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:

- **Clothes**
  - Class/activities that would adhere to a standard dress code at school. All students are expected to dress appropriately and ready for instruction for the entire day, which includes wearing suitable clothing that promotes respect, neatness, cleanliness and safety for self and others.
  - *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, pack a light jacket or sweater
  - One/two business casual outfits
  - Athletic clothes/shoes for working out at the gym
  - Swimsuit/towel – pool trip available
- **School supplies**
- **Backpack/bag**
- **Sheets, pillow, pillowcase, blanket/comforter**
  - 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**
- **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 - **WhatsApp is required to communicate while in the program**

- Laptop computer – optional but highly recommended.
  - computer labs available on campus

- Power strip/surge protector: extension cords are **prohibited**
- power strips must be UL approved with circuit breakers

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

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