



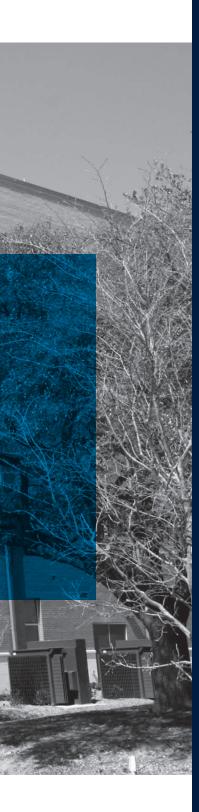


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# WELCOME TO THEE JACKSON STATE UNIVERSITY<sup>®</sup>!





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#### LIVING ON CAMPUS CAN BE AN EXCITING AND REWARDING **EXPERIENCE**.

As a citizen of our residential community, you have the convenience of living close to classes, the library, laundry facilities, tutors, computer labs, and the Student Health Center.

Moving into a residence hall can be unpredictable. To make the transition easier, the Department of Housing and Residence Life has created this guide to help answer your questions before you pack your bags.

The Fall 2020 Move-In Guide details move-in days, parking services, directions, and other important information.



## ALL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO HAVE UP-TO-DATE IMMUNIZATIONS IN ORDER TO MOVE INTO THE RESIDENCE HALLS.

If you have questions about immunizations, please contact the Student Health Center at 601.979.2260.

# BEFORE YOU ARRIVE TO CAMPUS

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## MAKE SURE THAT YOUR REGISTRATION IS COMPLETE

- 1. All students must be registered for twelve (12) or more credit hours.
- 2. All tuition and housing charges must be paid prior to moving in.

## MEET YOUR ROOMMATES BEFORE MOVE-IN DAY

#### TO FIND YOUR ROOMMATE(S) INFORMATION:

- 1. Log into your THD Self-Service Portal.
- 2. Scroll down to "Assignments."
- 3. You will see a list of the occupants of your room, suite, or apartment.
  - If there is no occupant listed, it means there is no roommate currently.
  - Please note that limited information may be available if your roommate has set their profile to "Private."

## MOVING AND PACKING TIPS

#### PACK AHEAD OF TIME

Pack up things you know you won't need during the summer. Put those winter coats, extra towels, bed sheets, and school supplies in storage bins/moving boxes as soon as possible. It'll save you time and stress later.

#### **REVIEW MOVE-IN CHECKLIST**

Review the move-in checklist to make sure you have everything you need to set up your room. This will ensure that you won't have to make multiple trips to the store.

#### **OPEN FIRST BOX OR OVERNIGHT BAG**

Have a box or bag ready with things you may need right away – linens for your bed, change of clothes, personal care items, phone charger, etc.

## MOVE-IN CHECKLIST

PROPERTY
INSURANCE (optional)

 PERSONAL ROOM DECOR

**BEDDING** (twin, long)

**MATTRESS COVER** (mandatory)

OR STRIPS

**HANGERS** 

□ WASTEBASKET w/LINER

(no larger than 3.1 Cubic Feet)

(700 Watts or less)

BROOM, MOP, PLUNGER

**CLEANING SUPPLIES** 

□ SHOWER CURTAIN & LINER

**FOOT LOCKER w/PADLOCK** 

You will select your move-in day and time when you complete your pre-arrival Online Check-In Form in late-July.

Housing and Residential Life is establishing a carefully organized move-in process spread out over several days to follow public health and safety guidelines. In order to provide a socially-distanced and efficient move-in experience, please review the following updates:

- Unloading assistance will not be available.
- We will have large rolling cardboard bins and hand trucks (dollies) available at each dorm to assist you or you may bring your own.
- We encourage you to limit the number of people helping you move-in. Please do not bring anyone who may be sick or considered at risk.
- Per local and University guidelines, all individuals will be required to wear a mask for the duration of the move-in process.
- Students will choose arrival time slots (based on their room assignment) and have a limited amount of time to complete the move-in process.
- Please consider reducing the amount of personal belongings you bring with you to campus. Doing so will help ensure you have a quick and easy unloading process.

If you are planning on arriving after 7 p.m. on August 10-12, 2020, please notify the Housing and Residence Life office at **601.979.2326** or **housinginfo@jsums.edu**.

#### IMPORTANT HOUSING DATES

In order to manage over 2,000 students moving onto our campus, we need students and families to adhere to the student's assigned date and time.

#### **NEW STUDENTS**

Monday, August 10	8 a.m 7 p.m.
Tuesday, August 11	8 a.m 7 p.m.
Wednesday, August 12	8 a.m 7 p.m.

