

Your guide to
UNIVERSITY HOUSING



Undergraduate Edition
2020-2021

Welcome Home!

One of your first decisions as a new student will be choosing where to make your home on campus. We hope you'll choose University Housing to be a part of your **ILLINOIS** story!

It's a great place to begin living your ILLINOIS story.

Why Choose University Housing?

Simple — our communities create success for every student.

- Build lifelong friendships
- Broaden your horizons
- Participate in student organizations
- Make better grades
- Enjoy fresh, chef-created meals

HALL LOCATIONS

There are 24 undergraduate halls organized into four residential communities — Ikenberry North, Ikenberry South, Urbana North, and Urbana South. Each hall and community offer a variety of features, personalities, and traditions that make them unique.

Visit [GO.ILLINOIS.EDU/UHOPTIONS](https://go.illinois.edu/uhoptions) to explore all that awaits you.

All Halls Have

- Wireless internet, Xfinity™ cable, and streaming TV
- Computer labs, study lounges, and learning commons or libraries
- 24-hour front desk services and on-call maintenance
- Live-in professional staff, resident advisors (RAs), and multicultural advocates (MAs)
- In-hall laundry, cost included. No quarters necessary!

HALLS *at a glance*

T=Traditional Layout S=Suite Layout &=ADA Accessible IKE=Ikenberry Dining Center in the Student Dining and Residential Programs Building

HALL	Style	Gender Options	Bathroom Type	AC	Beds	Dining	Living-Learning Communities, Special Living Options	Break Housing
LUNDGREN	T	All Men	Community		Bunkable	IKE		
BARTON	T	All Women	Community		Bunkable	IKE		
WESTON	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	IKE	Weston Exploration LLC	
HOPKINS	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	IKE	LEADS LLC	
WASSAJA	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	IKE	Business LLC Gender-inclusive Housing	
NUGENT	T	Coed	Community, Individual-use	✓	Loftable	IKE	Honors LLC Beckwith Residential Support Services	
BOUSFIELD	S	Coed	In suite	✓	Loftable	IKE	Upper-division Students Transfer Community Gender-inclusive Housing	
SCOTT	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	IKE	Transfer Community	
SNYDER	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	IKE	Substance-free Community	Fall/Spring
VAN DOREN	T	Coed	Community		Bunkable	IKE		
TAFT	T	Coed	Community		Bunkable	IKE		

IKENBERRY NORTH

IKENBERRY SOUTH

WARDALL Illinois Street Residence (ISR)	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Innovation LLC Gender-inclusive Housing	
TOWNSEND Illinois Street Residence (ISR)	T	All Women	Community	✓	Loftable		Non-visitation Wing	
BUSEY	T	All Men	Community	✓	Loftable			
EVANS	T	Coed	Community, Gender-inclusive		Loftable	In Hall	Unit One LLC Gender-inclusive Wing	
ALLEN	T	Coed	Community		Loftable	In Hall	Scholars Community	
LEONARD Lincoln Avenue Residence (LAR)	T	Coed	Community		Loftable	In Hall	Sustainability LLC	
SHELDEN Lincoln Avenue Residence (LAR)	T	Coed	Community		Loftable	In Hall	Sustainability LLC	
BABCOCK Pennsylvania Avenue Residence (PAR)	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Intersections LLC Gender-inclusive Housing	Fall
CARR Pennsylvania Avenue Residence (PAR)	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Gender-inclusive Housing	Fall
BLAISEDELL Pennsylvania Avenue Residence (PAR)	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Gender-inclusive Housing	Fall
SAUNDERS Pennsylvania Avenue Residence (PAR)	T	Coed	Individual-use	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Global Crossroads LLC Gender-inclusive Housing	Fall
OGLESBY Florida Avenue Residence (FAR)	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	In Hall	Health Professions LLC	Fall/Winter/Spring
TRELEASE Florida Avenue Residence (FAR)	T	Coed	Community	✓	Loftable	In Hall	WIMSE LLC	Fall/Winter/Spring

