

SMU PACKING LIST

Upper-Division Housing

Bedding

- Bed linens for a Twin XL bed (Full size bed in Daniel & Martin House)
- Blankets or comforter
- Pillows
- Mattress pad

Cleaning

- Cleaning wipes, sprays and paper towels
- Air freshening spray
- HE laundry detergent
- Fabric softener

Organization

- Storage bins
- Stand-alone shelves
- Lanyard
- Hangers
- Laundry basket

Decorations

- Photos/posters
- Plants
- Other RLSH Community compliant decor

Healthy Living

- Hand sanitizer
- Thermometer
- Air purifier
- over-the-counter medicines
- face coverings (just in case)

Bathroom

- Towels and wash cloths
- Personal toiletries
- Shower shoes
- Shower caddy
- Hair dryer

Devices & Electronics

- Chargers for electronics
- Lamp
- Laptop
- UL approved surge protector with on/off switch
- Printer (although one is available in the library)
- Small fridge (under 3.1 cubic feet)
- Microwave (under 800 watts)

Only one fridge and microwave is allowed per room - make sure to coordinate with your roommate!

Insurance

- Renters or home-owners insurance

Typically your families renters/home-owners insurance will cover you, but make sure! This way your items are protected against damage.

Clothing

- Rain jacket and rainboots
- Clothes for the Dedman Center's gym
- Summer and fall clothes, including a jacket
- Red and blue clothes for SMU
- Comfortable walking shoes

Not This!

no need to include these items in your packing

We try to keep our residence halls as clean and safe as possible. You can help us by ensuring not to pack items that damage rooms or increase fire hazards. You can also rely on SMU provided items so as to not overpack and keep clutter down. Remember! Don't loft a bed yourself with your own bed risers. Put in a bed loft request by July 31 so we can do it for you (lofts not available for Daniel or Martin House)!

Items Provided by SMU

- ❌ Bed and mattress
- ❌ Window blinds
- ❌ Dresser
- ❌ Trash and recycle bin
- ❌ WiFi and ethernet
- ❌ Desk and chair
- ❌ Closet space
- ❌ Fridge and Microwave (Daniel & Martin House only)

Fire Hazards - these items violate safety regulations

- ❌ Student rooms without kitchens may not possess cooking appliances such as a hot plate, toaster oven, rice cooker, slow cooker or a coffee pot with open coils. If there is a kitchen, students may leave and utilize cooking appliances in the kitchen only.
- ❌ Candles and incense
- ❌ Halogen and incandescent light bulbs (only bring LED lightbulbs)
- ❌ extension cords and non-UL approved surge protectors
- ❌ Fireworks, firearms, or weapons
- ❌ Full-size or large fridge, large microwave, or secondary fridge/microwave

Items that Damage Rooms - these typically result in damage charges so it's best not to use them

- ❌ Anything that requires screws or nails to adhere to the wall (use push pin instead - 10 or less per room)
- ❌ Pets (although residents are allowed fishes in an 10 gallon or less fish tank)
- ❌ Electric scooter, skateboard or bike (these scratch the floors)
- ❌ Command strips or light strips or removeable wallpapers that use adhesives to stick to walls (use blue painters tape, sticky tack instead)