

Housing & Residence Life

TULANE UNIVERSITY



2021-2022 On Campus Housing Reapplication and Room Selection

Tulane University Parent Programs Webinar



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Living on Campus 2021-2022

- First and second year students are required to live on campus.
 - Exemptions must be applied for and approved.
- There are options and spaces available for interested juniors and seniors.
- All students going through the housing selection process must complete an application using the online housing portal.

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Why live on campus?

- Students who live on campus are more satisfied with their college experience. National research shows that they also perform better academically.
- Living on campus keeps students close to important academic resources, support, and social activities.
- Campus housing has security features, such as staff and secured exterior access, that may not be present in off campus rentals.
- Housing and Residence Life staff are in every building on campus to provide support and promote success for residential students.

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3 Phases of the Reapplication Process

- Investigation of Options
 - 360 degree room photos on the Our Communities webpage
 - Video tutorials on our room selection page (coming soon!)
 - Roommate matching app
 - Talk with their roommates/friends about housing options
- Housing Application and Agreement
- Roommate Grouping and Room Selection

Investigation of Options

- Ways to help your student:
 - Remind them to pay attention to emails from Housing and Residence Life and refer to information online: housing.tulane.edu.
 - Encourage your student to watch our video tutorials on how to navigate the process. (Coming to our website soon!)
 - Encourage your student to read our room selection website.
 - Help your student consider their needs and weigh their options.
 - Refer to the 2021-2022 room rates and discuss options. Current room rates can be found online at housing.tulane.edu.
 - Encourage your student to speak with our staff if they have questions or concerns.



Residential Learning Communities (RLCs)

- Upperclass Honors Community, suite style, doubles and singles; housed in Weatherhead

The Housing Application for Residential Learning Communities will open on January 21 and is due on February 8, 2021.

Suite Style Housing



- Phelps & Irby - suite style, 8-person suites of 4 double rooms;
- Greenbaum - suite style, doubles and singles
- Mayer - suite style, doubles and singles
- Décou-Labat- suite style, doubles and singles



The Housing Application opens on **January 21, 2021** and is due on **February 25, 2021**.

*Please note that rooms overlooking Bruff Quad may experience some impact due to the construction of new residence halls on the site during the 2021-2022 academic year.

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Apartment Housing

- Aron is the apartment-style residences designed for juniors and seniors. Some sophomores will live in Aron space permitting.
- The apartments have single or double rooms, a living room, bathroom, and small kitchen.
- There are 3-, 4-, and 5-person apartments available.
- Utilities and amenities include: electricity, water, internet, and fully furnished bedrooms and living rooms.

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2021-2022 Housing Process Calendar



- Upper-class Honors Community Dates
 - January 21: Housing Application Opens
 - February 8: Application Due
 - March 4: Timeslots issued to students accepted into RLCs
 - March 16: Room Selection
- Non RLC Housing Dates
 - January 21: Housing Application Opens
 - February 25: Application Due
 - March 4: Timeslots issued
 - March 17-25: Room Selection

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Housing Application Process

- All students who plan to live on campus must submit an application and housing agreement for 2021-2022.
- Completion of an application and housing agreement indicated to HRL that a student would like to select a room on campus for 2021-2022. HRL will assign a room selection timeslot to all students who complete the application and housing agreement.
- At the start of the spring semester, students will receive information regarding the 2021-2022 Housing Application and Room Selection processes.
- Information will also be made available at the start of the spring semester on the HRL website at housing.tulane.edu.

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Housing Eligibility

- Housing is open to all full time undergraduate students.
- Students that are currently on a leave of absence (LOA) or exchange are eligible to participate in the housing process. Students who will be returning from fall semester LOA or study abroad will participate in an application process in November and December.
- The housing application, agreement, and room selection are all completed online, which allows our LOA and exchange students to fully participate in the housing process while in a remote location.

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Room Selection

- Rising seniors, then rising juniors, then rising sophomores.
- Class status is determined by years on campus, not by credit hours.
- Each student receives a timeslot at which time they will be able to select a room.
- Timeslots are assigned randomly to each student.
- Students are able to group with their friends to secure double rooms, suites, or apartments.

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Room Selection

- Students assign themselves into a room during their timeslot.
- If a student is interested in selecting a double room, suite, or apartment with their friends they may create a group that will select a room, suite, or apartment together.
- The student with the earliest timeslot becomes the group leader and is responsible selecting housing and assigning all students to their beds.
- Groups can be any size up to 8 (our largest suite). Please note that all suites and apartments will be filled to capacity by the end of room selection. It is in the interest of the students to plan to completely fill the suite or apartment they are selecting.
- Students with medical needs for housing must apply with the Goldman Center for Student Accessibility and submit their request by January 31st or as soon as possible.

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Questions?

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