#### **RETURNING STUDENTS**

Thursday, August 13	8 a.m 7 p.m.
Friday, August 14	8 a.m 7 p.m.
Saturday, August 15	8 a.m 7 p.m.

## YOUR MOVE-IN DATE & TIME





In order to provide a socially-distanced and efficient move-in experience, each resident is assigned a specific day and time to move in. Specific floors may be further assigned to either morning or afternoon arrival times.

#### WHEN YOU ARRIVE

- 1. When checking in to your residence hall, unload your belongings directly onto the sidewalk area.
- 2. Parking in front of the halls is limited; stay with your belongings while someone else moves the vehicle to the lot reserved for move-in.
- 3. Report to the check-in area for your residence-hall assignment, which will be designated by signage.
- 4. You will be provided with a Room Condition Report to complete, an inventory of your new room's condition, and your room key or access card.

#### **EARLY MOVE-IN**

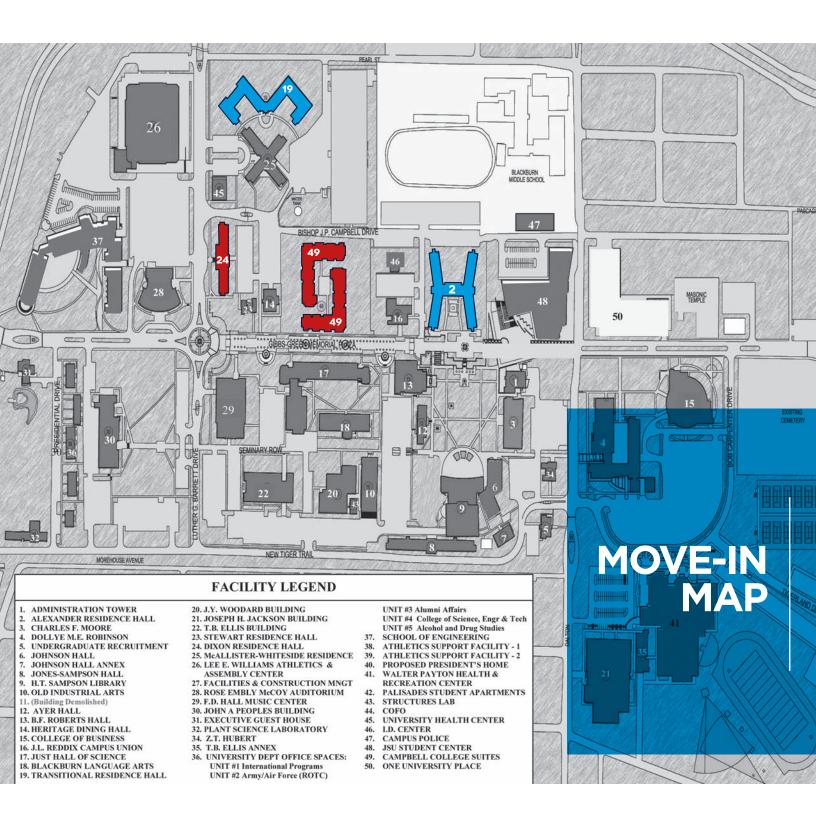
It is not possible to move in earlier than stated without an early-arrival request submitted to **housinginfo@jsums.edu**. Campus maps and driving directions to each residence hall can be found online. Students who move-in early and **DO NOT APPLY** for an Early Arrival will be fined and charged for each day they arrive early, factoring in their scheduled arrival day and time.

### LATE MOVE-IN

If you intend to arrive later than the designated move-in dates, you must notify the Department of Housing and Residence Life. Email your name, J-number, and intended arrival date to **housinginfo@jsums.edu** before the semester begins. Failure to do so will place you in no-show status and jeopardize your room assignment.

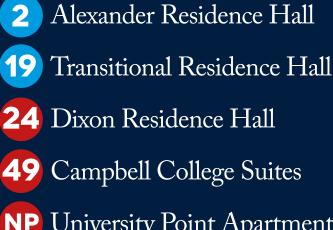
#### **MOVE-IN HELP**

While you move, resident assistants and limited volunteers will provide directions and assistance while distributing room keys and important documents. We recommend bringing a limited number of family or friends to assist you. All individuals will be required to wear masks.





## **RESIDENTIAL HALLS**



**NP** University Point Apartments (Not pictured)

#### MOVE-IN PARKING INSTRUCTIONS

Public Safety and the Department of Housing and Residence Life staff will direct you into available parking spaces during move-in.