URBANA NORTH

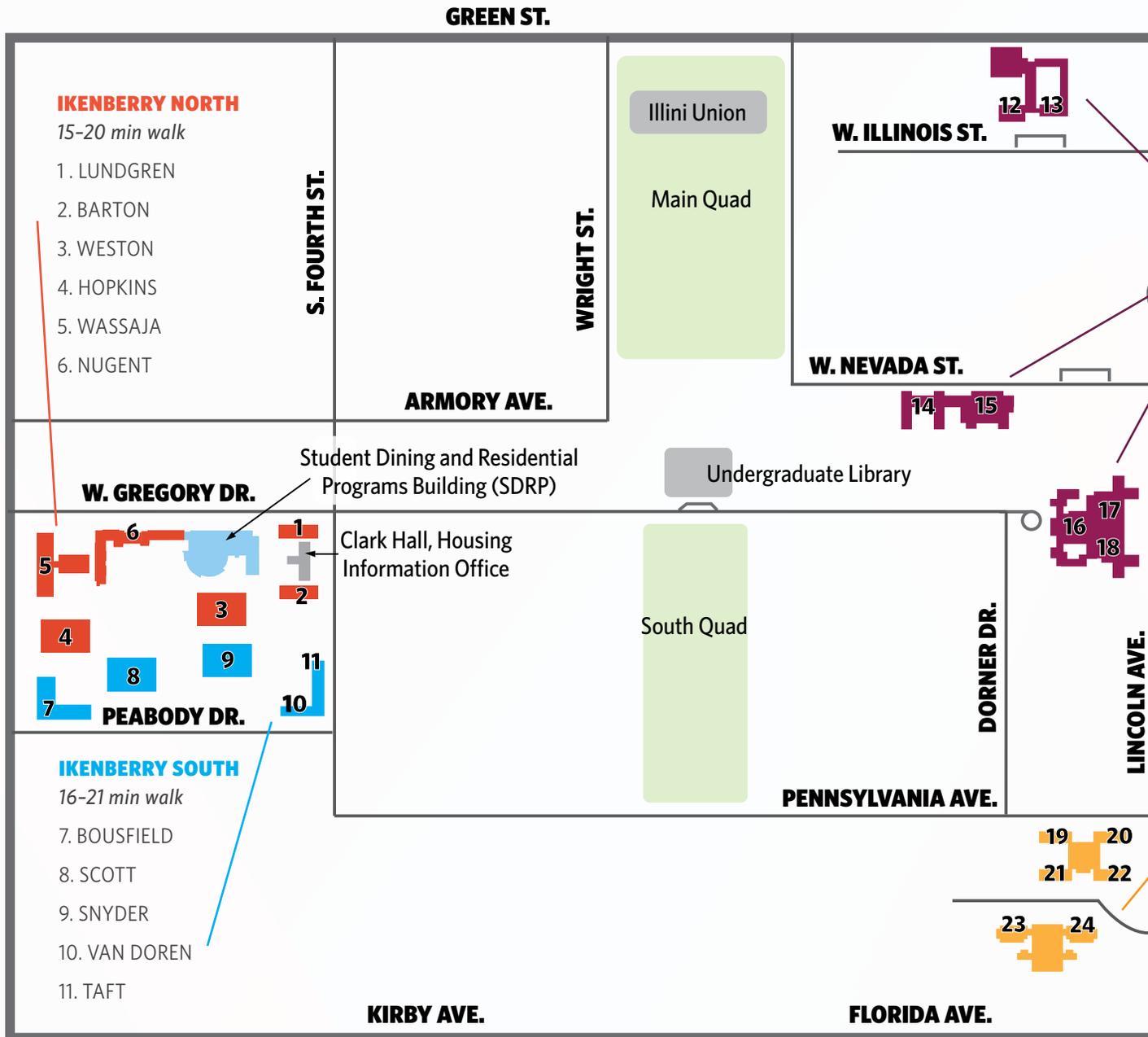
URBANA SOUTH

UNAVAILABLE: UNDER CONSTRUCTION UNTIL AUGUST 2021

For more room and hall details, visit HOUSING-ILLINOIS.EDU/UNDERGRADHALLS

CAMPUS MAP

Walk time is to Main Quad



URBANA NORTH

7-14 min walk

- 12. WARDALL (ISR)
- 13. TOWNSEND (ISR)
- 14. EVANS
- 15. BUSEY
- 16. ALLEN
- 17. LEONARD (LAR)
- 18. SHELDEN (LAR)

URBANA SOUTH

19-21 min walk

- 19. CARR (PAR)
- 20. BLAISDELL (PAR)
- 21. BABCOCK (PAR)
- 22. SAUNDERS (PAR)
- 23. OGLESBY (FAR)
- 24. TRELEASE (FAR)

LIVING-LEARNING COMMUNITIES

We offer 11 unique living-learning communities (LLCs) where students who share similar interests live together in the same building or on the same floor. Each LLC offers a variety of events and services to support students in their academic and personal growth. LLCs are available to all majors.

