



What to Bring to Your Residence Hall Room

When preparing to shop and pack to move to campus, these are a few suggested items to consider bringing with you or to purchase locally.

Personal Hygiene

- Brush & Comb
- Cosmetics
- Deodorant
- Nail File/Clipper
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Shaving Items
- Hair Care Products
- Toothbrush/Toothpaste
- Dental Floss
- Soap/Soap Carrier
- Towels (at least two)
- Shower Caddy
(with drainage holes)
- Flip Flops for Shower
- Twin XL Sheets
- Blankets/Comforter
- Pillows
- Mattress Pad/Egg Crate Pad

Cleaning & Laundry

- Detergent & Fabric Softener
- Laundry Bag/Basket
- Metal/Plastic Drying Rack
- Cloths Hangers
- Lysol

Health Items

- (5-7) Washable Cloth Face Masks
- Advil/Tylenol (over the counter medication/pain killers)
- Cough Syrup/Drops
- Thermometer
- Vitamins
- Prescription Medication

- Feminine Hygiene Products
- First Aid Kit, Band-aids
- Medical Insurance Information
- Purell
- Tissues
- Health report form

Desktop Items

- Planner/Calendar
- Calculator
- Notebooks/Folders
- 3-Ring Binders
- Pens & Pencils
- 3 Hole Punch
- Highlighters
- Stapler & Staples
- Paperclips
- Stationary & Stamps
- Flash Drive

Kitchen Supplies/Utensils

- Drinking Glasses
- Plates, bowls
- Knives, forks, spoons
- Can opener
- Napkins, straws
- Food storage containers

Appliances

- Alarm Clock
- Coaxial Cable or HDMI cable
- TV
- Personal Music Player/MP3 Player
- Hair Dryer
- Curling/Flat Iron



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- Clothing Iron
- Table Top Ironing Board
- UL Approved Surge Protectors
- Refrigerator
(not greater than 5.0 cubic feet)
- Single Pod Keurig

Miscellaneous

- Travel Mug
- Snacks
- Sewing Needle & Thread
- Scissors
- Tape
- Thumbtacks/Push Pins
- Funtack
- Chargers
- Headphones/Ear Buds

Tools

- Screwdriver, hammer, pliers
- Flashlight, batteries
- 3M strips/hooks

Bathroom Cleaning Items (For Suites and Townhouses)

- Toilet cleaner
- Toilet Brush
- Shower Cleaner
- Disinfectant cleaner/Clorox wipes
- Paper towel
- Mop or Cleaning pad floor cleaner

Townhouses Only

- Patio/backyard furniture
- Cornhole boards

What NOT to Bring / Prohibited Items

The following items are not allowed in or around any resident hall / townhouse at any time. Any prohibited items found in or around the residence halls or townhouses will be confiscated and discarded without compensation to the owner, including:

- Any heat-producing appliances including, but not limited to, hot plates, heating/immersion coils, electric fry pans, coffee makers of all kinds (excluding Keurig and "pod"-type), toaster ovens, toasters, electric blankets, electric heaters, microwave ovens, hot pots, or popcorn poppers. (All of the above are allowed in the townhouses except heating/immersion coils and electric heaters.)
- Halogen lamps; five-light, multi-head floor lamps, paper lanterns.
- Garland or tinsel.
- 2-prong extension cords; splitters, or three way "octopus plugs"; "daisy chaining" extension cords.
- Any flame sources including, but not limited to candles and incense; this includes unlit and/or decorative candles. *Students seeking the use of open flame items for religious/spiritual practices should contact the Office of Residential Life three weeks prior to the arrival of campus or the day of practice (reslife@bryant.edu or 401-232-6144).*
- Extra Furniture, including, but not limited to, headboards, lofts, bars, desk chairs, rugs [larger than 5x7], extra beds, inflatable furniture [air mattresses, chairs/sofas, etc.], bed extenders, cubes/ottomans, papasan chairs, cloth or wooden drawers, wooden drying



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racks, plywood, tables of any kind, lumber of any kind).

- Waterbeds, hot tubs, pools, slip and slides.
- Television or radio antennae/dishes that are placed outside the room or window or anywhere on the exterior of the building or grounds.
- Weights
- White boards, and any other messaging boards on public-facing doors, hallways, or other community common spaces.
- Firearms, BB guns, paintball guns, knives, pellet and air/or guns, pepper spray, mace, tasers, stun guns, or any type of weapon or ammunition. Brandishing weapons such as hand pellet guns and other weapons where a reasonable person may interpret it to be a genuine article may have criminal as well as Code of Conduct implications.
- Fireworks or explosives of any type.
- Propane, gasoline, kerosene, gas grills, other hazardous chemicals.
- Motorcycles, mopeds, other gas-powered vehicles.
- Dart boards/darts
- Traffic signs, neon signs, traffic cones, university signs.
- Alcoholic beverage containers, beer boxes, empty kegs, beer balls, taps, Keggers, keg refrigerators, funnels, Beirut/beer pong tables, or other alcohol paraphernalia, etc. may not be used for decorative or any other purposes in the residence halls. Shot glasses in first-year residence halls. Possession of these items may be viewed as evidence of consumption.
- Paint and paint brushes
- Wooden corn hole boards (except in the townhouses)
- Air conditioners
- Cinder blocks: shelving of all kinds, or anything mounted to furniture, walls, or ceilings.
- Fog/smoke machines, strobe lights, or instruments including incense.
- Bullhorns; megaphones, air horns, vuvuzelas.
- Drugs and drug paraphernalia of any kind.
- Hookahs, Hookahs
- Multi-quart beverage coolers
- Scanners/surveillance cameras
- Deep freezers, ice makers
- Vapes, e-cigarettes or any other electronic smoking device.
- Maximum size for a refrigerator in a room, suite, or townhouse: 5.0 cubic feet. Maximum number of refrigerators: one per assigned room resident.

The University reserves the right, at its sole discretion, to deem other items prohibited. For more information about what to bring to campus, or questions about the residence halls, please contact the Office of Residential Life at reslife@bryant.edu or 401-232-6140.