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## Welcome...

Welcome to Kentucky Wesleyan College! Preparing for college can be exciting but also create lots of questions. We are here to help along the way. Please use this guide as you prepare for your arrival to campus. Should you have any additional questions, do not hesitate to reach out to our office. We are excited that you have chosen to call Kentucky Wesleyan your home away from home and look forward to welcoming you in August.

~Best wishes! Lori

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## About us....

The Office of Student Services strives to create experiences that will allow students to live, learn, lead, and love, empowering them to become global citizens ready to positively impact the world.

Students who interact with our office will:

1. Acquire and apply knowledge that will contribute to their academic success.
2. Acquire and demonstrate critical thinking and reasoning skills that support their ability to effectively address and solve problems.
3. Develop a sense of self and an understanding of their own identity and values.
4. Learn how to effectively work with others and form healthy and respectful relationships.
5. Learn to recognize the impact of privilege and power on self and society, and develop an appreciation for cultural and human differences.
6. Learn and develop skills necessary to maintain a healthy and productive life.

Each residence hall has a part-time, professional Resident Director. The RD is responsible for the overall management of the residence hall. A key element to their job is to work with all residents to establish a positive living community.

Each floor has at least one Resident Assistant. An RA is an undergraduate student who has been selected to aide in helping with the student experience. RAs serve as a resource, promote positive community building, and showcase educational programming.



## What to bring....

Stores like Target have compiled checklists for students going/returning to college. Not all items are must haves and what is permitted varies depending on institution. Check-out their checklists. Below are a few of the more common items students bring.

### Individually:

- Towels, plastic shower caddy, shower slippers, hair dryer
- Toiletries, clotheshangers, storage containers
- Bedding: pillow, blanket, sheets (suggest XL)
- Laundry detergent and basket
- Waste basket and cleaning supplies
- First-aid items and prescriptions (in original containers)
- School supplies, planner, alarm clock
- Powerstrip (with reset button/ circuit breaker only)
- Social Security Card, Birth Certificate or Passport (if you plan on applying for any employment on or off campus)

### To share with your roommate:

- TV and entertainment devices
- 1 Refrigerator (2 amps or less) and 1 microwave (700 watts or less)
- Fan(s)
- Shelving, Carpet/Rugs, Decorations

## Please leave at home...

- Pets (unless it is fish in a 10 gallon tank or less; One 10 gallon tank per room)
- Any appliance with an open heating element
- Black lights
- Candles, candle burners or oil burners, incense
- Crock pots
- Extension cords which do not have a surge protector/on-off switch
- George Foreman-type grills
- Halogen lamps
- Power tools, saws, large moving blades, etc.
- Hot plates, toasters, toaster ovens
- Air conditioners and space heaters
- Hover Boards
- Alcohol, alcohol containers, drugs, drug paraphernalia



## Student Check-list

- Application materials (final transcripts and scores submitted)
- Financial Aid Information (submit FAFSA, review and accept Award Package)
- Statement of Financial Responsibility
- Housing/Commuter Form
- Health Form
- Student Insurance
- Vaccination Information
- Meningitis Form
- One Call Now
- Vehicle Registration
- Secure Renters Insurance (KWC does not provide renters insurance and does not assume responsibility for lost or damaged items)
- Label items for move-in with last name and room number to help with move-in

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## Talk to your roommate....

Having a successful relationship with your roommate can make the difference in whether your living

experience here is a positive one. Once you have your assignment, reach out to your roommate and begin to get

to know one another. Consider the four Cs when building a successful roommate relationship:

*Communication:* Keep an open dialogue with one another, and talk about concerns before they can become a problem.

*Consideration:* Be mindful of your actions in your shared living space. Avoid setting expectations of others that you would not be willing to meet.

*Compromise:* Focus on what you and your roommate both **need** to have a successful living arrangement. Sometimes you have to give a little to get a little.

## Have Questions? Please reach out!

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