Here’s a list of things you’ll want to know in preparation for Move-In this fall.

**No pets are allowed in the residence halls.**

Blinds are installed in each room; however, any curtains are the sole responsibility of the resident and are only acceptable with tension rods that do not damage the window framing or walls.

You may only use nails or push pins to hang items on walls (please limit 4 holes per room to avoid repair charges).

**If you are planning on arriving outside of the scheduled Move-In times:** Parking close to the buildings is limited, so you may want to bring moving items such as a hand truck or portable cart to assist you when moving in.

**BATHROOM**

Your suite or apartment has its own bathroom. You will be responsible for cleaning it and therefore you will need to bring cleaning supplies.

**BED INFORMATION**

Your bed is an extra-long twin, so XL bedding will be necessary. Your bed will adjust to a height of 33 inches. Students do not generally loft the bed in these rooms.

**SUITE KITCHENS**

The kitchenette is equipped with a sink, microwave and full-size refrigerator to be shared with your suitemates. There will not be a stove or oven in your suite.

Bringing a small cleaning kit for your suite will be useful as you care for your space throughout the year.

**FURNITURE**

The furniture that is provided by HRC must stay in the room. Any additional furniture that you choose to bring in must not present a safety hazard, i.e., blocking doors. Please note that any upholstered furniture or other items you choose to bring into your room must be made of fire-resistant upholstery. Fire ratings for acceptable furniture will be shown on tags attached to the item, in accordance with the Flammability Requirements of California Bureau of Home Furnishings Technical Bulletin 117 (a tag on the upholstery will display if this piece is compliant with these standards).

**APPLIANCES**

HRC does not permit open-flame appliances or appliances where the food comes into direct contact with the heat source; this includes charcoal or gas grills, George Foreman-type grilling appliances, candles, toaster-ovens and hotplates. Students are encouraged to utilize appliances with an automatic shut-off feature in their space, such as a coffee pot, crockpot or rice cooker (with an automatic shut-off).

**LAUNDRY**

Laundry rooms are available on the 2nd and 4th floors of each building. The cost is $1.25 each for washing and drying. The machines take Bama Cash from your ACT card, or quarters can be used.

We recommend you use high efficiency (HE) laundry detergent, which will help ensure that your clothes are properly rinsed during the washing cycles. You also don't need as much detergent per load as with traditional detergent.

**CABLE AND INTERNET**

Your community will have a wireless internet connection called ResNet, but you may want to bring an Ethernet cord as well. If you plan on bringing a printer, please plan on connecting it to your computer with a cable, instead of the shared wireless connection.

Cable service is already connected in your room. Please remember to bring a coaxial cable for each television you are planning to hook up. DO NOT plan to mount a television on the wall, as this is not permitted in any residence halls.

**OTHER ROOM INFORMATION**

Your floor is carpeted, so you may decide not to bring an area rug.