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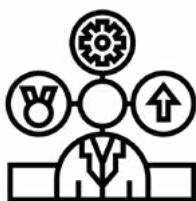


WELCOME TO UNC CHARLOTTE!



Living on Campus and Student Success

First-year students may face a variety of new experiences when they begin their college education. Living on campus will provide new and unexpected opportunities to learn and grow. In addition to learning how to navigate college, they will also encounter a variety of developmental opportunities. During their first year, students are learning new competencies, developing mature relationships and becoming autonomous and self-reliant.



24/7 Support

Housing and Residence Life at UNC Charlotte employs a wide variety of staff available to help students in almost every area of their University life (and sometimes beyond). Residence Education Coordinators (RECs) are full-time professional staff members who live in our halls and oversee building operations. REC staff supervise Resident Advisors (RAs), who are upper-class residents of the building familiar with the many different resources and opportunities available to students on our campus. RAs also work to uphold community standards and develop a sense of belonging within the building, on our campus and throughout the greater Charlotte community.



Safety

The safety and security of our residents is of utmost importance that's why access to each hall is restricted to only residents of the building. We also utilize a robust safety team that is made up of security guards, Residence Education Coordinators, 24/7 on-call staff, security cameras and a police department on campus. We also encourage all residents to download the Live Safe App, which allows users to call or text the University Police Department and anonymously report tips.

SERVICES AND AMENITIES



Wireless Internet Service

Wireless internet is available in every residence hall, including shared spaces, on campus through Boldyn ResNet. Wired connections are also available, if preferred. Students provide their own computers and will need a RJ-45 Ethernet cable to connect their computer to the wall jack, if they are planning to use the wired internet.

Personal wireless routers are not needed to connect to the internet and their use is prohibited as they interfere with the buildings wireless signals.



Television Services

Our cable television provider, Boldyn, offers on-campus residents more than 100 channels of digital TV. Residents can also watch their favorite shows and sports on a variety of devices including your laptop, Smart TV (via RoKu, Amazon Fire TV Stick, Apple TV) and mobile device by downloading the Stream2 app.

The system works with all “digital cable ready” TVs and converters. Most new TVs are digital cable ready (QAM in the clear tuner). However, if your TV is not digital cable ready, you will need to purchase a cable converter box capable of receiving QAM (digital cable) or a newer TV.



Appliance Rentals

Microfridges are a combination microwave and refrigerator/freezer unit that were designed specifically for college students living on campus. This is a special appliance that is available to UNC Charlotte students through Standards for Living.

Visit their website, standardsforliving.com/school-info/uncc, to learn more about how students may rent or purchase a MicroFridge unit.



Furniture Dimensions + Mattress Size

All provided furniture dimensions (including bed frame dimensions) can be found on our website, visit your halls webpage. Most* of our mattresses are Twin XL (36” wide by 80” long). When you purchase your sheets, double check the length of the fitted sheet on the packaging. **Greek Village has double mattresses (53” wide by 80” long)*



Laundry Facilities

Each residence hall has washers and dryers available for resident use at no additional cost. The high-efficiency machines available on campus clean effectively, help save time, and are gentle on both your clothes and the environment.



Vending Machines

All of our residential areas offer snack and drink vending machines. Students can deposit money on their 49er ID Card to use at our vending machines. There are no change machines.



Mail and Packages

Residents may receive letter mail and packages to their campus address on campus. Residents will be notified via their UNC Charlotte email that they have mail/packages ready for pickup from Mail & Package Services in Prospector. The address format for all of our halls is:

Resident Name
Residence Hall Name, Room Number
9201 University City Boulevard
Charlotte, NC 28223



Housing & University Communications

Housing and Residence Life communicates with students via their official university email. Students should check their email frequently for any updates. Students should also check our website, housing.charlotte.edu, for information and updates related to policies, important dates and events. Almost all of our communication with students is electronic.

Need to change an address, telephone number, email address or other contact information with the University? Please log into My Charlotte at my.charlotte.edu to make changes.



Housing Charges

Housing charges are posted online to students' accounts beginning in early July. You should make all payments for our services through Niner Central. Payment plans are available. For more information please visit their website, ninercentral.charlotte.edu, or contact their office at 704.687.8622.



Parking On Campus

Students may park on campus with the appropriate parking permit. Apply online for your permit by visiting parking.charlotte.edu. For more information contact 704.687.0161.



Meal Plans

The 49er Card and Meal Plans Office offers a variety of dining options. For more information please visit their website, aux.charlotte.edu/meal-plans, or contact their office at 704.687.7337.



Renter's Insurance

Students wishing to protect their belongings from the possibility of loss should obtain appropriate insurance coverage. Some residents may be covered under their parents' existing policy. Check with your personal insurance company. Third party independent coverage is also available.