Living in an LLC comes with great benefits:

- An opportunity to live with students who share your interests and goals.
- For-credit courses offered in the hall that fulfill graduation requirements.
- A chance to expand your views through exploration and collaboration with campus departments and academic programs.
- Access to faculty and world-renowned speakers who come to the hall.
- A feeling of belonging on Illinois' large campus.

Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/LLC](https://housing.illinois.edu/llc) for more details on all the living-learning communities, including how to apply.



LLC OPTIONS

BUSINESS Wassaja Hall (IKE North)

Students who want to study business or learn more about how business interacts with other fields.

GLOBAL CROSSROADS Saunders Hall – PAR (Urbana South)

Make friends with students from all over the world and learn about different cultures.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS Oglesby Hall – FAR (Urbana South)

Supporting students pursuing a career in healthcare.

HONORS Nugent Hall (IKE North)

Engaging and academically-focused atmosphere for students invited to the James Scholars or Campus Honors Program.

INNOVATION Townsend Hall – ISR (Urbana North)

Invention, creative problem-solving, and support to make entrepreneurial dreams in any field a reality.

INTERSECTIONS Babcock Hall – PAR (Urbana South)

Find deeper ways to talk about American race and culture and understand different life experiences.

LEADS Hopkins Hall (IKE North)

A community where anyone can learn to be a leader.

SUSTAINABILITY Sheldon Hall – LAR (Urbana North)

Hands-on learning about diverse aspects of sustainability.

UNIT ONE/ALLEN HALL Allen Hall (Urbana North)

Creative and intellectually stimulating community within a liberal arts college-like setting.

WESTON EXPLORATION Weston Hall (IKE North)

Explore interests and skills related to different academic majors and career possibilities.

WIMSE Trelease Hall – FAR (Urbana South)

Academic and professional support for women in STEM fields (science, technology, engineering, and math).



SPECIAL LIVING OPTIONS

We also offer rooms, wings, and floors designed to meet specific student needs or support identity groups. Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/SPECIALOPTIONS](https://housing.illinois.edu/specialoptions) for more details.

BECKWITH RESIDENTIAL SUPPORT SERVICES Nugent Hall (IKE North)
Accessible rooms designed with special furnishings and technology for students who require accommodations. Students get assistance with daily living activities and learn to improve independent living skills. Separate application process required.

GENDER-INCLUSIVE HOUSING Allen Hall (Urbana North), Townsend Hall (Urbana North), PAR (Urbana South), Wassaja Hall (IKE North), Bousfield Hall (IKE South)
Several different room types and bathroom options are available in different locations to accommodate students of all gender identities and expressions.
Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/GENDERINCLUSIVE](https://housing.illinois.edu/genderinclusive) for more details.

NON-VISITATION Busey Hall (Urbana North)
Residents agree not to have male visitors in the wing at any time.

SCHOLARS COMMUNITY Leonard Hall - LAR (Urbana North)
Residents are interested in pursuing research projects and participating in academically focused programming.

SUBSTANCE-FREE COMMUNITY Snyder Hall (IKE South)
Residents are committed to healthy habits. Substance-free means choosing not to use tobacco products, alcohol, or other drugs inside the hall or anywhere on campus.

TRANSFER COMMUNITY Scott Hall and Bousfield Hall (IKE South)
Focused on the interests and needs of transfer students to assist their transition to Illinois.

Need A Special Accommodation?

If you need a special accommodation because of a disability or medical need, let us know in your online contract under the assignment considerations section. Missed that part? You can log back in and complete the information.

In addition to completing the assignment considerations section, please register with the Division of Disability Resources and Educational Services (DRES). Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/APPLY-NOW/ADA-ASSIGNMENT](https://housing.illinois.edu/apply-now/ada-assignment) for more information.

