On-Campus Room Selection Webinar

Topic: The Basics of the Room Selection Process
Wednesday, February 21st | 12:00pm

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Agenda

• Room Selection Process Overview
• RSP Building Options
• Contact Information
Important Dates

Application & Group Formation
- **Open:** February 26th
- **Close:** March 4th

Room Selection
- Time Slot Sent: March 5th
- Selection Day 1: March 6th
- Selection Day 2: March 8th

Meal Plan Selection
- Open: March 11th
- Close: March 15th

Singles Waitlist
- Open: April 8th
- Close: April 22nd
Room Selection Process
Overview
Flow of the Process

### Application
- **Complete Your RSP Application**
  - All students must complete the RSP application.
  - Contracts must be signed in this phase of the process in order to participate in RSP.

- **Form Your Group**
  - Maximum group size is 4.
  - Students must be added to a group by the group leader.
  - Groups of 1 must also form a group on the application.

### Selection
- **Choose Your Housing**
  - Group leaders (GLs) will log into the Portal at their assigned time slot.
  - GLs are responsible for assigning all group members to housing during RSP.
Forming a Roommate Group

• Students may register in groups of 1, 2, 3 or 4.

• Regardless of group size, all students must complete an application and form/join a roommate group.

• Keep in mind that during the 1st day of RSP, groups must fill entire suites.

• Groups must be confirmed by the close of the application – Monday, March 4th.
Gender Neutral Housing

• It is important that the residential community maintains an atmosphere that values diversity, social justice, and promotes the dignity of all people. Implemented to meet the needs of all students, by nurturing an atmosphere where students can be the most comfortable with those with whom they live.

• There are no wings, floors, or houses that are exclusively gender neutral.

• GNH roommate groups are not guaranteed single rooms (McCoy). Students who identify as opposite genders may end up sharing a double room.

• Students are discouraged from forming roommate groups and living with someone they may be dating.

• If a space in a GNH unit becomes available, the remaining occupants will be given an opportunity to find a replacement. However, if the students are unable to find a replacement, the On-Campus Living staff will fill the space (particularly during peak housing periods, mid-July through end of August)
Who is the Group Leader?

The group leader is the person who creates a group and is responsible for adding others. The group leader can be changed later.

When identifying a group leader, choose someone who will be committed to:
- being available to choose on the behalf of the group.
- the best interests of the group as a whole.
- keeping lines of communications open.

The group leader will log onto the portal during the assigned time slot and select housing for the group members.
Choosing a Space

• Time slots will be e-mailed to all group members on **Tuesday, March 5, 2024, by 4:00pm**.
• The group leader should plan to log-on and select a space during their assigned time slot.
  • Students can access The Birdhouse until it closes that evening. At the start of each time slot, more group leaders will be able to enter the portal to select their housing.
  • There will be a 5-minute timer on how long a space can be held.
  • The group leader confirms spaces for all group members.

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**Wednesday, March 6**

**DAY 1**
- Afternoon: groups of 2, 3, & 4 must fill a unit
- Evening: groups of 1 must fill a room/unit

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**Thursday, March 7**

**PAUSE DAY**
- Groups can reform if necessary
- Second Roommate Mixer offered

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**Friday, March 8**

**DAY 2**
- Groups can select any open space that will fit their group
- New time slots are issued
Building Options
Bradford & Homewood
- Apartment-style
- Efficiencies, 1-, 2-, 3- & 4-bedroom units

McCoy Hall
- Suite-style living
- Double/Double
  Double/Single,
  Double/Single/Single

Rogers House
- Corridor-style living
- Double & single rooms
- Greenway Ave

Scott-Bates Commons
- Suite-style
- 2- & 4-person suites
- Charles & St. Paul Street
Encourage Your Student(s) To...

• Use their resources:
  [http://studentaffairs.jhu.edu/community-living/university-housing/](http://studentaffairs.jhu.edu/community-living/university-housing/)
  • Floor plans
  • Planning Worksheet
  • RSP At-A-Glance
  • RSP 2024 Calendar
  • RSP Space Availability (info shared on Tuesday, March 5)

• Ask questions!
  • Stop by our office in Wolman Hall, 103
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