



WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY: HOUSING & RESIDENCE LIFE NEW RESIDENT PACKING LIST

You may want to bring the following items, but you do not have to bring all of them:

- towels, wash cloths, and a bathrobe
- bed linens (mattress pads, sheets, pillow case and blankets) – all twin extra-long mattresses 36" x 81.
 - Single bedrooms in The Flats at WSU use full-size bedding
 - Check out wichita.ocm.com for great deals on bedding, towels, and more!
- laundry basket, detergent, dryer sheets, and a debit card or coins to operate the washers and dryers
- clothes hangers
- toiletries – soap (soft soap for sink), toilet paper, shampoo, deodorant, toothbrush, etc.
- shoes and clothes for fall, winter, spring, and summer
- alarm clock
- cell phone and charger
- television, DVD/Blu-Ray player, gaming system, streaming device, etc.
 - Reminder, no cable television service is provided in The Flats at WSU
- small refrigerator (4.9 cubic feet or under)
- microwave
- hair dryer, straightener, curling iron
- sewing kit
- flash light
- iron with automatic shutoff and a small ironing board (do not iron on the floor or furniture)
- multi-plug extension that is UL approved with a surge protector
- calculator
- computer, (Wi-Fi available but may want to bring an Ethernet cord as well)
- small tool kit
- first aid kit
- small can opener
- a few dishes and utensils (cup, plate, bowl, silverware, pan, fork, knife, spoon, etc.)
- umbrella, raincoat
- bicycle and bike lock (U-lock suggested) → bike racks available outside each building
- family/friends' pictures, posters, etc.
- stationery, envelopes, and a book of stamps
- medicine (aspirin, cough syrup, etc.)
- ruler, index cards, notebooks, paper, pens, pencils, etc.

- book bag or back pack
- stapler and extra staples
- Painter's tape- do not use Command strips as they tend to damage the walls

The following items are not permitted:

- personally-owned upholstered "stuffed" furniture such as sofas, cushioned chairs, bean bags, bed/futon mattresses, memory foam mattresses, and bed toppers thicker than 3"
- halogen lamps – most lamps that do not use your standard bulbs or florescent tubes are halogen
- pets (only non-dangerous fish are permitted in a clean, odor-free aquarium, less than 20 gallons)
- multi-plug extensions that are not UL approved and do not have a surge protector
- abrasive cleaning supplies – some cleaning supplies are available through the Information Desk at no additional charge with your Shocker Card
- double-sided foam tape such as Command Strips, duct tape, Scotch tape, Box Tape, wall paper and borders (these items cause considerable amount of damage to walls, doors and furniture)
- items that hang from the ceiling
- incense
- candles without a wick (Scentsy and other wax melter-type items ARE allowed)
- lighter fluid
- firearms and weapons
- items that have an OPEN heating element such as toasters, toaster ovens, George Foreman grills, and traditional coffee makers without an automatic shutoff feature
- freezer units
- refrigerators larger than 5 cubic feet
- Possession of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs
- Alcohol or drug paraphernalia (this includes, but is not limited to: beer can collections, shot glasses, wine bottles, bongs, empty alcohol containers, etc.).