BEFORE MOVE-IN DAY:



Select Your Move-In Time/Date

Every resident will be able to select a move-in arrival date and time. Instructions about how to sign up for a move-in arrival date/time will be emailed directly to residents in mid-July. Please wait to make travel arrangements until you have selected a move-in date/time.



Upload your ID photo/set up your 49er Mobile ID.

In order to access the residence hall, residents need to set up their 49er Mobile ID. Set up your mobile UNC Charlotte ID at least 1 business day before your arrival.



Review our Move-In Guide.

The Move-In Guide includes driving and parking directions, move-in day tips and a packing list. You can find the Move-In Guide at housing.charlotte.edu/move-in.



Only pack what is essential.

Not sure what to pack? Check out the packing list on the back of this document.

ON MOVE-IN DAY:



Stick to your move-in arrival time.

Please remember to arrive on campus on your selected date and time. This will help with traffic on campus and in our residence halls.



Bring a photo ID.

You will need to provide identification to pick up your key.



Bring your own moving equipment.

We are unable to provide hand trucks or carts to assist your move.



Only bring two guests.

You may bring a maximum of two guests to help you unload and carry your belongings. These two guests must remain the same all day-they cannot be swapped out for additional guests.



Follow your hall's driving and parking directions.

Directions on campus and parking instructions vary by housing assignment. Review your hall's directions in the Move-In Guide.



Have your guests wait in their vehicle while you pick up your key.

Once you arrive on campus, walk to your assigned building and check-in to receive your key. To reduce congestion, guests should wait in their vehicle until it's time to begin unloading.

PACKING LIST

It's never too soon to start your packing list! The full list can be found in our Move-In Guide at housing.charlotte.edu/move-in.

ESSENTIAL ITEMS:

- Cleaning supplies (disinfectant/household cleaner, broom, mop, vacuum, etc.)
- Clothes hangers
- Pens/pencils, paper, notebooks, etc.
- Pillow, sheets, and blankets
- Towels
- Toiletries (hand soap and/or sanitizer, shampoo, etc.)
- Toilet paper (for suites and apartments)
- Trash bags
- Laundry basket and detergent
- First aid kit/supplies (thermometer, band-aids, aspirin, etc.)

SUGGESTED ITEMS:

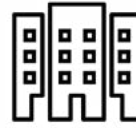
- Digital Cable Ready Television
- CATV grade coaxial cable jumper to attach to the cable jack on your wall to your TV or a smart device such as a Roku, Amazon Firestick or Apple TV
- Power strips with fuses/circuit breaker (must have an on/off switch or built-in fuse)
- RJ-45 Ethernet cable
- Refrigerator or MicroFridge combination unit (not to exceed a total 4.5 cubic feet)
- Microwave oven
- Desk lamp
- Alarm clock (battery back-up is helpful)
- Security container with lock to keep valuables
- Bicycle and security lock
- Posters, plants, and room decor
- Small tacks/push pins (for hanging decor on your walls, command strips cause damage when removed improperly)
- Sewing kit/scissors
- Umbrella
- Oscillating or box fan

PROHIBITED ITEMS:

- Any appliance capable of heating grease or oil to a burning point (e.g. deep fryers, popcorn machines, etc.)
- Candles with wicks, incense, or other items that create an open flame
- Flammable items (charcoal, lighter fluid, open flame grills, butane torches, fireworks, etc.)
- Halogen lamps/bulbs and oil burning lamps
- LED light strips with adhesive
- Open coil burners and hotplates
- Powered scooters
- Space heaters

You can find the full list of items that are prohibited in our halls on our website: housing.charlotte.edu/prohibited-items.

NINER CHOICE



Off-Campus Housing

While most students begin their Charlotte journey living on campus, it's important to approach this experience with a four-year plan in mind. Consider your housing options moving forward, as the majority of non-first-year students will need to live off-campus during their college career. To help you prepare for this transition, we've provided the resources below.



Niner Choice

If you are unsure where to begin, we recommend starting your search with our Niner Choice Program, housing.charlotte.edu/niner-choice. The Niner Choice Program is a safety education initiative designed to help students and their families make informed decisions about off-campus living options.

The program is a partnership between Housing and Residence Life, the Charlotte Mecklenburg Police Department, and UNC Charlotte Police and Public Safety. Complexes in the program need to meet and adhere to specific safety standards and record-keeping, and not meet or exceed established crime thresholds.



Off-Campus Resources

Want more information? Check out the following resources:

- Learn more about how financial aid funds may be used for off-campus housing on the Niner Central website: ninercentral.charlotte.edu.
- Niner Finances provides a list of important factors to consider when evaluating off-campus housing: ninerfinances.charlotte.edu/moving-campus-what-know.
- Access helpful tools and resources for living off campus including but not limited to: Niner Choice properties/listings, roommate finding and other student resources: offcampushousing.charlotte.edu.

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