ASSIGNMENT
You will receive your housing and roommate assignment via email at the end of July. For up-to-date information about the assignment process, visit housing.umn.edu/moveinguide.

MOVE-IN DAY
You may move in to your assigned space beginning any time after your assigned move-in date and time. When you arrive, go to your building’s lobby to check in.
Volunteers will provide help during move-in on August 26 and 27. Moving carts are available on a first come, first served basis. Feel free to bring a handcart of your own. When packing for move-in, load your vehicle so items can be easily unloaded curbside or into a moving cart.

EARLY MOVE-IN
If you need to move in earlier than your assigned date, you must submit an early move-in request online by August 16 at housing.umn.edu/earlymoverequest.
Early move-in requests will only be granted for extenuating circumstances. Residents with early move-in will be charged $30 per night until the start of their housing contract.
Note: If you are participating in Transfer Welcome Days and assigned to a residence hall, you will need to request an early move-in.

DIRECTIONS TO CAMPUS
Housing & Residential Life will send an email to your University email account 7-10 days before your scheduled move-in time with detailed directions to your hall/apartment. Because of road construction, some routes may be unavailable.
For up-to-date information about directions and road construction, please visit housing.umn.edu/move-in.

ASSIGNMENT CHANGES
After you receive your assignment, there will be an opportunity to submit an Assignment Change Request. However, all our buildings fill completely, and we receive hundreds of change requests. Rooms only become available through cancellations, so we are only able to reassign a limited number of students.

PARKING ON CAMPUS
On August 26 and 27, there will be unloading zones near the entrance to your building. These spaces can only be used to unload. After unloading, staff and volunteers will direct you to a designated long-term parking facility.
Please follow all parking signs and inquire with staff and volunteers for additional assistance. Do not bring a trailer or oversized vehicle because it will not fit in our parking lots, and you will be directed to park off-campus.

CONTRACT RELEASE AND CANCELLATION
To request a contract release, please visit housing.umn.edu/cancel to review the cancellation policy. Without an approved contract release, we will not cancel your contract and you will be charged for the full cost of your room, regardless of whether you complete the check-in process.

Our entire Housing & Residential Life Staff is excited to work with you to help you be successful in all areas of your life and have an enjoyable year. We’re interested in helping you do what you do best in the classroom, meet amazing people, and much more.
If you are looking to make lifelong friends, achieve the career of your dreams, and positively contribute to the world, then Housing & Residential Life is excited to help you create your Foundation for Success.
Our Community Advisors are especially excited to help you transition to college, find your place on campus, and make the most out of your time with us. They’ve been in your position before and are here to provide you with support throughout the entire year.

My Assignment:

HALL & ROOM NUMBER

ADDRESS
Packing Lists

NECESSITIES
- Pillow
- Clothes hangers
- Personal toiletries
- Twin XL sheet set*
- Comforter and blanket
- Towel set
- Warm coat and winter boots
- Laundry bag and detergent
- This Move-In Guide

CONVENIENCES
- Shower caddy
- One set of dishes
- Reusable water bottle
- UL-listed surge protector
- Shower shoes
- Non-halogen desk, floor, or bedside lamp
- Mattress topper (Twin XL)*
- Sound machine
- Small fan

PERMITTED APPLIANCES
- Refrigerator (max 4.3 cu. ft.)
- Microwave (max 700 watts)
- Hair dryer / hot comb / curler
- Drip coffee / espresso maker
- Air popcorn maker
- Cup warmer
- Blender
- Hot pot
- Iron

APPLIANCES**
- Panini press
- Toaster / oven
- Hot plate / burner
- Countertop grill
- Quesadilla maker
- Oil popcorn maker
- Pizza baker / carousel

Leave At Home

PROHIBITED ITEMS
- Firearms, weapons, fireworks, and explosives of any type
- Pets (fish in up to 10 gal. tank permitted)
- Candles or incense
- Wireless routers
- Air conditioners
- Halogen lamps
- Hoverboards
- Hookahs

INTERNET & TV SERVICE IN YOUR HALL

Visit resnet.umn.edu for more information about the services available to you.

Internet Service

Our Ethernet network is the fastest, most reliable connection for online test-taking and entertainment on campus. In fact, our network is 180% faster than the U.S. average! Every resident is provided with an in-room, high-speed Ethernet connection.

Connecting your computer to our Ethernet network is easy and fast. Plug your Ethernet cord into the orange wall jack to connect to the network and begin using the high-speed connection.

Residents also have access to our secure WiFi network, Eduroam. Eduroam WiFi works at hundreds of campuses across Minnesota and the world. Learn more about WiFi and Eduroam: wifi.umn.edu.

Television

All residents have access to UMN-TV with 130+ digital channels via coax and the internet as well as a cloud DVR with up to 20 hours of storage and HBO Go streaming service.

Watch TV online: tv.umn.edu
View the channel lineup: z.umn.edu/channels

To access UMN-TV, connect your coax cable from the wall outlet into the input port on the back of your digital television. From your TV’s menu, scan for channels. Some televisions may require an external tuner. Consult your owner’s manual for more information.