SIGNING UP FOR YOUR ROOM

First-year students are required to live in certified housing approved by the University. You get to choose your own room — even as a new student. We guarantee housing for all first-year students.

Signing up is easy! Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/APPLY](https://housing.illinois.edu/apply) to start your online contract.

Before May 15

Accept your offer of admission, *wait 48 hours*, then go online and complete your contract. A \$50 non-refundable application fee and \$150 advanced payment must be paid to complete your contract. Students who received an Admissions application fee waiver are eligible to receive a waiver of the \$50 application fee, and the \$150 advanced payment is deferred until fall semester.

You have the best chance of getting your preferred roommate, space, living-learning community, or special living option if you complete your contract by the May 15 priority deadline.

Late May

If you complete your contract by the deadline, you'll be assigned a random entry time in late May to log into your contract and choose your room and meal plan. You can make changes anytime until housing selection closes in mid-June.

We assign entry times in random order so that all students who meet the priority deadline have an equal chance of getting their preference no matter when they are admitted or accept their offer of admission.

Late June

We'll send you a notice that confirms your room selection and roommate.

SELECTING YOUR ROOMMATE

Know your roommate already?

Indicate your roommate preference before May 15 and you'll both be assigned the same random entry time so that you can choose your room together. Both roommates must select a room during the entry time.

Don't have a roommate yet?

Complete the lifestyle questions to match you with potential roommates. Use our email feature to send messages to other students to learn more about living together before requesting to be roommates. You can also use incoming Illinois student groups on social media to connect with potential roommates.

Don't have a preference?

Go random. Place yourself in a double room with one open bed space to be paired with an unknown roommate, or place yourself in a double room that isn't occupied and allow an unknown roommate to select the other space.

CHOOSING A LIVING-LEARNING COMMUNITY (LLC)

To receive priority consideration to live in an LLC, you must indicate your preference before the May 15 priority deadline and complete the LLC essay. If you are approved for an LLC, you'll be assigned a special early entry time in late May to select your room. If you do not select your room during this entry time, you may not be guaranteed a room in the LLC. We'll send you a notice that confirms your LLC selection and the name of your roommate in late June.

If you and your preferred roommate want to live together in an LLC, both of you need to list that community in your preferences during Step One of the contract and complete the LLC essay question.

If you aren't approved to be placed in an LLC in May, you can check back in early June to see if your preferred LLC has space available.

IF YOU MISS THE MAY 15 PRIORITY DEADLINE,

University Housing will pick a room and roommate for you based on available space and

WE'LL STILL HAVE A SPACE FOR YOU.

your location preferences. We'll send you a confirmation when your assignment is made.

MEAL PLANS

All students living in an undergraduate residence hall are required to purchase a meal plan. Use your meal plan at any of the dining halls, restaurants, cafés, and stores operated by University Housing. The meal plan week runs from Sunday to Saturday.

12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits

The most affordable plan.

Get a consistent number of meals to use each week. Use the added Café Credits for occasional hunger on the go.

- Access all five dining halls for all-you-care-to-eat meals. Each visit or access counts as one of 12 weekly meals. Unused meals expire on Saturday.
- Café Credits can be used to purchase additional meals in a dining hall (between 8 and 13 credits per meal) or individually priced items at our five convenience stores and coffee shops (1 credit = \$1).
- Up to one week's worth of unused Café Credits (15 credits) rollover to the following week.

All Classic Meals

Most like an unlimited plan.

Eat at any of the dining halls whenever they are open — whether it's a sit-down meal, a quick snack, late-night munchies, or just a beverage.

- Access to all five dining halls for all-you-care-to-eat meals as well as snacks and beverages throughout the day.
- Visit a dining hall once per meal period up to seven times each day.
- Visit multiple dining halls to get the most value from this plan.

Students with special dietary needs can enjoy meal plans. We have a dietitian on staff to help with healthy eating, food allergies, and special diets. Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/SPECIALDIETS](https://housing.illinois.edu/specialdiets) to learn more.

You can purchase Illini Cash at any time to supplement the meal plans. Use it like Café Credits to purchase meals or grab-and-go items at any University Housing dining hall or retail location. Visit [GO.ILLINOIS.EDU/ILLINICASH](https://go.illinois.edu/illinicash) to learn more.

10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits

The most popular plan.

