

## WHAT TO PACK (AND WHAT NOT TO PACK)

Please note: this is not an exhaustive list, and other restrictions may apply. Please refer to the Resident Community Guide (available on the housing website) for more details. It is strongly advised that if you are uncertain about whether or not an item is permitted, students move in without the item, and check with a housing staff member before bringing the item into the residence halls. If an item is "provided", students are not permitted to bring another of that item. The university reserves the right to restrict items as deemed necessary for community safety.

### RESIDENTIAL LIFE AND HOUSING, NYC

#### Household Items

*All students should bring...*

- Face covering, which will be required in all public areas of the university

*Most students bring...*

- Toiletries, including a bathroom caddy for keeping your things together and clean
- Shower tote & slippers
- Hangers, laundry bag or basket
- Linens, towels, bedding, pillow our mattresses are slightly longer (78") than standard, so they usually fit both extra-long twin and regular twin sheets
- Posters/pictures with mounting materials – no clay or adhesives are permitted; mounting systems that do not leave residue or otherwise mar the walls are permitted, but students will be charged for wall damages or walls that need to be repainted after they move out if any damage occurs

*You should probably coordinate with your roommate(s) before packing the following items...*

- Garbage pail and liners for the room
- Organizing items such as storage bins, plastic drawers, under-bed storage, etc.
- Pots, pans, plates, utensils - permitted, for use in common area kitchen(s)
- Snacks – students may store and enjoy food in their room, but must maintain a clean and hygienic environment

*The following items are CONDITIONALLY PERMITTED; understand the restrictions and check with your roommate(s) before planning to bring:*

- Alcohol - prohibited in first-year student rooms; prohibited in all common spaces; permitted in upper-class rooms only when residents present are 21 years of age and older (other restrictions apply)
- Lockbox for valuables – in rare instances in which the university must search a room due to a security concern, the security and residential life staffs must be permitted to see the contents of lock boxes
- Pets - a limited number of pet options are permitted; roommate permission is required; refer to Resident Community Guide for more information
- Pocket knives - in order to be permitted in the residence halls, knives must have total unfolded length of 2.75" or less, only one blade side, and blade cannot be gravity, spring or otherwise mechanically assisted

*The following items are NOT PERMITTED:*

- Bed lifts
- Furniture (desk chair, futon, love seat, beanbag chair, etc.)
- Incense/candles
- Personal safety devices (pepper spray, "Tasers", etc.)

#### Appliances