Troubleshooting Your Connection

If your device doesn’t connect to Eduroam, you may need to register your device with the UMN network first at z.umn.edu/ConnectDevice.

Note: Chromecast is not currently compatible with the UMN network.

WHAT TO BRING
- Ethernet cable (RJ45, 14’ or 25’ length)
- Ethernet adapter (if required)
- Your device(s)

Internet service differs in Radius. Learn more: housing.umn.edu/resnet/internet.

WHAT TO BRING
- Coax cable
- Digital television

Television service differs in Radius and Pioneer. Learn more at housing.umn.edu/resnet/tv.

* Beds in Keeler require Full sheets.
  Beds in Radius require Full or Twin.
** If assigned to an apartment, these are allowed in the kitchen area.

You may purchase a small refrigerator and microwave for your room through U of M Bookstores. Pick-up information is provided prior to your move-in date.
You’re Right At Home.

Over the course of this six-day experience, first-year students in the Class of 2023 will be in small groups guided by returning students called Welcome Week Leaders. You will learn about the campus, build relationships, discover resources, and engage in campus traditions so that you can find your place within the U of M community!

CEHD, CFANS, CSE, & CLA students will be enrolled in a class that includes Welcome Week activities.

WELCOME WEEK

TRANSFER TRACK

AUG. 28 - SEPT. 2

Welcome Week will include the official welcome for new transfer students, college programming specific to transfer students, and an opportunity to participate in key campus traditions.

Mingle with other new transfer students, meet professional staff, learn about campus resources and student organizations, and get answers to last-minute questions.

If you are participating in Welcome Week as a new transfer student, please contact Housing & Residential Life to arrange for complimentary early move-in.

WELCOME WEEK CHECK-IN

After you move in, go to Coffman Memorial Union-Great Hall to pick up your bag, water bottle, name tag, and personalized schedule.

You will be instructed to attend a welcome event at either 2:15 p.m. or 4 p.m. on Wednesday, August 28. You will receive your Class of 2023 t-shirt after the presentation.

If you live in Bailey Hall, you will get further instructions from your Community Advisor (CA) about checking in to Welcome Week on Monday, August 26.

Students must check in for Welcome Week by 11 a.m. on Wednesday, August 28.

GET THE MOST OUT OF WELCOME WEEK WITH THE U MINNESOTA APP

Find details and a schedule of events at welcomeweek.umn.edu and the U Minnesota app.

Freshman should download the Class of 2023 guide. Transfer students should download the New Transfer Students guide.

If you do not have access to a smartphone or tablet, printed materials will be available.

Helpful Resources from Housing & Residential Life

24/7 INFORMATION DESK

Check out movies, games, vacations, brooms, mops, sports gear, and more! Borrow equipment online at housing.umn.edu/borrowit.

REPAIRS

If you ever need something fixed in your building, submit a Fix It request at housing.umn.edu/fixit.

TELEVISION

Watch over 130 channels on your TV, or stream online and record on a cloud DVR at tv.umn.edu. Services differ by building. Learn more about TV at housing.umn.edu/resnet/tv.

TECHNOLOGY

Find information about TV, internet, WiFi, printing, telephone service, Computer Centers and Computer Coordinator hours, and more at resnet.umn.edu.

GROUPS

Share your interests & hobbies with your community by creating or joining a Group! Receive funds to plan Group events with your neighbors at housing.umn.edu/groups.

MY HOUSING

Essential links for room assignment info, Fix It requests, laundry monitoring, room reservations, online TV, channel lineups and more are available at housing.umn.edu/my-housing.
**Expanded Housing**

Due to limited housing, some residents will be assigned to an “expanded housing” space.

These spaces are designed to accommodate additional residents until permanent spaces become available. Expanding housing spaces are located in larger residence hall rooms. Every attempt is made to equip these rooms with furnishings similar to those in regular rooms.

All residents will be provided with a bed, Ethernet jack, a desk or table for studying, and clothing storage space. Students living in expanded housing spaces will be charged a lower housing rate until they are moved to a permanent space.

We are committed to providing permanent residential spaces to all residents who have met the deadline for guaranteed housing. We appreciate your patience as we move toward this goal.

**BED LOFTING & SET UP**

Various bed heights are available depending on where you live. You always have the option of modifying your bed height on your own.

There are a number of spaces with bed limitations. Visit [housing.umn.edu/lofts](http://housing.umn.edu/lofts) for bed lofting instruction and more information.

**BUNKED**

A great space-saver, allowing for maximum use of room space.

**LOFTED**

A raised bed, high enough to use the floor space below for desks, shelves, etc.

**UNLOFTED**

A traditional bed set-up, low to the ground with minimal storage space below.

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**Campus Shuttles**

The free U of M campus shuttle system is a great way to get around campus quickly and easily. Full-size shuttles come equipped with wheelchair lifts and bike racks. Track the campus shuttle in real-time at [umn.edu/pts/bus/nextbus.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bus/nextbus.html).

