
- Under Term Selector, choose Academic Year 2020-2021.
- On the application progress page, click on “Application Status & Assignment Details.”
- Locate the “Booking Summary.” This contains your assignment and the name(s) and email contact information for your roommate(s) and/or suitemate(s).

**NOTE:** If a roommate is not yet indicated, check back, as contact information will appear once a roommate has been assigned.
What’s In My Room?

Twin XL Bed & Mattress
One per resident. Beds can be bunked or lofted using the hardware in the room. Mattresses are 80” long, 36” wide and 6” deep and fit Twin XL sheets. Mattress covers are hypo-allergenic vinyl.

Small Recycling Bin
One per room. Large recycling bins are located outside each residential community.

Closet/Wardrobe – 2 types of closets
One per resident. Please note that in Hinton James, Craigie, Ehringhaus, Avery, Parker and Teague the closets are part of the built-in casework. These closets have no doors, as shown in the example to the right.

Electrical Capacity
Rooms are limited to 1,800 watts of electrical usage at any time. No single appliance can exceed 1,000 watts of usage.

Dresser
One per resident, typically like the one at right, except in Hinton James, Craigie, Ehringhaus, Avery, Parker and Teague where there is one dresser per room.

Desk/Chair
One desk and one chair per resident.

Small Recycling Bin
One per room. Large recycling bins are located outside each residential community.

ResNet Services - See FAQ section for more info

NOTE: These examples are of typical furnishings in a room, but placement/color/size of each piece may vary.
# What to Bring

## Bedding
- Blankets, bedspread, pillows
- Sheets for Twin XL (mattress size is 80" long, 36" wide, 6" deep)
- Mattress cover

## Personal Items
- Shower tote caddy/bucket
- Towels, washcloths, bathrobe
- Laundry/Clothes Care
- Iron and ironing board
- Laundry bag, detergent

## Room Extras
- Curtains (All windows have blinds)
- Carpet or rug
- Clothes hangers
- Tension rod and curtain for closets without doors (Hinton James, Craig, Ehringhaus, Avery, Parker, and Teague)
- Wastepaper basket, plastic liners
- Bicycle and U-lock

## Technology
- Laptop computer and security cable
- Personal Electronics
- Coffee maker
- Microwave oven
- Small refrigerator (Max size: 2’ X 3’ X 1’ or 6 cubic feet)
- TV (HDTV)
- DVD/Blu-Ray player/ Game console
- 3-Prong Power outlet strip with surge and cord fire protection
- Desk and floor lamps (must be single-bulb and not halogen)

## Good Idea!
- Non-damaging, temporary adhesive for posters and wall art

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**What NOT to Bring:**

- NO candles, incense, fireworks, weapons
- NO crockpots, instant pots or electric griddles
- NO halogen lamps or multi-bulb lamps
- NO pets except fish
- NO two-prong household extension cords
- NO items with exposed heating elements, such as hotplates or toaster ovens
- NO items that exceed 1000 watts of usage
  → Reminder! Pack Light.
A Sustainable Move-In Process

From our partners at UNC’s Office of Waste Reduction and Recycling (OWRR):

Tip #1: Consider packing miscellaneous items in totes and bringing just one season’s clothing, remember, home after November!

Tip #2: Come with less. You can get it here if you find you are missing something you need. Think coffee makers, rugs, microwaves, etc.!

Tip #3: Please pay attention to changes and notifications about what and where to recycle specific items! Remember we all need to Recycle Right at Carolina, now and always.

Reduce waste by considering

Have you thought about “Un-shopping”?! Save money and reduce waste by:

Using the furniture provided in your rooms and apartments, leave your favorite chair at home, Carolina Housing provides lots of nice stuff!

Keep any plants small and to a minimum.

Posters – keep the poster tubes to pack them up when you need to move.

Second-hand room décor - to be fluid, customize your room minimally with only a few things from home, and remember you’re likely to get stuff while you’re here!

Reusable plate, bowl, cup, and utensils. With a lot more take-out than normal for the foreseeable future, skip the silverware when you pack your own set, or two: one for your room and one for your backpack!

Reusable water bottle. Carolina Dining Services offers reusable coffee mugs and water bottles at several on-campus locations! [https://dining.unc.edu/](https://dining.unc.edu/)

Reusable, washable shopping bags.

Re-think appliances. Rent a micro-fridge from RHA and skip all the hassle. If you do buy, choose Energy Star appliances. [https://rha.unc.edu/first-years/](https://rha.unc.edu/first-years/)

Smart power strip (3-prong only).

Use LED bulbs for (desk) lamps you may bring – remember no halogen bulbs!

Bike helmet. And, you can rent a Tar Heel bike when you need one! [https://move.unc.edu/bike/bikeshare/](https://move.unc.edu/bike/bikeshare/)

Small drying rack, but check and see if your roomie is bringing one already.
Welcome Tar Heels!!! My name is Kira Griffith and I will be serving in my second term as your Residence Hall Association (RHA) President! I am a rising senior studying Neuroscience and minoring in Music and Chemistry.

One of my favorite things to do outside of class is program! RHA is an independent, student-led organization that has a very strong relationship with the Carolina Housing department. We work alongside your RAs and other staff members to provide the best on-campus living experience possible for you!

