



Independent (Non-Regimental) Student Packing List

Please note: The items on this list are not required and this is meant as a guide to help you prepare for living on-campus in a Residence Hall and does not cover all permitted or not permitted items. If you are unsure on any item, please contact Residential Life by emailing housing@mma.edu and we will be happy to help!

NOTE: Regimental students should refer to the regimental packing list as not all items on this list are permitted by the Regiment of Midshipmen.

Items provided for each resident in Curtis Hall

- Twin XL sized bed
- Mattress
- Desk and bookshelf
- Desk chair
- Free standing closet/wardrobe
- 2-3 drawer dresser

Items provided by Residential Life for convenience

The following items may be requested through your Resident Assistant to use on a first come, first served basis.

- Vacuum
- Mop and bucket
- Broom and dustpan
- Basic cleaning supplies (*cleaner, paper towels, sponge, etc.*)
- Toilet paper
- Bed risers

Suggestions for What to Bring

It's important to note that less is more when it comes to packing – especially for your first semester on campus! Folks almost always overpack and they either end up finding a place to store some items or give items to their family to bring home. Keep in mind that the more you bring, the less space you'll have in your room and the more stuff you'll have to pack at the end of the semester!

Please coordinate with your roommate(s) to minimize duplicate items.

Sleeping

- ✓ Bedding
 - Mattress pad/cover
 - Comforter
 - Blankets
 - Sheets for twin XL mattress (80" long)
- ✓ Pillow(s)

Living

- ✓ Trash can (small) and trash bags
- ✓ Carpet or area rug
- ✓ Lamps (not halogen)
- ✓ Command strips, mounting putty, painters tape, etc.
- ✓ Dishes (Reusable or disposable)
- ✓ Dry erase or cork board
- ✓ Air freshener
- ✓ UL- approved power strips
- ✓ Grounded (3-prong) extension cords
- ✓ UL- certified free-standing fan or box fan
- ✓ Crates and organizers
- ✓ Bed risers
- ✓ Alarm clock
- ✓ Flashlight with extra batteries
- ✓ Clothes hangers
- ✓ Sewing kit
- ✓ Mini-fridge (3.1 cubic ft or less per room)
- ✓ Microwave (700 watt or less per room)
- ✓ Room decor

Technology, entertainment, and recreation

- ✓ Laptop
- ✓ Tablet
- ✓ Cell phone and charger
- ✓ Extra charging cables
- ✓ Television
- ✓ Bike and lock
- ✓ Sports equipment
- ✓ Waterproof Bluetooth speaker
- ✓ Board games
- ✓ Headphones
- ✓ Musical instruments

Personal care

- ✓ Prescription medications

- ✓ Toiletry holder/shower caddy
- ✓ Personal care products
- ✓ Laundry items
 - High efficiency detergent
 - Dryer sheets
 - Laundry bag/basket
 - No need for quarters, laundry funds can be added online or via cash kiosk at the Front Desk.
- ✓ Towels and washcloths
- ✓ Bathrobe
- ✓ Hand soap
- ✓ Shower shoes
- ✓ Hair dryer/hair styling tools
- ✓ Ear plugs

Health and safety

- ✓ Thermometer
- ✓ Hand sanitizer
- ✓ Face coverings/masks
- ✓ Over the counter medications (Acetaminophen, Benadryl, etc)
- ✓ Health insurance card
- ✓ First aid kit
- ✓ Personal property insurance for belongings

Academics

- ✓ Backpack/school bag
- ✓ Notebooks
- ✓ Folders
- ✓ Binders
- ✓ Index cards
- ✓ Pens
- ✓ Mechanical Pencils
- ✓ Erasers
- ✓ Highlighters
- ✓ Stapler and staples
- ✓ Textbooks
- ✓ Dish rag/sponges

Please do not bring

- x Echo devices/smart speakers – not supported on the Academy network.
- x Heating elements (e.g. hot plate, toaster oven, space heater)
- x Electric fry pans, hot pots, crockpots, insta-pots, pressure cookers, etc.
- x Personal wireless router – not supported on the network
- x Wireless printers – not supported on the Academy network

- x Halogen lamps
- x Neon signs
- x Two-prong extension cords
- x Air conditioners
- x Any item with open flame (candles, incense burners, etc.)
- x Pets, other than a small fish in up to 10 gallon tank
- x Large furniture that will not fit in the room
- x One-of-a-kind or irreplaceable items
- x Weapons or ammunition (unless you are going to sign it into the Armory)
- x Flammable liquids
- x Hover boards
- x Electrical Tools
- x Electric blankets
- x Drug or alcohol paraphernalia
- x Alcohol or alcohol containers (unless you are 21+ living in The Commons)
- x Illegal or non-prescribed drugs (including marijuana in any form)

Specific for residents of The Commons

Additional items provided (per apartment)

- Couch
- Coffee table
- 2 person dining table
- 2 dining chairs
- 2 Lamps
- Refrigerator
- Apartment sized stove

Kitchen items to bring

- ✓ Utensils
- ✓ Pots and pans
- ✓ Dish towels
- ✓ Dish soap