The Ultimate College Apartment Checklist

MAKE SURE YOU PACK THESE ITEMS TO MAKE YOUR COLLEGE APARTMENT FEEL LIKE HOME
Living room

**FURNITURE**

- Couch, seats and ottoman
- Coffee and end tables
- Decorative pillows and throw blankets
- Entertainment center or TV stand
- Floor lamps

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- Area rug
- Curtains
- Shelving
- Dry erase board or bulletin board
- Bookcase and books
- Pictures and paintings, frames and hooks
- Clock and calendar
- Houseplants

**ELECTRONICS**

- Smart TV with Chromecast, Amazon Fire Stick or Roku
- Netflix, Hulu and Amazon Prime Video accounts
- Speakers or sound bar
- Laptop and smartphone
- Chargers, extension cords, power strips and HDMI cables
- Wi-Fi router and extenders
- Gaming console
- Blu-ray or DVD players (if you’re old school)
- Google Home or Alexa
- Printer and paper
Bedroom

FURNITURE

- Bed with frame, box spring and mattress
- Dresser
- Nightstand
- Desk and desk chair
- Fan
- Mini-fridge
- Trash bin
- Area rug

ACCESSORIES

- Pillows
- Lamp
- Alarm clock
- Full-length and hand mirrors
- School supplies, scissors, tape, stapler, pens and markers
- Lap desk

LINENS

- Sheets and pillow cases
- Mattress pad
- Blankets
- Comforter
- Duvet cover

APPAREL

- Clothing
- Shoes
- Jackets and coats
- Rain gear
- Winter gear

STORAGE

- Hangers
- Shelving
- Under-the-bed boxes
- Closet organizer
- Shoe rack
- Laundry basket and hamper
### Bathroom

#### Bath Accessories
- Bath towels, hand towels and washcloths
- Bathmat and bathroom rugs
- Shower curtain
- Scale
- Wall decorations

#### Storage
- Shower caddy
- Shelves
- Drawer organizers
- Towel and over-the-door hooks
- Toothbrush holder
- Soap dish

#### Personal Items
- Hand soap and bath soap
- Shower gel, body wash and face wash
- Shampoo and conditioner
- Nail clippers
- Razors and shave gel
- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Hair brushes and hair products
- Hair dryer, straightener and curling iron
- Medicine, aspirin, vitamins, bandages and feminine products

#### Cleaning
- Toilet brush and cleaner
- Plunger
- Wastebasket
- Toilet paper and tissues
Kitchen

DINING SUPPLIES
- Table and chairs
- A variety of plates
- Cereal and soup bowls
- Silverware
- Glasses and plastic cups
- Coffee mugs
- Napkins and paper towels
- Salt and pepper shakers
- Placemats
- Coasters

INGREDIENTS
- Flour and sugar
- Baking powder and baking soda
- Spices, salt and peppers, garlic powder and onion powder
- Cinnamon and nutmeg
- Cooking oils and non-stick spray
- Vinegar
- Condiments, ketchup and mustard

COOKING SUPPLIES
- Large and small pots
- Non-stick frying pan
- Baking pans and trays
- Measuring cups and spoons
- Mixing bowls
- Knife set and cutting board
- Whisk and wooden spoons
- Can and bottle openers
- Tongs
- Ladle
- Pizza cutter
- Ice cube trays

APPLIANCES
- Microwave
- Blender
- Coffeemaker and tea kettle
- Toaster or toaster oven and oven mitts
- Slow cooker or crockpot
- Portable electric grill
- Water filter

CLEANING AND STORAGE
- Dishtowels
- Sponges and dish soap
- Drying rack
- Dishwasher detergent or pods
- Kitchen trash can and bags
- Reusable grocery bags
- Storage containers
- Aluminum foil, plastic wrap and Ziploc bags
- Paper towels and holder
## Closets

### Cleaning Items
- Laundry detergent or pods and fabric softener
- All-purpose spray cleaner
- Glass cleaner
- Broom, Swiffer duster, mop, Dustbuster and vacuum
- Iron, handheld steamer and ironing board
- Stain remover and wrinkle release spray
- Lysol wipes, Lysol spray, hand sanitizer, masks

### Accessory Items
- First-aid kit
- Sewing kit
- Tool kit with hammer, screwdrivers, wrench, nails and screws
- Fire extinguisher and smoke and carbon monoxide detectors
- Batteries
- Lightbulbs
- Flashlight
- Doorstops
- Stepladder
- Copies of your lease
- Travel bags and backpacks