



UNIVERSITY RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT

All full-time students must live on campus for three years or until the student reaches Senior status or 21 years of age.

HOUSING EXEMPTION

When requested by the housing exemption form, the University will exempt students from this residency requirement if one of the following are met by September 1, 2024:

- The student lives with a parent, university-approved family member (grandparent, aunt, uncle, brother, sister, cousin – must be at least 25 years old) or legal guardian at their PERMANENT address within 35.0 driving miles of the university as determined by Google Maps.
- The student is 21 years of age or older.
- The student is at senior level status (88 semester credits or more).
- The student is married.
- The student is caring for a dependent child.
- The student is a United States veteran.
- The student has Independent status through financial aid.

A Housing Exemption Application must be submitted to the Office of Residence Life every year. Students who do not submit a Housing Exemption Application, do not meet the requirements for being exempt, or attempt to falsify information on the Housing Exemption Application will be charged full room and board for the academic year.

RESIDENCE HALL OPTIONS

STANDARD DOUBLE ROOMS

- Two students – one room in Ledwidge and Archangelus Halls
- Community bathroom
- 25-35 students per hall
- Room size approximately 11’ x 17’
- Quiet Halls available in Archangelus Hall – room sizes vary

STANDARD QUAD ROOMS

- Four students – one room in Ledwidge and Archangelus Halls
- Community bathroom
- 25-35 students per hall
- Room size approximately 12’x 33’

PREMIUM HOUSING ROOMS

Premium #1 Rooms:

Double suites, single rooms with shared community bathrooms in Ledwidge and Archangelus.

+ \$520/semester over standard rate

Premium #2 Rooms:

Single Suites in Ledwidge and Archangelus Halls and Double Suites in St. Catherine Hall

+ \$1040/semester over standard rate



FOR TIPS ON WHAT TO BRING AND HOW TO COMMUNICATE:

For a list of items we recommend bringing and items you may want to coordinate with roommates if you have them, please visit:



RESIDENCE HALL LIFE

PROGRAMMING:

Individual Hall Programs:

Meant to build community within the RA’s designated area

Floor programs:

Designed to connect communities on each floor (get to know your neighbors!)

Building wide programs:

Large scale programs for the entire residential community.

ROOM ASSIGNMENTS AND ROOMMATES

- Roommates and room assignments post by July 1
- Log-in on MySiena (mysiena.sienaheights.edu)
- Click on Housing Registration
- The student’s room, building, bathroom type, & roommate information will appear
- Roommate’s name & email address will be listed

***If you have applied for housing & don’t see an assignment by July 1, 2024, contact Residence Life or your Admissions Counselor right away!*

AMENITIES:

- Community Kitchenette in Ledwidge Hall and St. Catherine Hall
- Game Room
- Laundry Room
- Quiet study room
- Computer Lab & Printers
- TV Lounges
- Student Mailboxes

CAMPUS VILLAGE APARTMENTS

The Campus Village Apartments are available to students once they become rising juniors. The apartment complex consists of two, three, and four bedroom apartments. Each bedroom has an assigned bathroom that is either adjacent or connected.

The apartment also will come with the following in the shared living room/ kitchen area:

- Full kitchen with stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, microwave, garbage disposal, and washer/dryer
- One couch, one chair, an end table, lamp, and coffee table in the shared living space
- Bar stools for the number of occupants

Each bedroom is furnished with:

- Full size bed
- Dresser
- Desk and desk chair





WHERE TO EAT ON CAMPUS

MCLAUGHLIN DINING HALL

Located in the McLaughlin University Center

Hours:

Monday - Friday
Breakfast 7:30am – 9:30am
Lunch 11:00am – 1:30pm
Dinner 5:00pm – 7:00pm
Saturday & Sunday:
Brunch 11:0am-1:00 pm
Dinner 4:30 – 6pm

SHU MARKET

Convenience store located in the McLaughlin University Center

Hours:

Monday - Friday: 8:00am – 10:00pm
Saturday: 5:00pm – 8:00pm
Sunday: 5:00pm – 10:00pm

Starbucks Coffee, sodas, juices, grab and go sandwiches and salads, rotating hot meal options, soups, pizza, day-to-day personal items, and much more!

FLEX MEALS

Available M-F in SHU Market

- Meal exchange for a dining hall swipe
- Available all day
- Includes entrée, side(s), and beverage

MEAL PLANS:

Option 14 (available to all students)
Option 19 (available for all students)
Block 100 (for Campus Village students)

EARLY ARRIVAL MOVE-IN DATES

BENICASA HALL - 9AM TO NOON:

August 8th - Men's Soccer, Women's Soccer, New Football, Women's Volleyball
August 12th - Men's and Women's Cross Country, Band
August 18th - Cheer & Dance, Reserve Volleyball

2024 NEW STUDENT MOVE-IN AND HOUSING ORIENTATION - Wednesday, August 22

9am to 12:00pm: Move-In - *Benicasa*
11am - 1:30pm: Lunch Opens - *University Center*
Noon - 4pm: Unpack & Settle-In - *Residence Halls*
4pm - 5pm: Dinner with your hall community, Hall Meetings, Campus & Residence Hall Tours - *University Center & Residents Halls*
7pm - 9pm: Break
9pm - 11pm: Welcome Home Event

OUR STAFF

PROFESSIONALS STAFF:

Samanta Thacker,
Director of Residence Life
Shawna Eversole,
Assistant Director of Residence Life

- Answers questions and assists with overall student satisfaction on campus
- Provides guidance to the undergraduate staff
- Serves in first response on-call rotation

STUDENT STAFF:

- 11 Resident Advisors and 3 Assistants Resident Advisors
- 1 St. Catherine Resident Advisor
- 4 Community Living Advisors

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Student Development
- Programming
- Resource sharing
- On Call Rotation
- Evening office support
- Campus Policy reminders
- Emergency response

OUR CONTACT INFORMATION

Email: reslife@sienaheights.edu

Website: <https://sites.sienaheights.edu/reslife/>

ACCOMMODATIONS

Our Office of Accessibility can assist students with their housing and meal plan accommodations needs. This includes the need for air conditioning for medical reasons food sensitivities, and Emotional Support Animals approval and service animal registration.
accessibility@sienaheights.edu
sites.sienaheights.edu/accessibility/



OFFICE OF RESIDENCE LIFE



Our residence halls and apartments are your home away from home. Come build community with us!

OUR PURPOSE

The Office of Residence Life aims to provide students with a safe and inclusive residential experience that is committed to encouraging growth while engaging in community with others. It is our vision that the environment we provide will enable students to actively **embrace their purpose**.