Living On Campus



UNIVERSITY of LOUISIANA LAFAYETTE

Housing & Residential Life



Important Information

- Housing applications for Spring Only opened on November 9.
- Due to current occupancy, housing availability for the Spring 2027 semester is limited. We cannot guarantee placement in a specific room type or with a requested roommate.
- Assignments will be sent to your University email.

What's included in the cost of housing

- Room rates vary based on your assigned room type.
  - Scholarship students are responsible for any remaining balance if their scholarship does not cover the full cost of housing.
- Furnished room including a Twin XL bed and mattress, desk and chair, dresser, and a closet or armoire
  - Armoires in Baker, Huger, and Agnes Edwards Halls
  - Closets in Harris, Bonin, and Coronna Halls
- All utilities: electricity, water, sewage, trash, internet
- Laundry: facilities in each hall
- Campus PO box: Request at the campus Post Office after check-in





What's not included in the cost of housing

- Meal plan: Required for all students living in a residence hall or Legacy Park Apartments.
  - Cajun Freedom or Cajun Select meal plans are available for the residence hall residents
  - Declining Balance (DB) vs. Meal Swipes
- Parking permit: must be purchased through the Office of Transportation Services to park on campus.
  - A permit is required to park on campus.

Residential Life Support System



Your RA Is Here To:

- Build community
- Help with conflicts
- Connect you to resources
- Assist during emergencies

Hall Staff Can Help With:

- Mental health concerns
- Homesickness
- Academic struggles
- Safety concerns

Living With a Roommate

- **Tips for Success**
  - Communicate! Communicate! Communicate!
  - Respect different lifestyles
  - Discuss sleep/study/guest expectations and complete the roommate agreement together
  - Address issues early
  - Be honest about feelings and be willing to compromise
- **If Problems Happen**
  - Talk to your roommate first
  - RA mediation available
  - Room change requests are not immediate



Your Role in the Community



Your Role As A Resident

- Check your UL email regularly
- Keep shared spaces clean
- Be respectful to roommates & neighbors
- Report maintenance concerns
- Participate in your community
- If you see something, say something

Community Expectations

- Quiet hours are observed daily from 10:00 p.m. – 8:00 a.m.
- Courtesy hours are in effect 24/7
- Respect guest policies and community standards

