

MOVE-IN and RESIDENCE HALLS GUIDELINES:

MOVE-IN:

1. **FACE COVERINGS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES DURING MOVE-IN.** You may remove your mask once in the room. No one will be permitted in buildings without a wearing a mask.
2. Move-in will occur over several days to provide appropriate spacing in the buildings to follow social distancing guidelines. Students will receive a specific date and time for move-in. We ask that families be accommodating and understanding with respect to the process, as the timeline has been established to provide a safer move-in experience. Please pay close attention to your email for your time and date. You will be expected to arrive on campus at your building at the beginning of your designated move-in time period.
3. Please do not arrive outside of your scheduled arrival time. This includes coordinating with your roommate. **Students arriving outside of their assigned times will be asked to wait for their assigned move-in time.**
4. We are making every effort to be as contactless as possible during the move-in process. To accomplish this, there are some documents you will need to print out, sign and bring with you when you move in. There will be areas at check-in to deposit the signed documents.
5. **Students will receive their ID card (Gull Card) at check in.** This is a critical item for living in the halls as it will be programmed to your room and provide access to your building. Please follow the link below, if you have not done so and complete the ID form so the card can be created for your arrival.
https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=-vFyJE_yG0Kt17AcS0m-B-KiLFNpAGxNs7AMc8DplshUNDAyR08yM0NMUTlzS0dLVjhPMU5SMFA0TS4u
6. Two family members will be permitted in the building with their student to assist with move-in. Families will be asked to leave campus once their student has moved in so we can begin the next designated move-in time period.
7. We are making every effort to design a building flow system that limits congestion in the stairwells, hallways and elevators. There will be a well designated flow throughout each building, with stairwells designated as “up” and “down.” Similar to the flow of many grocery stores, pedestrian traffic on individual floors will be “one way” during move-in and continue throughout the academic year. We encourage all families to use the stairs during move-in. We especially recommend students assigned to live on the second and third floors in Chester, Choptank and Severn halls to use the stairs and not the elevator other than for extremely heavy items such as a minifridge.
8. Double Room Setup: Please do not rearrange the furniture. We have modeled different setups, and the existing layout when you arrive meets Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommendations for sleeping with the appropriate distance. We also recommend arranging pillows and covers so that students sleep head-to-toe when beds are parallel or perpendicular to one another. We will also make no modifications to the room, we will not be lofting or bunking any beds.

PACKING LIST (coronavirus-related):

1. We strongly encourage students not to bring all of their belongings from their bedrooms at home. Due to the evolving circumstances related to COVID-19, we suggest students to pack lightly and bring only the items that they will need.
2. A week's supply of cloth masks.
 - a. Students will be required to wear a mask as they enter the building. They may remove the mask once they are in their room. Students also will be required to wear a mask as they leave their room to do laundry, socialize in the lounge, use the classroom study space or move from one room to another. Masks should be washed regularly with laundry.
 - b. Students also should bring a packet of surgical-type masks in the event their cloth masks are soiled or unavailable.
3. Cleaning supplies: Housekeeping will clean bathrooms on a schedule, but we ask that students bring additional cleaning supplies to spray and wipe surfaces as needed.
4. Hand sanitizer: Hand sanitizer dispensers are located throughout all residence halls, but we ask all students to have a small bottle on their person and larger bottles in their rooms for use in refilling the smaller bottles.
5. Please see Campus Housing and Residence Life's website for additional suggested packing items: www.salisbury.edu/administration/student-affairs/housing-and-residence-life/files/whattobring.pdf

LIFE IN THE RESIDENCE HALLS:

SU Housing and Residence Life staff will make every effort to develop community, assist new students with their transition and support upper-class students progressing through their residential experience. However, operating a community development program under social distancing, de-densifying and mask guidelines creates some unique challenges. We can succeed with the help of all of our residential students following all policies within the halls and on campus. The following are a list of what all student can expect for the coming year.

- Residents will be expected to abide by University guidelines for social distancing, face covering, etc. Violations of the Salisbury Housing Addendum or the University's COVID-19 emergency health and safety rules, policies, and expectations will be taken seriously and may result in removal of the student from on-campus housing.
- Some common spaces in residence halls may be closed or adapted to maintain student safety. The university reserves the right to close all common spaces if campus conditions warrant so, or if students are not abiding by set health and safety distancing regulations.
- Each residential student is allowed up to 1 on-campus residential guest, as long as they adhere to the policies related to face coverings and social distancing. No Salisbury University off campus student can visit a residence hall. No overnight guests are permitted.
- Guests visiting from other institutions or areas outside the Salisbury Campus will not be permitted within the residence halls. This includes family members and off campus students.
- SU Housekeeping staff will clean and sanitize common areas (laundry rooms, lounges, front desks, common bathrooms and bathrooms in all freshman living spaces).
- Residents are responsible for cleaning and disinfecting their bedrooms, bathrooms (to supplement SU staff cleaning schedule), living rooms and kitchens (if applicable).

- Residents who test positive for COVID-19 will be required to return home until they test negative. There will be limited isolation space on campus for students who are unable to return home for their isolation period.
- Residents are highly encouraged to limit travel outside the immediate area and should consider self-isolating in their room if they do travel.
- Please understand that this list is not all-encompassing and that additional guidelines and policies may be implemented as the University deems necessary.