Enjoy the consistency of a weekly meal plan with added flexibility. Use the extra weekly Café Credits for quick, light meals or snacks.

- Access all five dining halls for all-you-care-to-eat meals. Each visit or access counts as one of 10 weekly meals. Unused meals expire on Saturday.
- Café Credits can be used to purchase additional meals in a dining hall (between 8 and 13 credits per meal) or individually priced items at our five convenience stores and coffee shops (1 credit = \$1).
- Up to one week's worth of unused Café Credits (45 credits) rollover to the following week.

All Café Credits

The most flexible plan.

Use Café Credits to pay for what you eat, when you eat it. Eat at any dining hall or get beverages, convenience foods, and prepared food at University Housing retail locations anytime.

- Receive 130 Café Credits each week.
- Use Café Credits to purchase meals at all five dining halls (between 8 and 13 credits per meal) or individually priced items at our five convenience stores and coffee shops (1 credit = \$1).
- Up to one week's worth of unused Café Credits (130 credits) rollover to the following week.

Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/MEALPLANS](https://housing.illinois.edu/mealplans) for more information on each plan.

Recommended Room and Board Rates: 2020–2021 Academic Year

Traditional Hall | Double | With Air Conditioning

Weston, Hopkins, Scott, Snyder, Busey, Evans, Townsend, Oglesby, Trelease, Babcock, Carr, Blaisdell, and Saunders Halls

Room & 12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits	\$11,536
Room & 10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits	\$12,252
Room & All Café Credits	\$12,634
Room & All Classic Meals	\$12,634

Traditional Hall | Double | Without Air Conditioning

Barton, Lundgren, Van Doren, Taft, Allen, Leonard, and Shelden Halls

Room & 12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits	\$11,184
Room & 10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits	\$11,898
Room & All Café Credits	\$12,282
Room & All Classic Meals	\$12,282

Nugent Hall | Double | With Air Conditioning

Room & 12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits	\$11,920
Room & 10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits	\$12,634
Room & All Café Credits	\$13,018
Room & All Classic Meals	\$13,018

Wassaja Hall | Double | With Air Conditioning

Room & 12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits	\$12,238
Room & 10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits	\$12,954
Room & All Café Credits	\$13,338
Room & All Classic Meals	\$13,338

Bousfield Hall | Double | With Air Conditioning

Room & 12 Classic Meals + 15 Café Credits	\$12,484
Room & 10 Classic Meals + 45 Café Credits	\$13,198
Room & All Café Credits	\$13,582
Room & All Classic Meals	\$13,582

Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/RATES](https://housing.illinois.edu/rates) to view rates for singles (shared and private bath), triples, and quads.

Deposit

A \$50 non-refundable application fee and \$150 advanced payment (credited back at the beginning of spring semester) are required.

Living-Learning Community (LLC) Fees

Each LLC has an additional yearly fee to support the co-curricular and extracurricular learning opportunities.

<i>Unit One/Allen</i>	\$326
<i>Business</i>	\$300
<i>Global Crossroads</i>	\$200
<i>Health Professions</i>	\$200
<i>Honors</i>	\$300
<i>Innovation</i>	\$276
<i>Intersections</i>	\$200
<i>LEADS</i>	\$200
<i>Sustainability</i>	\$276
<i>Weston Exploration</i>	\$276
<i>WIMSE</i>	\$200

Rates for both semesters of the academic year have been recommended to the Board of Trustees. Rates are subject to change. Visit [HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/RATES](https://housing.illinois.edu/rates) for final rates. Residential Fund Council (RFC) student government dues of \$16 per year are included in room and board rates.

Constant Rate Program Makes Planning Easier

The room and board rate structure for the year you enter University Housing will apply in all future years if you live with us continually (up to four years). Should you select a different room type or meal plan with University Housing in the future, you will only pay the 2020-2021 rate for that room or meal plan.

MOVING IN

First-year residents move in to undergraduate residence halls on August 20. First-year residents of living-learning communities who are attending LLC Orientation move in August 18.

If you need to move in prior to these days, you can do so as early as August 16 for a fee of \$60 per day (meals included).

Visit HOUSING.ILLINOIS.EDU/MOVEIN for more information about moving in and early arrival options.

Connect With Us

Get an insider look at life in the residence halls by connecting with us online.

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