

# SMU PACKING LIST

## Residential Commons

### Bedding

- Bed linens for a Twin XL bed
- Blankets or comforter
- Pillows
- Mattress pad

### Cleaning

- Cleaning wipes
- 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 each commons and 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!**

## Items Provided by SMU

- ✗ Twin XL bed and mattress
- ✗ Window blinds
- ✗ Dresser
- ✗ Trash and recycle bin
- ✗ WiFi and ethernet
- ✗ Desk and chair
- ✗ Closet space

## Fire Hazards - these items violate safety regulations

- ✗ Cooking appliances such as a hot plate, toaster oven, rice cooker, slow cooker or a coffee pot with open coils
- ✗ 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 nor a large 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)