What to Bring and What Not to Bring

Here is a list of items that on-campus residents often find helpful. This is not a list of required items, nor does it represent everything you might want or need. Plan according to the length of your program and your transportation to and from the program.

*Keep in mind that there is a CVS within walking distance.*

**What to Bring:**

- School supplies
- Backpack/bag
- Sheets, pillow, blanket.
  - Twin size beds: standard and extra-long twin size sheets will fit
  - Mattress measures 36” W X 6” H x 80” L
  - Rooms have air-condition
- Bath towels, soap, robe, shower shoes, shower caddy
- Personal hygiene items
- Hair dryer
- Extra contact lenses or glasses
- Clothes
  - Class/activities that would adhere to a standard dress code at school
  - Graduation luncheon on the last day of class. *Some students prefer to dress up a bit for this event.*
  - Casual clothes
  - Atlanta is hot in the summer - all campus facilities are air-conditioned
  - One/two business casual outfits (nice skirt/slacks and nice shirt – tie/suit coat not required)
  - Athletic clothes/shoes
  - Swimsuit/towel – pool trip available
- Spending money
  - Snacks/souvenirs
  - Meals and activities are covered in program
  - ATMs are on campus
- Umbrella and/or rain gear

**Items You May Bring (and may enjoy having):**

- Cell phone: no landlines in the rooms
- Laptop computer – optional
  - computer labs available on campus
- Power strip/surge protector: extension cords are prohibited
  - power strips must be UL approved with circuit breakers
- Camera
- Reading light/flashlight: halogen bulbs are prohibited
- Alarm clock
- Clothes hangers
- Laundry bag/soap: CVS within walking distance
- Trash can/trash bags
- Sunscreen
- Water bottle
- Sports equipment (tennis racket, swim goggles, etc.)
- Padlock - lockable cabinet available in room
- Down time entertainment - fun reading, playing cards, etc.

**What NOT to Bring:**

These items are prohibited in the residence hall and on campus.

- Pets
- Kitchen appliances
- Microwaves
- Drugs (see Conduct Code)
- Alcohol (see Conduct Code)
- Firearms, weapons (see Conduct Code)
- Fireworks
- Candles/incense
- Extension cords/multiple plug converters
  - Only surge protectors with a reset button are allowed
- Halogen lamps
- Coil lighting/string lights
- Air conditioners, ceiling fans, space heaters
- Leave expensive clothing/jewelry at home

**Laundry Facilities**

- Available in residence halls
- Free of charge
- Laundry detergent available at CVS (within walking distance)

**Suggestion for packing: Use space saver bags for bedding and larger, bulkier items.**