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#### **RESIDENCE HALL GUIDELINES:**

Provided by the school					
Bed & Mattress Size		Dresser	ü	Window coverings	
Twin		Wardrobe/ Closet		Cable TV	ü
Twin Extra Long	ü	Desk/ Chair	ü	Internet access	ü
Full		Overhead lighting		Other: Carpet – Blackwell, Randolph, Bell Tower, Epwoth, GA & Southgate	ü
Comments:		Mirror	ü	Other: Central air conditioning – Blackwell, Bell Tower, Randolph	ü

Sleep	Can Bring	Don't Bring	Relax	Can Bring	Don't Brin
Sheets (suggest 2 to 3 sets)	ü		Stereo/ headphones	ü	
Mattress pad	ü		Toss pillows/ floor cushions	ü	
Foam topper or fiber bed	ü		Candles/ incense		ü
Bed pillow(s), pillowcases, and pillow protectors	ü		Odor eliminator/room fragrance	ü	
Comforter (down or alternative)	ü		Frames	ü	
Blanket/throw	ü		Area rug/ throw rugs	ü	
Bed risers	ü		Fan	ü	
omments:			Space heaters		ü
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Clothes hangers	ü		Water pitcher	ü	
Under-the-bed storage container	ü		Coffee makers	ü	
Storage crates/ utility bins	ü		Heating / Open Coil appliances, e.g. hot plates, toasters, toaster oven		ü
Sweater and/or shoe organizer	ü		Microwave oven	ü	
Bulletin board/ dry erase board	ü		Food storage	ü	
Memo board (for student's door)	ü		Plates, bowls, eating utensils		
Over-the door-mirror	ü		Comments: Microwave oven – small 1 per room		
Wall safe adhesive (3M) - for hanging posters, pictures	ü		Shower	Can Bring	Don't Bri
Cleaning supplies, broom, dust pan	ü		Towels & washcloths (suggest 2 to 3 sets)	ü	
Hand vacuum	ü		Bathrobe, Shower shoes/ flip flops	ü	
First aid kit, Small sewing kit, Tool kit, Flashlight/ batteries	ü		Shower caddy	ü	
Umbrella	ü		Make-up or shaving mirror	ü	
omments:			Hair dryer	ü	
Study	Can Bring	Don't Bring	Electric curling iron (with auto shut-off)	ü	
Back rest/ study pillow	ü		Electric razor	ü	
Lap desk/ bed desk	ü		Electric toothbrush	ü	
Desk lamp/light bulbs (CFL <b>only</b> in California)	ü		If room has an attached bathroom - Soap dish, shower curtain/rings, bath rug	ü	
Wastebasket/ trash bags	ü		Comments:		
Alarm clock	ü		Laundry	Can Bring	Don't Bri
Surge protectors/ power strips	ü		Laundry bag or basket	ü	
Desk supplies/ calculator	ü		Laundry supplies	ü	ł
			Portable drying rack	ü	
Extension cords		ü	i entenere en jing reren		

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## **Freshman Housing**

East Campus Housing	East Campus at Duke University includes fourteen residence halls of varying size and architecture where all first year students reside. East Campus has a unique historical role, as it was once the site of the former Trinity College and the Woman's College from 1930-1972. Until 1995, East Campus housed both male and female and first year and upperclassmen students. The residence halls on East Campus are grouped into four "neighborhoods" based on their location and proximity to each other.
Room Furnishings	Mattress & bed frame: Mattresses are extra long (XL) twin. The actual dimensions are approximately 80 inches long x 36 inches wide x 7 inches deep. Bed frames are able to be lofted if requested after moving into the room. Bed frames are adjustable so that the mattress can be raised and lowered to allow the dressers and bookshelves to fit beneath. Be sure to check out the loft policy.
	Desk, Bookshelves, and Desk Chairs: Rooms are equipped with one desk and chair per student. The style of the desk may vary between building but the desks are approximately 42 inches wide and 24 inches deep. In some buildings, the desk is slightly smaller and comes with a separate cabinet unit that can be used as an extension of the desk or can function as a night table. Desk chairs are two position chairs with cushioned bases and backs. The fabric color varies by building.
	Chest of Drawers (Dresser): Each student also has a chest of drawers with either 3 or 5 wide, deep drawers. In some buildings the chest of drawers fits neatly under the bed or depending on the configuration of the room, the chest of drawers can be placed in the closet.
	Cable/Ethernet/Phone Outlet: All residence halls have wireless network access and each bedroom has one active Ethernet port. As of Fall 2011, landlines for phone and cable are no longer available in individual student rooms. Students should plan to bring a cell phone. The University has worked with two carriers, Verizon and AT&T, to install signal boosters in the buildings to ensure stronger signals.
Flooring	Alspaugh, Pegram, Brown, Bassett, Giles, Aycock, Wilson, and Jarvis maintain their original wooden floors (a few individual rooms in these buildings may be carpeted). Blackwell, Randolph, Bell Tower, Epworth, GA, and Southgate are carpeted. If you intend to purchase a large rug for your room, it is advisable to wait until you get to campus to measure the actual floor space before making your purchase. Some of the rooms have interesting architecture including hallways, doorways, and
	kneewalls which may alter the shape of the floor space

