UNIVERSITY RESIDENCE HALLS FACTSHEET

WHY LIVE ON-CAMPUS?
Living in the University Residence Halls is the best way to make connections with other students, faculty, and staff at UW-Madison. You’ll be in the middle of everything you need to have the best college experience, like social events, tutoring services, and volunteering opportunities right in your residence hall.

OPTIONS FOR DINING
We give you the flexibility to eat what you want, when you want. Thanks to marketplace-style dining, locations across campus, made-to-order items, healthy options, and a dining plan for food purchases, it’s easy to choose meals that fit your taste and budget.

PROJECTED RATES
The rates below are per resident, billed in quarterly installments, and include housing during Thanksgiving and spring recess. Most new residents are assigned to a double occupancy room.

Double Room & Board Rate = $10,200 - $11,500
Rates vary based on residence hall amenities, learning community fees, and dining plan. Includes room, furnishings, wireless internet, cable TV, maintenance/repairs, dining operations fees, cleaning of bathrooms & common spaces, and 24/7 full-time staff support.

Dining Plan
Select one of three dining plan tiers based on your eating habits (included in the rate listed above). Food purchases are pay-as-you-go (except in Ritual’s Market), allowing you to eat what you want, when you want.

Other Rates (additional cost)
Winter Break (housing option) + $400
Learning Communities + $200 or $250

SCHEDULE A TOUR
Your next step is to schedule a residence hall tour. Tours meet at Carson Gulley Center (1515 Wing Circle) and will take you through the neighborhood, show you different parts of the halls, and take you to a typical room. Make a reservation at: go.wisc.edu/housing-tours

WHAT’S THE NEXT STEP?
Upon admission to UW-Madison, look for an email invite to login to My UW Housing, where students can follow the steps below to live in the University Residence Halls!

1. Sign and complete contract
2. Submit contract fee and deposit by your deadline
3. Select a dining plan tier
4. Enter residence hall/learning community preferences
5. Receive room assignment
6. Contact roommate
7. Pay first Housing & tuition bill
8. Move into your new UW-Madison home!
RESIDENTIAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES

Take your college experience to the next level by joining one of our unique learning communities, where faculty, staff, and students focus on specific common interests within a residence hall. By living in a learning community, you'll get to choose your room before other new students.

BioHouse (located in Cole)
Nurture your passion for the scientific study of living things, whether it's plants, animals, health, microbiology, evolution, neurobiology, soil, food genetics, bioenergy, or natural resources.

Bradley (located in Bradley)
Transition to college in this community exclusively for freshman, with peer mentors to help you acclimate to campus and daily programs to build connections, get involved, and explore your interests.

Business Connect (located in Ogg)
Live among fellow first-year direct admits to the School of Business, sharing similar interests and classes in a supportive environment.

Chadbourne (located in Barnard and Chadbourne)
Explore endless opportunities to grow as a student and leader through interpersonal connections and academic and extracurricular engagement in this vibrant community.

GreenHouse (located in Leopold)
Engage in sustainability efforts and get hands-on experience in gardening, cooking locally, conservation, repairing bicycles, restoring prairies, and more.

International (located in Adams)
Discover global cultures and international studies, including seven immersive language houses in Arabic, Chinese, German, Japanese, Korean, Nordic, Russian, and Spanish.

Multicultural (located in Wite)
Celebrate multiculturalism, creativity, and innovation in society as you explore issues of human diversity, identity, and social justice in this safe and fun community.

Open House (located in Phillips)
All students are welcome to join and explore the diversity of the human experience through discussions on gender and sexuality in contemporary media in this tight-knit and inclusive community.

StartUp (located in Sellery)
Dream big and put your ideas into action through innovative thinking, analysis, teamwork, planning, and harnessing resources in an inventive community of entrepreneurs and creators.

The Studio (located in Ogg)
Bring your imagination to life by exploring the creative process among fellow artists, dancers, musicians, actors, directors, engineers, computer scientists, and designers.

Women in Science & Engineering (located in Waters)
Connect with fellow women interested in science, technology, engineering, or math, and get a behind-the-scenes view of all that a large research university offers.