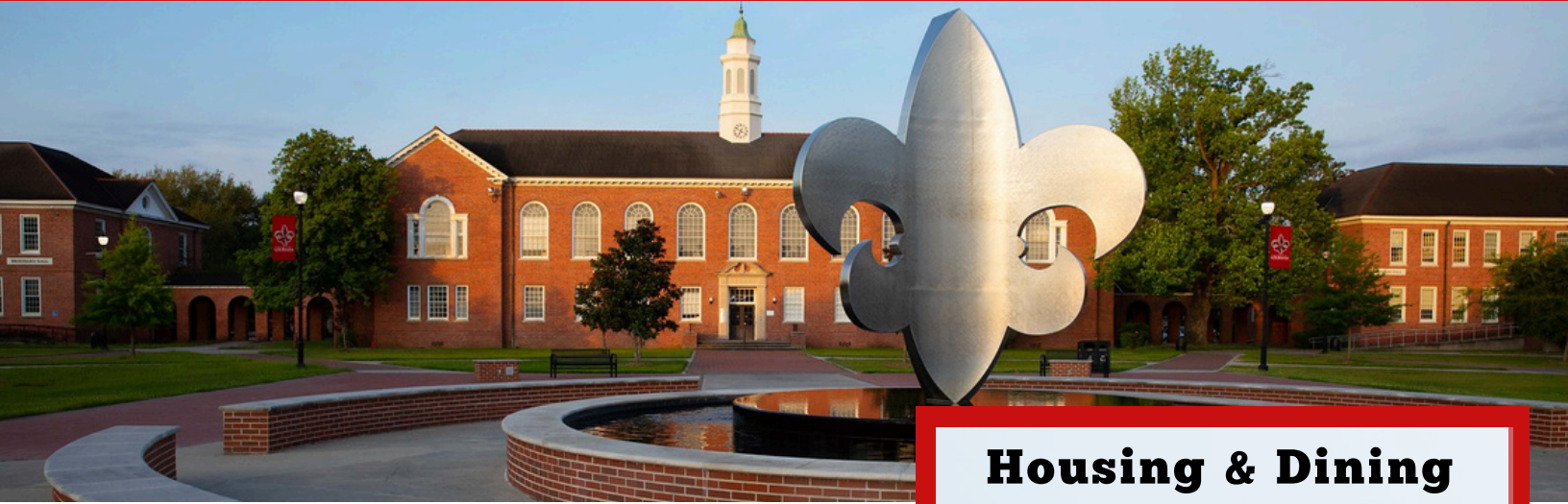


COLLEGE 101

FOR UL LAFAYETTE PARENTS & FAMILY



UNIVERSITY HOUSING

Housing Move-In for freshmen takes place August 16-17, 2025 **by appointment only**.

Students will be able to view their housing assignments and roommate and/or suitemate information by doing the following:

1. Log into ULink.
2. Click on the "Housing" card.
3. Click "Log into the Housing Portal."
4. Assignment details will be available to view under My Information

Encourage your student to reach out to their roommate to get acquainted, plan room décor, and decide who will bring what supplies to help cut costs and save space.

Students will need to make sure that their first full payment for housing and meals is made prior to the [University's deadline for tuition and fees](#) (August 25, 2025).

If your student has not yet received their housing assignment, please know that the Housing Office is continuing to process applications and assign students as spaces become available. Students should monitor their University email for updates. We appreciate your patience!

Housing & Dining

Not sure who to contact with your questions?

Send them to us:

parents@louisiana.edu

University Housing

337-482-6471

oncampusliving@louisiana.edu

housing.louisiana.edu

Buchanan Hall, 2nd Floor

Dining Services

337-482-6179

renee.burgess@louisiana.edu

dining.louisiana.edu

Student Union, 2nd Floor

Campus Food Services

337-482-2871

campusfoodservices@louisiana.edu

campusfoodservices.louisiana.edu

Buchanan Hall, 2nd Floor

HELPFUL MOVE-IN RESOURCES

- Important updates and move-in instructions will be provided to students via **University email** as move-in approaches. It is critical that your student is checking their University email regularly.
- Review the **Move-In Central Website** for additional information about the move-in process, packing lists, decorating guidelines, and more!
- Follow the Housing Office for helpful tips and updates:

 [UL Lafayette University Housing](#)

 [ul.lafayette.housing](#)



- Students must abide by departmental and University rules and regulations. Being familiar with the **Housing Handbook** before they move-in, is the best way to start the year off right!

IMPORTANT DETAILS ABOUT HOUSING MOVE-IN



- It is critical that you and your student carefully follow all instructions provided by the Housing Office. We appreciate your cooperation to ensure a successful day!
- Move-in appointments are open and can be rescheduled until July 31, 2025 in the Housing Portal. Your student will be assigned a move-in day and they get to choose a move-in time for that day. If your student does not schedule an appointment by July 31, the Housing Office will select a time for them.
- Please wear comfortable shoes and clothing! Elevators will be used solely to transport the residents' belongings to their floor.
- To help with traffic flow, stairwells and side entrances will be open for move-in.
- The University will have large bins on rollers to put personal items in to help the process. However, we suggest bringing a dolly and/or collapsible cart to help move items to the rooms.
- Two vehicles per resident will be allowed in unloading zones near the residence halls for **20 minutes only. Cars cannot be unattended at anytime during that 20 minutes.**
- After 20 minutes have passed, vehicles must relocate to a designated parking lot.
- U-Haul-type trucks, box trucks, and trailers will not be permitted in the unloading areas.



DINING SERVICES

Whether your student is living on- or off-campus, they won't go hungry while they're here! The [Dining Services](#) staff works hard to ensure that your student has access to tasty and healthy meals throughout their busy schedule.

Be sure to follow Dining Services on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#) for regular updates, information, raffles, and more! Daily menus for Cypress Lake Dining Room can be viewed on the [Everyday app](#).

Meal Plans

Meal plans are divided into two components: meal swipes and declining balance. The components of your student's meal plan will be loaded onto their Cajun Card. Meal plans for the Fall 2025 semester will begin on **August 16, 2025**.

Meal Swipes can be used at Cypress Lake Dining Room and Lagniappe Café, located inside of Cafe Fleur de Lis. Declining Balance can be used at any location operated by UL Lafayette Dining Services.

Residential and Commuter students can select a meal plan or see their selected meal plan for the upcoming semester in the StarRez Housing Portal.

Meal plans are financially beneficial and are huge timesavers for students with busy schedules across campus.



Dining Locations



Student Union:

- Cypress Lake Dining Room
- Starbucks
- McAlister's Deli
- Smoothie King
- Chick fil A

Ragin Cajun Food Court at Agnes Edwards Hall:

- Pizza Hut Express
- Hissho Sushi
- Viva La Waffle
- "Grab N Go" convenience items

FALL 2025 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

(Subject to change)

August 22

New Student Convocation
& Cajun Connection

August 25

Tuition & Fees Payment Deadline

August 25

Classes Begin

September 1

Labor Day Holiday

September 4

Last Day to Add/Drop Classes

October 2-3

Fall Holiday

October 27-November 7

Advising Session for Spring

November 17

Last Day to Drop Class with "W"

November 27-28

Thanksgiving Holiday

December 3-December 7

Dead Days

December 5

Last Day of Classes

December 8-12

Final Exams

December 12

Semester Ends

Other Locations:

- Cafe Fleur de Lis (near Legacy Park apartments)
- Jazzman's Cafe & Bakery (inside of Dupre Library)
- Smoothie King (Bourgeois Hall)