# YOUR NEW HOME

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#### ROOM FURNISHINGS

You will be provided with a bed frame, mattress, dresser, desk, chair, and a closet or wardrobe. All windows have shades, curtains, or blinds. Traditional and suite-style residence hall units are not equipped with cooking facilities. They have common-area kitchenettes with sinks and microwaves or stoves.

#### BED DIMENSIONS

JSU has twin-size beds installed in its residence halls. Select rooms have full-size beds.

#### EXTRA-LONG: 80" X 39"

Alexander Center Campbell College Suites Dixon Hall Transitional Hall University Pointe

#### **STANDARD FULL:**

University Pointe

#### LAUNDRY

Washers and dryers are available in every residence hall. Halls are not equipped with change machines, so plan to use the preloaded funds on your JSU ID.



# PERSONAL PROPERTY INSURANCE .



Consult your family's homeowners or renter's insurance policy to understand the coverage you might have as a resident of university housing. If you do not have coverage, consider purchasing a renter's insurance policy to protect your personal property. University insurance covers only university property.

Jackson State University does not insure for damage or loss to your personal property. For information about private insurance providers, visit jsums.edu/housing, and click "Property Insurance."

#### NSSI: COLLEGE STUDENT PROPERTY INSURANCE

National Student Services, Inc. offers a personal property insurance program exclusively designed for college students. Make sure your valuable electronic devices and other personal property are protected. Students can save hundreds of dollars on smartphones, tablets, and laptop repairs. Don't let your expensive devices go unprotected this semester.

Accidentally drop your cell phone and crack the screen? **COVERED!** Accidentally spill coffee on your laptop? **COVERED!** 

Forgot you left your tablet on the roof of your car and it's now on the highway? **COVERED!** 

- Laptops, tablets, and phones insured all under one affordable, comprehensive policy.
- Accidental damage coverage from drops, cracked screens, and liquid damage.
- Fast and easy claims, repair, or replacement guarantee with low deductibles.

Comprehensive coverage for many other personal items is **INCLUDED** in coverage: electronics, furniture, appliances, musical instruments, bikes, textbooks, and much more! Plans are starting as low as \$72.00 per year for \$2,000.00 of coverage.





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# DECORATING YOUR ROOM

SUNDAY

TODAY

IS A GOOD DAY

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Coordinate with your roommate(s) to decorate your room to reflect your energy and style. Many rooms have bulletin boards or tack strips; use mounting putty (instead of nails or tacks) to hang things on the walls.

You are not permitted to paint, install carpeting (area rugs are allowed), hang wallpaper, apply contact paper or decals, hang items from ceiling pipes or fire-safety equipment, or alter university furniture.

#### THINGS YOU MIGHT WANT TO BRING

- Cable lock for a laptop
- Cleaning supplies and laundry detergent
- Headphones
- Fan
- Green painters tape to hang posters or other decorations
- Health insurance card
- Personal appliances with automatic shutoff features, such as an iron or a coffee maker
- Personal toiletries
- Pictures and posters
- Poster putty
- Power strip
- · Sheets, pillows, blankets, mattress cover
- Small tool kit
- $\bullet\,\mathrm{TV}$
- USB printer cable if you plan to bring a printer
- Wastebasket

You may only bring refrigerators that are less than 3.6 cubic feet and are ENERGY STAR-rated. Microwaves must be less than 1000 watts.

#### THINGS NOT PERMITTED IN RESIDENCE HALLS

- 3M Strips
- Bed risers or any materials or mechanisms for lifting or raising beds (blocks, lifts, or any devices that raise the bed platform and legs above the standard height)
- Candles, incense, aromatherapy oil burners, or any devices that use halogen bulbs or have exposed heating elements, such as toasters, convection ovens, or hot plates
- Firearms or weapons, regardless of permits to carry
- Pets (other than certified service animals)
- Electrical appliances exceeding 50 watts, such as air conditioners, space heaters, heat lamps, or music amplifiers
- Network equipment such as wireless access points, routers, and switches

If you have questions about a specific item and whether it is permitted in university housing, contact the Department of Housing and Residence Life at **601.979.2326** or **housinginfo@jsums.edu**.

#### **DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND RESIDENCE LIFE** 601.979.2326

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

601.979.2580

#### **STUDENT HEALTH CENTER** 601.979.2260

#### **INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY** 601.979.4299

## UNDERGRADUATE ADMISSIONS

601.979.0928

# **FINANCIAL AID** 601.979.2227









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