#### Neighborhood 1

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Alspaugh	Alspaugh residence hall is home to approximately 125 First Year students on Duke University's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Alspaugh is co-ed, with male and female students living on different wings on the same floor. Each floor has two common area bathrooms and the first floor contains a kitchen, commons room, and study room. The majority of rooms in Alspaugh retain the original hardwood floors that were laid over 80 years ago when the building was built.
Bassett	Bassett residence hall is home to approximately 125 First Year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Bassett is co-ed, with male and female students living in wings on the same floor. Almost all of the rooms in Bassett have hardwood floors. Bassett boasts several small study rooms in addition to a common area kitchen and a common lounge with a flat screen TV and a pool table.
Brown	Brown is the primary home for the First Year Wellness Living Learning Community. A wellness community is a group of people coming together with shared commitment to the pursuit of a holistic well-being. Programs for residents will focus on academic adjustment, nutrition, physical health, mental wellness, and personal expression. Students living in Brown agree to abstain from the use and possession of alcohol and tobacco products. Most of the rooms in Brown retain their original hardwood floors. The bedroom furniture in Brown is new for 2010! The unique architecture of the building means that very few rooms in Brown are the same shape or size. The Brown House Council recently purchased a large flat screen TV for the main commons room, where a piano can also be found. Brown also boasts a common area kitchen and several smaller study rooms.
Pegram	Pegram residence hall is home to approximately 125 First Year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Pegram is co-ed, with male and female students living on the same floor. The building has two bathrooms per floor, assigned by gender. Almost all rooms retain the original hardwood floors. The building is not air conditioned but has very large windows that allow a cool breeze helped out by the shade trees around the building. You'll find a common area kitchen, a large "living room" with a flat screen TV and a piano. Pegram also boasts several study rooms throughout the building.

### Neighborhood 2

Aycock	Aycock residence hall is home to approximately 90 First Year students on Duke's East Campus. Students living in Aycock can enjoy the convenience of a kitchen, laundry room, commons space, and study rooms. Aycock was newly painted in summer 2008 and received new commons furniture as of February 2009 and new bedroom furniture for Fall 2010. Rooms have the original hardwood floors and rooms come in all different shapes and sizes. Each floor has two common area bathrooms (one for men, one for women) with showers and toilet areas. The building also has a kitchen on the first floor and laundry facilities. Students also like to hang out in the commons room, study rooms, or even the ping pong room that is connected to the commons rooms.
Epworth	The oldest and smallest residence hall on Duke's East Campus, Epworth is home to fifty residents. Like all other halls on campus, Epworth is co-ed, with male and female students living on the same floor. Epworth has a full kitchen, laundry room, commons space, study room, and two outdoor patios. It is common to see Epworth students heading to the Marketplace together, hanging out on the balcony. The residents in Epworth quickly become like family and enjoy house cookouts or turning the residence hall into a haunted house for Halloween! The rooms are carpeted and there are shared bathrooms on each floor (one for men, one for women). A small number of rooms are set up as suites and share a bathroom between

