



# ALMA COLLEGE

## First Year Packing List

Your residence hall room is intended to be your “home away from home.” It comes furnished with two extra-long twin-sized beds, two desks and chairs, two small dressers, closet space and window coverings. All rooms have wireless internet access.

The personal items you choose to bring will make the room your own unique place on campus. Some items you may wish to bring are listed below:

Power Strip/Surge Protector

Cell Phone

Posters, pictures, and decorations

- Bring 3M hooks for hanging frames; no nails!
- Bring blue painters tape to hang pictures – please no duct tape!

Desk Lamp

Alarm Clock

Rug/Carpet

Computer

Printer

- Printing is available in all computer labs.

Sheets and Mattress Pad

- Extra-long twin Bowls/Plates/Cups

Blankets and Pillows

Towels

Toiletries

Shower Caddy

Flip-flops (for the shower)

Laundry Supplies

- Laundry is free - no need for quarters!

Laundry Basket

Fan

Folding camp/lawn chair for outdoor activities

Wastebasket

White Board (for hanging on your door)

Organizational Bins

Pictures

Books/Movies/Games

TV/DVD or BluRay player/game systems

School Supplies

Mini Refrigerator (4.6 cu. ft. and under)

Microwave - one per room

Items **not** to bring: hot plates, frying pans, and other cooking implements; halogen lamps; candles or incense; space heaters; pets (the only pets allowed are fish or small reptiles/amphibians such as lizards or turtles; each resident may only have one approved pet – visit this link for more details:

<https://www.alma.edu/student-handbook/section-ii/pet-policy/>)

### **Other tips:**

- Consult with your roommate before bringing large items like futons, arm chairs, mini fridges, televisions, etc.
- Please talk to your roommate before bringing an approved pet.
- The furniture is stackable, so if you want to create a loft, you’ll have everything you need right in your room. Call 989-463-7162 for more information.