Get Involved and Make Connections

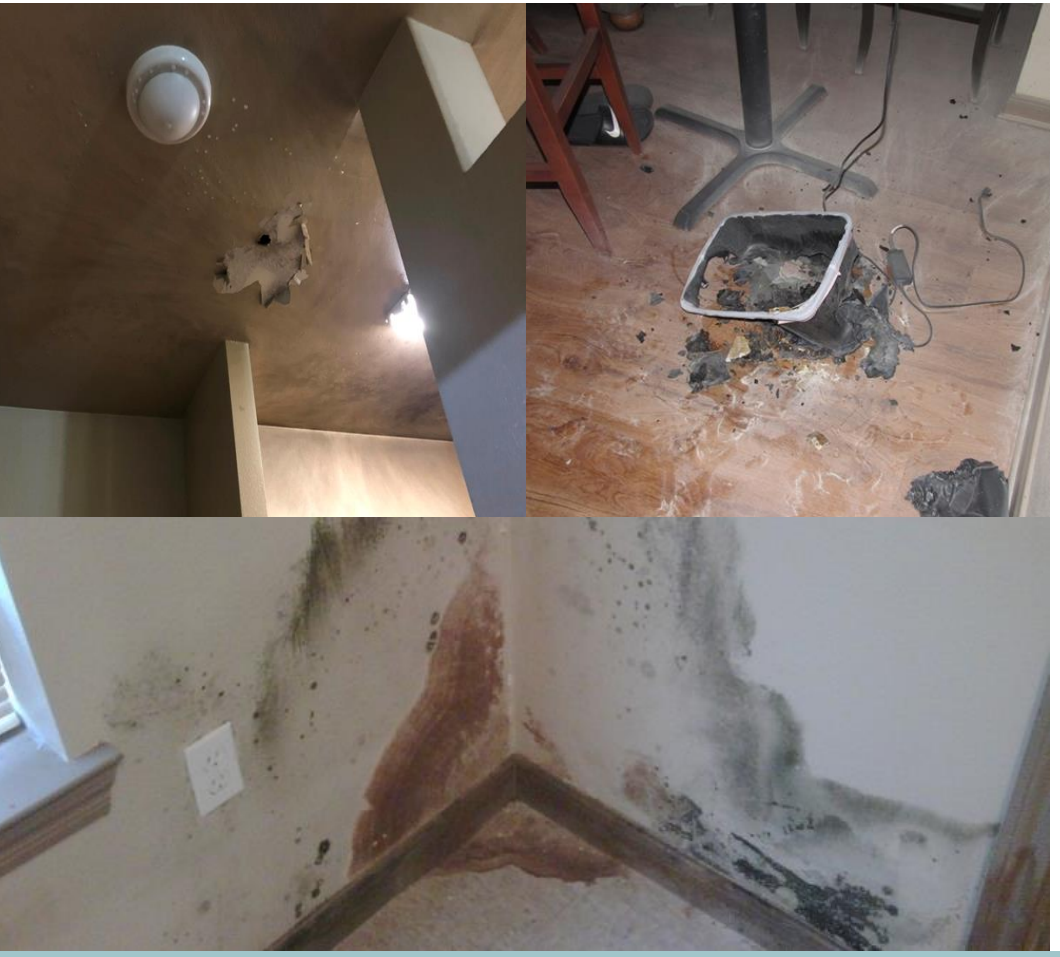
- Attend hall events and programs
- Join the Residential Hall Association (RHA)
- Explore leadership opportunities
- Meet students in your building
- Participate in campus traditions

Safety and Security

- Card Access Systems
  - Residents must scan at the front desk
- Emergency Notification System
- University Police Department
- UL Shield App
- Blue Light Emergency Phones
- Security Cameras
- On-Call Staff and Duty Phones