	rooms.
Giles	Giles is home to approximately 115 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Residents of Giles enjoy access to a commons area kitchen, a spacious common room with a media set-up (flat screen TV, DVD system, laptop plug-in) and a study room located on the third floor. Laundry facilities are located on the second floor. Each of the rooms in Giles varies in size and shape but almost all retain the original hardwood floors and received new bedroom furniture recently. Some of the rooms on the third floor have slanted ceilings (as seen below); however, they create a fun atmosphere for the room. Each floor has two shared bathrooms with several showers and toilet stalls.
Jarvis	Jarvis is home to approximately 90 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Jarvis is co- ed. Students living in Jarvis enjoy the convenience of a kitchen, laundry room, commons space, and study rooms.
Wilson	Wilson is currently home to approximately 100 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Residents of Wilson will enjoy brand new bedroom furniture, 2 commons areas that include a piano and a flat screen TV, a kitchen area, and a study. The student rooms vary in size and shape, but they are all part of a suite-style lay out. Thus smaller groups of students share a more private bathroom. Residents are expected to keep their bedrooms and bathrooms clean (i.e. housekeeping attends to the hallways and commons rooms but does not enter student rooms/bathrooms). Laundry facilities are located on the first floor.
Neighborhood 3	
Gilbert-Addoms	Gilbert-Addoms residence hall is home to approximately 190 First Year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Gilbert-Addoms is co-ed, with male and female students living on the same floor. The majority of rooms within Gilbert-Addoms are double occupancy; however, there are a few single rooms too. Each room comes with a bed and desk, along with built-in dressers and closet space for each roommate. The large commons rooms on the first floor allows students a quiet space to study or a communal space to play pool or watch TV. Each floor also has its own common space for studying. Laundry facilities (high efficiency washers & dryers) are also located on each floor. The GA deck offers expansive space to spend a sunny afternoon sitting outside to talk with fellow residents.
Southgate	Southgate residence hall is home to approximately 150 First Year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Southgate is co-ed, with male residents on the second floor and female residents on the third. On the first floor are three large community parlors, laundry facilities (washers and dryers), and a kitchen, along with a gymnasium that is available for student use. Southgate offers a variety of room arrangements—singles, doubles and triples. Each room comes furnished with a bed, desk and bureau for each resident. The closets are spacious and roomy, making it easy for roommates to share their space.

Neighborhood	4
Bell Tower	Beginning its first year of service in fall 2005, Bell Tower is home to approximately 140 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Most rooms in Bell Tower are approximately the same size and shape. All rooms have carpeted floors and windows outfitted with blinds. In place of built-in closets, residents have mobile wardrobes that allow them to be more creative in their room configuration. Bell Tower boasts a variety of amenities. Two quiet study rooms on each floor, as well as common "living room"- type spaces in the middle of the third and fourth floors. The second floor also houses its very own computer lab and a small library.
	Some past Bell Tower residents have found it helpful to bring storage containers, stackable shelves, baskets, and other organizational supplies. You may find it helpful to wait until you arrive to purchase these additional items at Bed Bath & Beyond located nearby. Remember that non university lofting systems are prohibited in Bell Tower, as your provided bed is already set up to loft, if you choose to do so.
Blackwell	Blackwell is home to approximately 185 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other residence halls on campus, Blackwell is co-ed, with male and female students living in different wings on the same floor. All rooms in Blackwell are carpeted and are approximately the same size and shape. One unique feature of Blackwell is that the closets are an open concept design, meaning that they do not have traditional closet doors. Most students choose to bring a spring-loaded curtain rod and a curtain to close off their closet space. Students have suggested the use of storage crates as a great way to utilize the shelving above the closet.
	Blackwell is one of three air-conditioned buildings on East Campus. The building has two large common rooms and two common area kitchens. Blackwell also houses four multipurpose seminar rooms and numerous study spaces. Some residents have found it helpful to bring storage containers, stackable shelves, baskets, and other organizational supplies. You may find it helpful to wait until you arrive to purchase these additional items at Bed Bath & Beyond located nearby. Remember that non university lofting systems are prohibited in Bell Tower, as your provided bed is already set up to loft, if you choose to do so.
Randolph	Randolph Residence Hall is home to approximately 180 first-year students on Duke's East Campus. Like all other halls on campus, Randolph is co-ed, with male and female students living on the same floor. All rooms in Randolph are carpeted and are approximately the same size and shape. One unique feature of Randolph is that the closets are an open concept design, meaning that they do not have traditional closet doors. Most students choose to bring a spring-loaded curtain rod and a curtain to close off their closet space. Students have also suggested using storage crates as a great way to utilize the shelving above the closet.
	Randolph is one of three air conditioned buildings on East Campus. The building has two large common rooms and two common area kitchens. Randolph also houses four multipurpose seminar rooms and numerous study rooms. Randolph also maintains a small lending library in the commons room. Some residents have found it helpful to bring storage containers, stackable shelves, baskets, and other organizational supplies. You may find it helpful to wait until you arrive to purchase these additional items at Bed Bath & Beyond located nearby. Remember that non university lofting systems are prohibited in Bell Tower, as your provided bed is already set up to loft, if you choose to do so.

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