RHA hosts a ton of large-scale traditional programs that you can look forward to, including our annual Silent Disco, UNC vs. Duke Basketball Watch Parties, Multi-cultural Festival, Stress-Less Fest, and dozens of Community Government programs every month within your residence halls! If you’d like to get involved in RHA, have a meaningful leadership experience at a university-level, and/or run for Community Governor, follow us on social media @rha_unc. We are SO excited to see you soon!

For the Residents,
Kira Griffith, President, RHA
Your First Week

You’re Finally Here! Here’s what to Expect Your First Week on Campus!

First Floor Meeting*
Don’t miss the first chance to meet your RA and the rest of your floor mates! There’s nothing quite like meeting your neighbors and fellow Tar Heels in this first hangout! It’s also another chance to get questions answered about living on-campus, getting ready for classes, and making the leap into your first year of college.

Convocation*
Join up with the rest of the Class of 2024 for the official kickoff of the 2020-21 academic year. Not only will they unveil the official class logo, but you’ll have the chance to hear from Chancellor Guskiewicz and others as we kick start the year and the start to Fall Fest!

Community Kickoff*
Don’t miss your Community's first big event of the year. Held the night before FDOC (first day of classes), this program is a great way to meet others in the building and begin finding the friendships that will making last memories throughout your first year and beyond.

*Events subject to change
Your First 6 Weeks

Getting involved and connected to Carolina early is a valuable step in helping students transition to Carolina. Look out for weekly programs happening both on your floor or in your community throughout the first six weeks of the semester. These programs will vary in connecting you with others and providing skills and experiences that will help your transition to Carolina.

**Roommate Agreements:** RAs will be reaching out to residents after the first two weeks of being on-campus to begin facilitating a roommate agreement. This facilitated conversation helps in making a successful living situation between you and your roommate.

**Community Government Elections:** Looking to get involved in the halls? The process for running for Governor starts during the first week of school. Anyone interested is eligible to run. Involvement in Community Government is a great way to get involved in putting on programs.

**Community Wide Programs:** Each month your Community Director and Resident Advisors will be hosting fun and engaging programs in your community open to the entire residence hall.

**And Much More!...**

**Advising in the Halls:** Carolina Housing actively collaborates with Academic Advising to make accessing support and assistance in registering for the upcoming semester and progressing towards graduation.

**Resident Advisor Interactions:** We hire the best and brightest student leaders to help you along during your first year of college. These amazing student leaders are trained to understand barriers and challenges common to first years transitioning to Carolina and will be reaching out and checking in to offer support that is specific to you.

**Campus Collaboration Programs:** Annually First Year Experience (FYE) & Discover More (DM) collaborate with our amazing campus partners to implement programs within the residence halls. These programs include working with Student Life & Leadership, Wellness, Career Services, Campus Recreation, and many others.
**Olde Campus Lower Quad**

Halls: Graham, Aycock, Lewis, Everett, Stacy
Style: Corridor
- Graham is all-male, Aycock is all-female, Lewis, Everett, and Stacy are coed
- Central A/C
- Each hall has 3 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: Service & Leadership, First Gens
- Package Center

**Halls: Hinton James**

Style: 8-Student Suite
- Coed
- Window A/C Units
- 10 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: Service & Leadership, First Gens
- Package Center

**Halls: Ehringhaus**

Style: Suite
- Coed
- Central A/C
- 4 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? NO
- RLP Communities: Global Scholars House

**Halls: Graham, Aycock, Lewis, Everett, Stacy**

- Central A/C
- Each hall has 3 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: NONE

**Halls: Craige**

Style: Corridor
- Graham is all-male, Aycock is all-female, Lewis, Everett, and Stacy are coed
- Central A/C
- Each hall has 4 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? NO
- RLP Communities: NONE
- Gaming Arena

**Halls: Koury, Horton**

Style: 4-Student Suite
- Horton is coed, Koury has two floors of all-female rooms and two floors of coed
- Central A/C
- Each hall has 4 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? NO
- RLP Communities: NONE
- Special Programs: Honors Carolina (Horton)

**Manning East**

Halls: Koury, Horton
Style: 4-Student Suite
- Horton is coed, Koury has two floors of all-female rooms and two floors of coed
- Central A/C
- Each hall has 4 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? NO
- RLP Communities: NONE
- Special Programs: Honors Carolina (Horton)

**Manning West**

Halls: Craig North, Hardin*
Style: Suite
- Coed
- Central A/C
- 4 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? NO
- RLP Communities: Global Scholars House

*Not an FYE Hall

**Craige**

Halls: Craige
Style: 8-Student Suite
- Coed
- Window A/C Units
- 6 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: NONE
- Gaming Arena

**Hinton James**

Halls: Hinton James
Style: 8-Student Suite
- Coed
- Window A/C Units
- 10 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: Service & Leadership, First Gens
- Package Center

**Ehringhaus**

Halls: Ehringhaus
Style: 8-Student Suite
- Coed
- Window A/C Units
- 6 floors
- Bathroom Cleaning? YES
- RLP Communities: NONE