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Housing Overview

(for parents, guardians, and families)

Process Overview:

- 1. Students who want to be part of the housing process must submit by March 22, 2024 at 5:00pm EST:
 - a. the online housing application
 - b. the \$450 housing deposit
 - c. (if needed) the Specialized Housing request form
 - i. Please note: This must be resubmitted each year.

Students can also apply to a pilot Living Learning Community focused on sustainability (see below for details).

- 2. Students with Specialized Housing accommodations select their housing.
- 3. All other students participate in a lottery through the Generalized Housing process.
 - a. **Rising sophomores** can participate as individuals or groups of 2–7 for rooms within apartments or full apartments in Hill House.
 - b. **Rising juniors and seniors** participate as individuals or groups of 2–3. The Generalized Housing process consists of two rounds. Students should view more details about the lottery on MySLC.

Important Dates:

- March 22, 2024: Deadline for the housing application, housing deposit, and Specialized Housing request form submissions
 - Rising juniors and seniors who submit their housing application and/or deposit late will be placed on the waitlist.
 - Rising sophomores who submit their housing application and/or deposit late will be moved to Final Selection.
- May 15, 2024: Deadline to request a refund for the housing deposit

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Ways to Support your Student through the Housing Process

Provide Emotional Support

Stay Up To Date

Encourage Communication with Roommates or Housing Office

Encourage Independence

Respect Their Choices

Understand that choosing housing can be a big decision and may come with some stress or anxiety. Be a supportive listener and offer encouragement.

Kindly remind your student of important deadlines. Important information can be found on our <u>MySLC Page</u> or has been shared directly with students <u>via email + Instagram</u>.

Encourage your student to communicate openly with potential roommates or Residential Life to address any questions or concerns. Information and Help sessions are available to support your student. Information about those sessions can be found on MySLC.

While you can offer guidance, let your student take the lead in the housing selection process. This is an opportunity for them to practice decision-making and problem-solving skills.

Remember to balance support with allowing your student to take ownership of the decision—making process. This empowers them to develop important life skills and take responsibility for their own choices.

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE Available Student Support

We understand the significance of finding the right living arrangements to support academic success and personal growth. To facilitate this, we are implementing several initiatives to assist students throughout the housing selection process.

Here are some of the ways we are supporting students:

- Information Sessions: These sessions will provide comprehensive information about the application process, housing options, the lottery process, and the housing selection process.
- Help Sessions: Help sessions will be available during both the application and selection phases of the housing process. This is where students can receive direct assistance and guidance on navigating the application or selection.
- Roommate Mixer: We understand the importance of compatible roommates in creating a positive living environment. Our roommate mixer event will provide an opportunity for students to meet and connect with potential roommates, fostering a sense of community and collaboration.

We believe that transparent communication and active involvement are crucial in making this process a success.



WHAT IS THE SUSTAINABILITY LLC?

The Sustainability LLC, located in Warren Green, is the perfect place to share your passion for sustainability efforts both on and off campus. Whether it be strengthening recycling and reusing efforts, establishing composting practices, or educating others and practicing proper gardening techniques, residents support and inspire each other to create a more sustainable community.



OPPORTUNITIES



GARDENING

With fellow LLC residents, manage and uphold the Warren Green garden



LEARNING

Attend monthly meetings focused on sustainability with peers, faculty, and staff



PROGRAMMING

Participate in community outreach programs and plan sustainability-focused events

STUDENTS CAN VIEW MORE INFORMATION AND APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS ON MYSLC

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LAWRENCE RESIDENTIAL LIFE