

## College School Supplies

Here are basic school supplies you most likely need:

- lap top/Ethernet cord
- calculator
- desk lamp
- extension cord/power strip
- memory stick
- pens/pencils
- plain envelopes/stamps
- stapler/tape/scissors/hole punch
- printer/printer ink/printer paper

## Staying Organized & Decorating

In a small residential room, it's important to minimize clutter and keep the essentials handy while storing away items you won't use daily. Here are a few ideas:

- bed lifts (for creating storage or desk space under your bed)
- Bulletin board with push pins for hanging flyers, contact numbers, schedules, etc.
- calendar
- storage bins/ under-bed boxes
- over the door hooks
- bathroom/bedroom space saver stand up shelves or racks
- Command Strips for hanging pictures and decorations (remember to not use nails or screws to hang things)
- removable wall decals or wall art stickers

## Downtime in Your Room

Don't forget the goodies to make late nights more fun:

- TV and cable cord/ DVD player & movies
- iPod and iPod dock
- mini fridge no bigger than 4.5 cubic feet
- microwave/coffee maker/toaster or toaster oven
- snacks for your room
- plates, bowls, forks, spoons/cups
- liquid dish soap/ dish drying rack

## Tools and Emergency Supplies for College Living

Here are a few items that may come in handy:

- batteries/flashlight
- basic toolkit with hammer and screwdriver
- cotton balls/ Q-Tips
- hydrogen peroxide
- nail clippers/nail file/tweezers
- Neosporin/pain reliever/Pepto Bismol
- Band-Aids
- cold medicine/cough drops

## Personal Items Checklist

Doing laundry, sleeping well and staying clean are essential parts of making dorm life seem less dreary.

When you pack, don't forget to bring along:

- bath towels/hand towels/wash cloths
- comb/brush
- curling iron/straightener/hair dryer
- hair care products
- shower gel/soap
- shaving cream/razors
- deodorant
- lotion
- toothbrush/toothpaste/dental floss
- trash can & trash bags
- laundry bag/basket
- laundry detergent and don't forget the quarters to do your laundry
- all purpose cleaner for toilet, sink, shower
- shower curtain liner
- toilet bowl brush – sponges for cleaning – mop – broom – small vacuum
- pillow
- sets of Twin XL sheets and comforter
- mattress cover/mattress pad for Twin XL size
- alarm clock
- bedside lamp
- fan
- tissues and toilet paper