Renters' Insurance

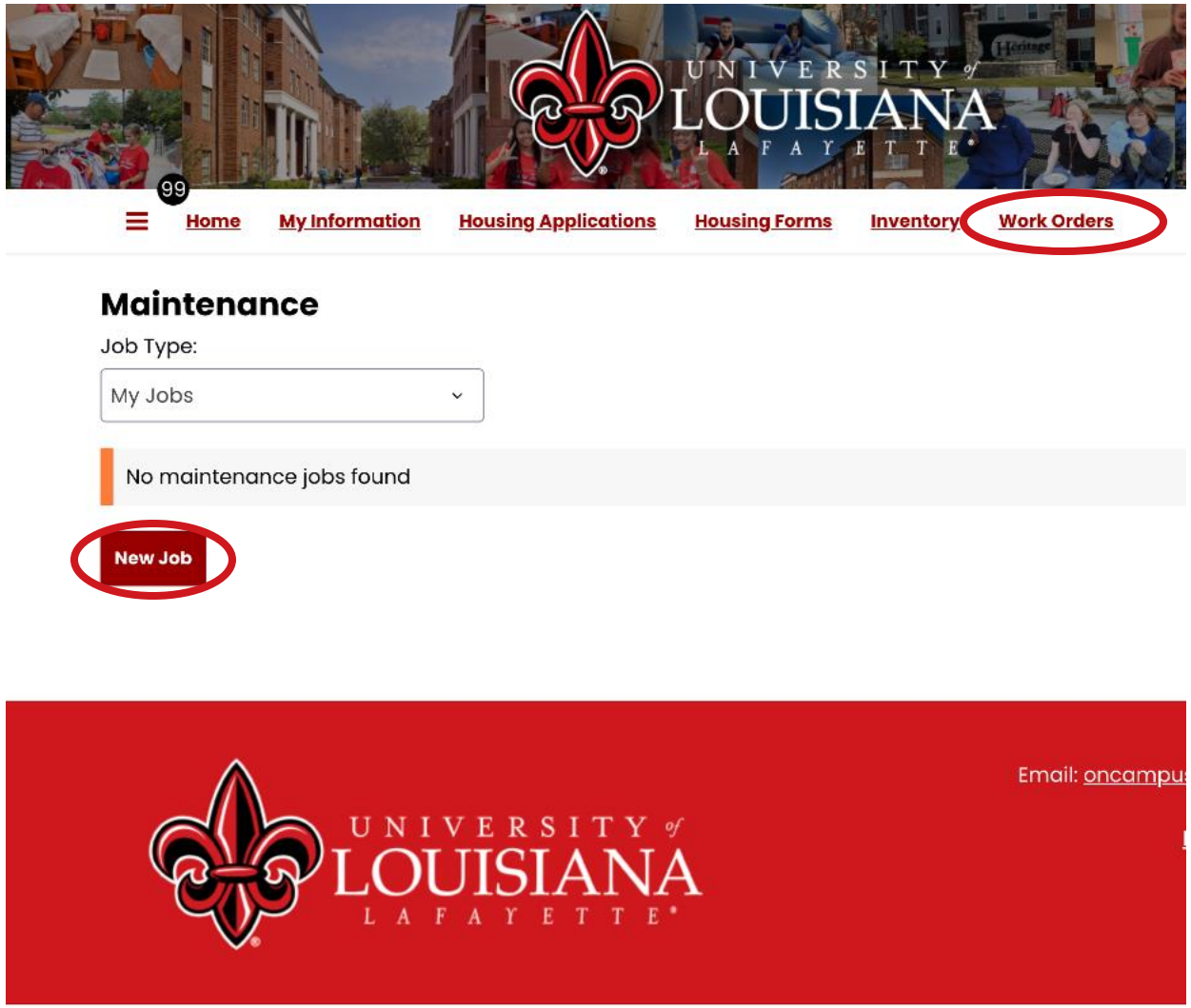


- Before you move in, we strongly encourage you to obtain renters' insurance. Most people only think about renters' insurance after the fact, but having coverage in place before you arrive can help protect you from unexpected costs.
- It can cover valuable items such as:
  - Electronics (laptops, tablets, gaming systems)
  - Household appliances (mini-fridges, microwaves)
  - Furniture
  - Apparel and jewelry
  - School supplies, including textbooks

YOUR PERSONAL PROPERTY IS NOT COVERED BY THE UNIVERSITY'S INSURANCE.

Work Orders

- Submit via the Housing Portal as soon as possible
- Don’t wait for problems to get worse
- The resident is responsible for submitting maintenance requests. We don’t know about a problem unless it is reported to us!
- Any unreported maintenance issues can lead to bigger problems that could be deemed the residents' fault.
- Never rely on someone else to submit your maintenance request. Any unreported maintenance issues can lead to bigger problems that could be deemed the residents' fault.





Building Access and Keys

- Your Cajun Card provides access to:
  - Your residence hall entrance
  - Front desk check-in access points
  - Your assigned floor/community
- Room Keys
  - You will receive your room key at check-in and are responsible for maintaining possession of this key until check-out.
  - Lockout or lost key fees:
    - $25 lockout fee | 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
    - $50 lockout fee | 10:00 p.m. – 8:00 a.m.
    - $200 lost key replacement fee (includes replacement of associated locks)

