

# MIZZOU MOVE-IN CHECKLIST

The following items are suggestions; you are not required to bring everything on this list. Talk to your roommate about who is bringing what. Items marked with + are limited to one per room.

## FOR YOUR BED

- Bedspread or comforter, blankets
- Pillows and pillowcases
- Bed sheets; standard, jersey, extra-long and deep-pocket sheets all will work  
(Residence halls: 80" twin-size)
- Mallet (for changing bed height)

## FOR THE BATH

- Bathrobe
- Brushes, combs, etc.
- First-aid kit
- Hair dryer, curling or flat iron (UL-approved)
- Prescribed medications, prescriptions for renewal
- Soap, body wash, shampoo, conditioner
- Shower bucket or tote
- Shower shoes or flip-flops
- Toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss
- Towels and washcloths

## ELECTRONICS

- Cell phone and charger
- Computer, laptop, and/or tablet
- Digital TV with a QAM tuner + (wall mounting prohibited)
- Ethernet cable
- Flash drive
- Headphones or earbuds
- Surge protector strip with a 15-amp circuit breaker and safety reset switch  
Check [doit.missouri.edu/new-students/gadgets-in-your-room](http://doit.missouri.edu/new-students/gadgets-in-your-room) for list of specifics

## APPLIANCES (MUST BE UL-APPROVED)

- Coffee maker
- Microwave (max. 1,000 watts); only one per room +
- Mini refrigerator (max. 4.5 cubic feet); only one per bedroom +

Please refer to Residential Life Policies for more information on acceptable appliances:  
[housing.missouri.edu/policies-procedures](http://housing.missouri.edu/policies-procedures)

## FOR YOUR HEALTH

- Hand sanitizer (alcohol-based, 60% or more)
- Cleaning supplies (i.e. sanitizing wipes)
- Thermometer
- Acetaminophen (Tylenol) or Ibuprofen (Advil)

## FOR YOUR ROOM

- Broom and dust pan, small vacuum cleaner
- Carpet or rugs
- Cleaning supplies
- Cookware, dishes, cups
- Dish soap
- Flashlight, batteries
- Tool kit (small)
- Trash bags (8-gallon)
- Travel mug
- Under-bed storage drawers or caddies

## DESK & SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- Reusable water bottle
- Backpack or book bag
- Desk supplies (stapler, folders, etc.)
- Notebooks, pens

## FOR THE LAUNDRY

- Clothes hangers
- Dryer, fabric softener sheets
- Iron and ironing board
- Laundry basket or bag
- Liquid detergent only
- Sewing kit

## FOR OUTDOORS

- Bicycle, lock, helmet
- Rain gear, umbrella
- Sunscreen, sunglasses
- Swimming suit, goggles
- Winter coat, hat, gloves, boots

**Pro-Tips: Bring a dolly, cart, or hand truck. Use stacking plastic bins or totes instead of boxes or loose items.**

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## CARRY WITH YOU

- Debit card, credit cards, checkbook
- Driver's license; if you're bringing a car: title, registration, proof of insurance
- Health insurance card
- Passport or other state ID
- Student ID

*This list is not comprehensive. Please contact Residential Life if you're not sure an item is needed or allowed.*

## ALREADY IN YOUR ROOM

- ☑ Mattress with mattress pad
- ☑ Desk
- ☑ Closet or wardrobe
- ☑ Dresser
- ☑ Bed frame
- ☑ Mirror
- ☑ Wastebasket
- ☑ Recycle bin

## PLEASE DO NOT BRING THESE ITEMS PROHIBITED ITEMS

- Alcohol and alcohol containers
- Candles, oil lamps and other source of open flame
- Controlled substances, drugs and drug paraphernalia
- tobacco, vapes, electronic cigarettes (prohibited for on-campus use)
- Darts with points or sharp ends
- Fireworks and explosives
- Incense and oil/wax scent diffusers (Scentsy plug ins, Glad plug ins allowed)
- No small marker boards for exterior of room door
- Pets: with the exception of fish, all pets must be approved by your roommate and your residence hall coordinator prior to the animals' arrival. (Emotional support animals are a separate process.)
- Powdered laundry detergents; dye-trapper or other laundry sheets; laundry pods, capsules or tablets
- Multi-plug adapters
- Appliances including, but not limited to: air fryers, toasters, toaster ovens, electric grills (ex. George Foreman), panini presses, pressure cookers (ex. Instant Pot), No space heaters of any kind
- Any appliance with exposed heating elements or grease collection
- LED self adhesive strip lighting
- Lights/lamps using halogen bulbs
- Fragile or irreplaceable items
- Road, street and traffic signs
- Weapons of any kind
- Wifi router
- BBQ grills
- Lighter fluid

## DECORATING YOUR ROOM

Use only approved products to hang posters and other decorations in your room.

Bluford, Brooks, Center, College Avenue, Discovery, Dogwood, Excellence, Galena, Gateway, Hawthorn, North, Responsibility, Respect and South have sheetrock walls. Please use tacks, push pins or straight pins only.

Defoe-Graham, Gillett, Hatch, Hudson, Johnston, Mark Twain, McDavid, Schurz and Wolpers have cinderblock, plaster and sheetrock walls. Use 3M Command Adhesive products only on cinderblock and plaster walls (they sound solid when you tap them). Use tacks, push pins or straight pins only on sheetrock walls.

## TIP: BUY RENTER'S INSURANCE

MU does not purchase property insurance covering any loss of, or damage to, the student's personal property. Renter's insurance can be very affordable and can cover property damage, such as if you drop your laptop. Some homeowner's insurance can be extended to college students.

We recommend researching your options.

Do *not* use adhesive wallpaper or sheet goods on sheetrock walls because significant damage may occur.

Do *not* use nails, staples, tape or other fasteners on any walls. If you have questions regarding the use of a particular type of adhesive in your room, contact your residence hall coordinator.

No LED self-adhesive strip lighting. Products with adhesive or residue, such as wall stickers, gel clings, vinyl appliques and static clings, may cause damage and should not be used. If any damage occurs to your doors, furniture, windows or walls due to these products or other unapproved products, you may be billed for the repairs.

