



# COLUMBIA COLLEGE

1854

## What to Bring: Packing List

### Bedding

- Mattress Cover/Protector
- Duvet and Duvet Cover or Comforter Set
- Mattress Pad
- Pillows
- Pillow Cases
- Sheets in **Standard Twin** Size (2-3 sets) (All buildings but Hudson)
- Twin XL Sheets for Hudson Hall**
- Throw Blanket

### Room Décor

- Wall art (posters, etc.)
- Photographs and picture frames
- Flame Resistant Curtains (for windows and closets in McNair)
- Area Rugs
- Dry Erase Board or Bulletin Board
- Bean Bag Chair or Comfy Chair for Additional Seating
- Small Bookshelf
- Desk Lamps (no Halogen lamps or light bulbs)
- Full Length Mirror
- Tension Rod (can be used for both the closets and windows in McNair)
- Adhesive Strips That Do Not Remove Paint From Walls (Recommend 3M command strips or painters tape)
- Alarm Clock
- Closet Organizer
- Floor Lamp
- Trashcan
- Door Stop
- Plug-In Air Fresheners

### Bathroom

- Towels/Washcloths
- Hair Towel
- Flip Flops
- Toothbrush/Soap Case
- Mesh Sponge

- Robe
- Slippers
- Rug
- Hair Brush
- Hair Straightener/Styler
- Hair Dryer
- Air Freshener
- Shower Cap
- Shower Curtain
- Toiletries
- Toilet Paper

### Desk/School Supplies

- Backpack
- Calendar
- Desk Organizer
- Light Bulbs (no halogen bulbs)
- Calculator
- Notebooks
- Pens/Pencils
- Folders
- Planner
- Post-It Notes
- Tape
- White-Out/Correction Fluid or Pen
- Highlighters
- Dictionary
- Thesaurus
- Stationery
- Address Book
- Binder Clips
- Binders
- Envelopes
- Erasers
- Glue
- Hole Punch
- Notebook paper
- Paper clips
- Pencil sharpener
- Pencils
- Pens
- Rubber Bands
- Rule
- Scissors
- Stamps
- Staple Remover
- Stapler
- Staples

- Textbooks
- Markers/Crayons

### Tech

- Laptop/Computer/Tablet
- Chargers
- DVDs
- Ethernet Cable
- External Hard Drive
- Flash Drives
- HDMI Cable
- Headphones and Spare Headphones
- iPod/MP3 Player
- Portable Fan
- Power Strip (UL approved, 1.5 amp circuit breaker)
- TV/VCR/DVD Player
- Stereo
- Batteries
- Camera
- Coaxial Cable/TV Cable
- Small Microwave (not to exceed starting amps of 14, or running amps of 7.6)
- Refrigerator (no larger than 5 cubic feet and 12 running amps)
- Blender/Crockpot/Small Coffee Pots/Single Serve Coffeemakers (with automatic shut off)
- Cell Phone

### Storage and organization

- Under-bed storage
- Stacking drawers
- Storage totes and bins
- Duffel Bag
- Clothes Hangers
- First Aid Kit
- Flashlight
- Batteries
- Tool Kit
- Umbrella
- Bug Spray
- Medications



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## Laundry and Cleaning

- Bleach
- Color Catchers
- Drying Rack
- Fabric Softener
- Garment Bag
- Iron (must have an automatic shut off)
- Ironing Board
- Laundry Detergent
- Laundry Hamper or Bag
- Lint Brush
- Lingerie Bag
- Portable Stain Remover Pen
- Sewing Kit
- Stain Remover
- All Purpose Cleaner
- Cleaning Cloth
- Hand Vacuum/Stick Vacuum
- Broom/Dustpan
- Step Stool
- Basin/Toilet/Counter Cleaner
- Disinfectant
- Sponges
- Dryer Sheets
- Trash Bags
- Paper Towels

## Clothes

- They are kind of important too! ;-)

### TIP:

Be sure to contact your roommate(s) and/or suitemates to coordinate who will bring which item(s). *There is not enough space in the rooms for two or three of each of these things.*

Make sure to pack all your belongings in totes and label them with your name and room number. Loose items can easily be lost or misplaced during move in

**The items listed are suggestions for making your room a home away from home.**

### Things to consider:

- Be mindful when choosing *adhesive tape* to adhere posters and pictures to the walls. Even small amounts can cause a lot of damage.
- Take care in how much *wall space* you utilize – If the wall has too many pictures and posters it can be a safety concern!

## Prohibited Items

- ✗ Candles/Incense
- ✗ Sun Lamps
- ✗ Candle Warmers/Hot Plates/Wax Warmers
- ✗ Ceiling Fans
- ✗ Cooking Appliances (includes)
  - Broilers
  - Toasters
  - Toaster Ovens
  - Hot Plates
  - Pressure Cookers
  - Convection Cooking Items
- ✗ Halogen Lamps/Light Bulbs
- ✗ Extension Cords/Splitters
- ✗ Wireless Routers
- ✗ Bed Risers
- ✗ Electric Blanket
- ✗ Space Heater
- ✗ Window/Personal Air Conditioners
- ✗ Paper Lanterns or Lamps
- ✗ Weapons
- ✗ Fireworks
- ✗ Decorative Alcohol Containers
- ✗ Appliances with an open flame, coil, or heating unit
- ✗ Live Christmas Trees
- ✗ Pets (Fish in 10 gallon tank, or smaller, are permitted)
- ✗ No more than 2 power strips may be used in a room at a time

### Room Size

Double: 15' x 11'

### Window Sizes

Main- 50" H x 52" W

Top- 15" H x 11' 1" W

### Bed: Standard Twin

Lofted (Floor to Top) 40.5" H

Lofted (Floor to frame) 30.5" H

### Closet Sizes

41" W x 73" H

### Desk

42" W x 22" D x 30.5" H

### Floor to Ceiling

8' 8" H

### Dresser

3' W X 22" D X 30.5" H

***Happy Shopping! See you in the fall!***

## LINENS

The Residence Hall Association (RHA) sponsors the sale of linens for all students through



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