NEVER LEND YOUR KEY OR CAJUN CARD TO OTHERS

Spring Move-In 2027

January 9, 2027

from 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

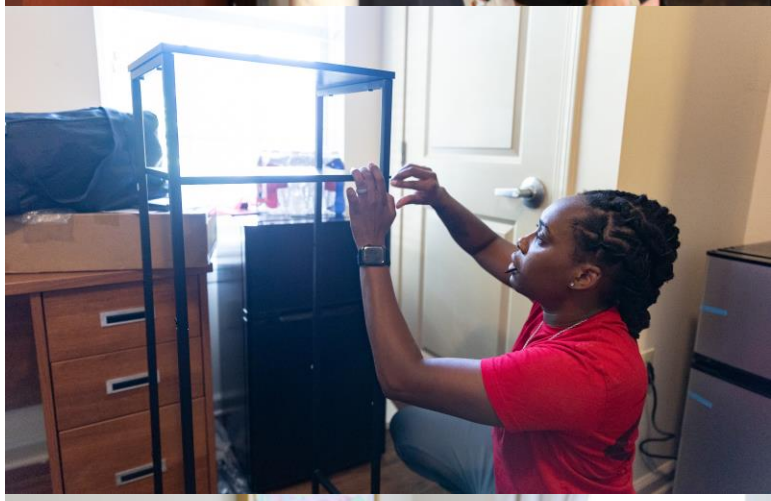




What to Expect

- Move-In Day is exciting, busy, loud, and fast-paced, but our staff is here to help make the process run smoothly!
- Before You Arrive
  - Move-in is by appointment ONLY
  - Maximum of 2 vehicles per resident
  - **No U-Hauls or trailers permitted**
- Packing Tips
  - Pack belongings in manageable containers
  - Clearly label items with the student's name, ULID, and building name
- Dress Comfortably
  - Wear comfortable clothes and closed-toe shoes
  - Expect lots of walking, lifting, and stair climbing throughout the day







What to Bring

- LINENS (TWIN XL) AND TOILETRIES
- SHOWER CURTAIN AND TRASH CANS
- TOILET PAPER AND PAPER TOWELS
- TOWELS AND WASH CLOTHS
- MINI-FRIDGE (UP TO 4.5 CUBIC FEET)
- MICROWAVE (UP TO 700 WATTS)
- AIR FRYER, KEURIG, SLOW COOKERS, RICE COOKERS, WHEN CLEANED/USED PROPERLY
- FIRST AID KIT
- WHITE STICKY TACK OR COMMAND STRIPS
- PLATES, CUPS, UTENSILS, & REUSABLE WATER BOTTLE
- LAUNDRY BASKET AND HE DETERGENT
- RAIN BOOTS, RAINCOAT, UMBRELLA
- DECORATIONS TO PERSONALIZE
- CLEANING SUPPLIES, BROOM, MOP, DUSTPAN, CLOROX WIPES, VACUUM
- LOCK FOR ARMOIRE
  BAKER, HUGER, AE HALLS ONLY
- LAPTOP AND PRINTER WITH CONNECTION CORD
- TYPICAL MEDICAL SUPPLIES LIKE BAND-AIDS, THERMOMETER, AND TYLENOL
- COLLAPSIBLE CART

WHAT YOU MOVE IN, YOU HAVE TO MOVE OUT!

What Not To Bring

- **PETS OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING FISHBOWLS**
  UNLESS APPROVED ESA OR SERVICE ANIMAL
- **WI-FI ROUTER**
- **WIRELESS PRINTER**
  WIFI PRINTING IS UNAVAILABLE
- **EXPOSED HEATING ELEMENTS LIKE TOASTERS, TOASTER OVENS, HOT PLATES**
- **WALLPAPER**
- **ALCOHOL, INCLUDING EMPTY ALCOHOL BOTTLES**
  CAMPUS-WIDE POLICY
- **CANDLES OR INCENSE**
- **WAX OR CANDLE WARMERS**
- **SPACE HEATERS & ELECTRIC HEATING BLANKETS**
- **PULL-UP BARS AND HOVERBOARDS**
- **BIDETS AND YOUR OWN SHOWERHEAD**
- **VAPE, TOBACCO, ILLEGAL DRUGS, WEAPONS**
  CAMPUS-WIDE POLICY

THERE ARE FINES ASSOCIATED WITH ALL OF THESE ITEMS

Scan for Move-In Central

maps • check-in info • packing lists • updates • faqs

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