**CAMPUS CONNECTOR**

**ROUTE 121**

The Campus Connector provides direct bus service to all campuses (St. Paul, East Bank, and West Bank) and runs Monday-Friday every 5-20 minutes, 7 a.m.-12:15 p.m. Thursday through Sunday, the Campus Connector runs until 2 a.m.

For specific route and schedule information, please visit [umn.edu/pts/bus/connectors.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bus/connectors.html).

**CAMPUS CIRCULATORS**

Campus Circulators provide service on the East Bank, West Bank, and St. Paul campuses. For specific service information about the Campus Circulators, please visit [umn.edu/pts/bus/circulators.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bus/circulators.html).

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**Bikes**

The U of M Bike Center located in the Oak Street Parking Ramp offers great amenities to bicyclists on campus. Learn more at [umn.edu/pts/bike/bikecenter.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bike/bikecenter.html).

Free bike racks are available seasonally near most residential buildings. Enclosed bike lockers are available to rent for $95 per year with a $25 refundable key deposit. Lockers are 36” by 72” and fit most standard bikes. Learn more at [umn.edu/pts/bike/bikelockers.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bike/bikelockers.html).

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**Parking & Transit**

Limited guaranteed parking spaces are assigned by the online parking lottery.

Public parking is also available for hourly, daily, and metered rates.

For more information about the parking lottery, rates, and parking locations, visit [pts.umn.edu](http://pts.umn.edu).

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**Metro Transit**

There are a variety of transportation options on campus. Students can purchase a Metro Transit semester U-Pass for discounted unlimited rides on Metro Transit buses and light rails.

The U-Pass is available for $114 per semester and can be purchased online at [umn.edu/pts/bus/upass.html](http://umn.edu/pts/bus/upass.html).

For information about routes and schedules, please visit [metrotransit.org](http://metrotransit.org).
Campus Meal Plans

There are seven all-you-care-to-eat residential restaurants on campus where you can use your meal plan. Daily menus are available online: univofminnesota.campusdish.com. Meal plans are required in Residence Halls. You can make changes to your meal plan through September 15 at housing.umn.edu/mealplanchange.

FlexDine Dollars

All meal plans include FlexDine dollars. You can use FlexDine at the following on-campus restaurants, coffee shops, and convenience stores:

**East Bank**
- Caribou Coffee
- Centennial C3 Market
- Chick-fil-A
- Cranberry Farms
- Dunn Brothers Coffee
- ecoGrounds
- Einstein Bros Bagels
- Erbert & Gerbert’s
- French Meadow Bakery
- Freshii
- Greens To Go
- Jamba Juice
- Minnesota Marketplace
- Panda Express
- Sanford C3 Market
- Starbucks
- Topios

**West Bank**
- Bistro West
- Burger Studio
- Caribou Coffee
- Dunn Brothers Coffee
- ecoGrounds
- Essentials Market
- Middlebrook C3
- Oath Pizza
- Panda Express
- Starbuck’s
- Subway

**Saint Paul**
- Java City
- Oath Pizza
- Subway

Tapingo

The Tapingo app lets you customize your meal and order in advance so your food or drink is ready when you arrive.

To get started, register your UCard to pay with FlexDine or add a credit card.

Tapingo tells you the estimated time of completion, so all you have to do is find the Tapingo pickup sign when your order is ready.

Special Diets

M Dining will work with students individually regarding special dietary needs. True Balance Allergen Stations are offered at both Middlebrook and Pioneer residential restaurants.

This station features items made without seven of the top eight most common food allergens, including gluten.

Contact M Dining’s Registered Dietitian at 612-626-8977 or brott015@umn.edu to learn more about special diet accommodations.

CONNECT WITH UMN DINING SERVICES

/UMNDining @UMNDining 612-626-7626 dining.umn.edu

EASE & EXPERTISE

One Stop Student Services offers expert help and self-service tools to help you manage the business of being a student.

Everything you need to know about registration, financial aid, billing, payments, student accounts, student records, and veteran services is available from One Stop on the web, email, phone, and in person at the three One Stop campus centers:

- East Bank
  333 Robert H. Brinlinsks Hall
  222 Pleasant Street SE
  Minneapolis, MN 55455

- West Bank
  130 West Bank Skyway
  219 19th Avenue S
  Minneapolis, MN 55455

- Saint Paul
  130 Coffey Hall
  1420 Eckles Avenue
  Saint Paul, MN 55108

BILLING & PAYMENTS

You will receive an email notice in your University email account when your billing statement is available to be viewed and paid online. For complete information about all payment options and due dates, please visit onestop.umn.edu/finances/pay.

FINANCIAL AID

To review your financial aid status, visit the Financial Aid Quick Link on the One Stop website. Contact a One Stop counselor if you have any questions.

GRADUATION PLANNER

Graduation Planner is an interactive online tool that helps you design a graduation plan, explore majors and minors, and find relevant courses. Start your plan today at plan.umn.edu. More degree planning resources are available at onestop.umn.edu/degree_planning.