

Move In Information: Residence Halls

Fall 2024



Welcome!

Welcome to the 2024-2025 academic year! As of mid-July, your residence hall assignment, dining plan, and any roommate information can be found in My Housing through the myElmhurst Portal.

When Do I Move In?

Additional move-in information can be found at elmhurst.edu/reslife under the Moving In section

New First-Year Students

Wednesday, August 21, 2024

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

First-Year Student Orientation begins in the Frick Center at 11:00 AM on Aug 22

New Transfer & Graduate Students

Saturday, August 24, 2024

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Transfer Student Orientation begins in the Frick Center at 12:00 PM on Aug 24

Returning Students

Saturday, August 24, 2024

11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Returning students are welcome to arrive anytime after 11:00 AM on Aug 24

Technology Account and Campus Mail

These services are assigned during Summer Advising. The technology account gives the student access to the myElmhurst Portal, the main account for University technology services, including email. For help with your technology account or University email, contact the Help Desk at 630-617-3767. If you receive physical mail, you will be notified via your Elmhurst University email address for pick up information. The Mailroom staff can be reached at 630-617-3194.

Memorial Hall Construction

This year Elmhurst University is excited about the new construction of Memorial Hall! The construction site will not block traffic during our scheduled move-in days, August 21, 24, & 25. The traffic flow will be one way (heading west) from Prospect during those dates. Outside of those dates the construction site will block the flow of traffic to/from Prospect, requiring all residents residing in West, Stanger, Dinkmeyer, & Schick to access their hall from Alexander. The access road to campus from Alexander Blvd is located just west of the track/field. See map on the last page for a visual reference.

Residence Life Staff in Your Area

Cureton Hall

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Head Resident

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Dinkmeyer Hall

Autumn Wilson

Head Resident

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Niebuhr Hall

Bianca Rodriguez

Head Resident

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Schick Hall

Marisa Brown

Head Resident

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Stanger Hall

Jackie Hurst

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West Hall

Martin Diaz

Head Resident

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First-Year Student
Orientation begins
on Thursday, August
22 at 11:00 AM

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Who Are The University Staff On Move-In Day?

Public Safety Officers:

Staff in **black uniforms** will assist with traffic and loading zones on **Wednesday, August 21.**

Housing and Residence Life Staff:

Resident Advisers (RAs) in **blue Housing and Residence Life t-shirts** will be in the residence halls to assist you with check-in on both days.

Jay Crew:

Members from various Fall athletic teams will provide limited assistance in moving belongings from vehicle /curb to rooms on **Wednesday, August 21 from 9:00 -11:00 AM.**

Preparing for Move In

- Review this newsletter with those who will be helping you during Move In.
- Consider sharing items with your roommate(s) and contacting them before arriving to discuss a plan.
- Pack items in reusable containers such as plastic bins, bedding bags, or suitcases. **Label items with student name and room number.**
- Avoid bringing additional large furniture until you have seen and planned out your space.
- **Large cargo vans and U-Hauls are strongly discouraged.**
- Ask questions if you have them! Your Housing and Residence Life staff is available to assist you.

How Do I Move In?

- For ease of traffic, enter campus as indicated on the Move In map on the last page and on our website.
- Staff and volunteers will guide you to a temporary unloading place.
- Once items are removed from the vehicle, move the vehicle to a permanent parking spot. One guest must stay with the car at all times as the vehicle is unloaded.
- Students go to their assigned residence hall to check-in and receive keys.
- *If rain, Niebuhr Hall residents check in at the Frick Center.*
- If you are arriving before Wednesday, August 21 (via the Early Arrival application and process) or after Sunday, August 25, your keys will be available for pick up at Public Safety located in Lehmann Hall (entrance faces Langhorst Feld).
- Have your JayPass and assigned hall and room number handy. Your JayPass or other photo ID is required to check in.
- Remaining guests, student, and Jay Crew members move items from curb to the room.
- Boxes should be broken down and removed to vehicles or to recycling dumpsters.
- Students, join us under the tent on the Mall for dinner, August 21 at 5:00 PM!

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Items to Bring to Campus

- Carpeting or rugs
- Coffee pot (maximum 4-cup capacity)
- Computer, laptop, tablet
- Extra-long twin-size sheets for your bed
- Fan
- Gaming systems
- Hot pot/electric tea kettle (no exposed element)
- Items from home to add your personal touch
- Lamp (no halogen bulbs)
- Outlet strip
- Mini Refrigerator (check the tag; the unit must not draw more than 1.5 amps)
- TV
- Trashcan
- Umbrella

Items to Leave at Home

- Air conditioner units (window or portable/stand alone)
- Air fryer, deep fryer, or pressure cooker
- Amplified instruments and drums
- Items with exposed heating elements
- Candles and incense, even if unlit
- Electric blankets/heating pads
- Furniture exceeding 300 lbs
- Grills (indoor or outdoor)
- Halogen lamps
- Hazardous materials or weapons
- Homemade lofts
- Hot plates
- Large tabletop games (arcade games, pool table, ping pong, air hockey, etc.)
- Microwaves
- Pets, except fish
- Toaster ovens and toasters

More comprehensive list available on our website under Moving In

Renters Insurance

Every student is encouraged to insure their personal property as the University does not assume responsibility for loss due to theft, damage, vandalism, or any other cause. In many cases, students still residing with family may be covered by the family policy. Please check with your agent.

Another source for insurance is GradGuard (available through the housing application) or at <https://gradguard.com/>. GradGuard is independent from the University. Elmhurst University makes no representations regarding the accuracy of the information on the GradGuard website or regarding the nature or quality of the services provided.

Room Dimensions & Furniture

For Room Dimensions:

- Log on to the myElmhurst Portal at my.elmhurst.edu
- Navigate to My Housing
- Click on Links button on the right hand side
- Select the appropriate attachment

Elmhurst University policy requires that provided furniture stay in residence hall rooms at all times.

Our mattresses require extra-long twin size sheets, available at most retail stores.

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Building Key

- CU-Cureton Hall
- DH-Dinkmeyer Hall
- NI- Niebuhr Hall
- SK-Schick Hall
- ST-Stanger Hall
- WH-West Hall
- FC-Frick Center



***Access to Schick, Dinkmeyer, Stanger, and West hall is only available from Prospect Ave on Aug 21, 24, & 25. Students arriving before/after those dates must access SK, DK, ST, WH from Alexander Blvd.

Move In Questions?
 Contact us at
630-617-3150
 or
reslife@elmhurst.edu