

SARAH LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Office of Residential Life

Top 10 Lists for Living on Campus

Top 10 items to bring to student residences

- Bedding & Linens**
 - Comforter/Blankets
 - Standard Twin sheets
 - Mattress pad/foam topper
 - Pillows
 - Bath Towels
- Fan** (ideally quiet but powerful)
- A small trash can & bin for recyclables**
- Extra-long surge protected power cord** (must be UL rated, no older or unprotected extension cords please)
- Mobile phone** (aka your alarm clock)
- Clothing and hangers you will need for the academic year.** (Please be mindful each bedroom will minimally have a chest of drawers and small closet or wardrobe for your clothes, but you may not have as much storage space as you've been used to at home. Please bring only what you will need to be comfortable living on campus through May.)
- Laundry bag or basket**
- Laundry detergent**
- Shower Shoes**
- Toiletries**
 - A bath caddy to carry your items
 - Any personal care products you may need (shampoo, body wash, face wash, etc.)



For Students Living in Apartments with Kitchens

Please note that most first-year students will live in traditional halls without kitchens.

1. Eating utensils (cups, plate, bowl, fork, spoon, mug)
2. A few pots, pans, and a baking sheet
3. Paper towels/napkins
4. Oven mitts
5. Dish soap & sponge
6. Dish towels
7. Cleaning supplies
8. Storage containers
9. Water pitcher/filter
10. Limited small appliances. (Students may keep appropriate fridges, microwaves, or coffeemakers inside their bedrooms. But items such as tea kettles and toasters are only permitted in kitchens. Please discuss items you plan to bring with roommates ahead of time to avoid overcrowding shared spaces.)

Don't forget study supplies!

- Laptop •Headphones •Pens •Pencils
- Planner •Paper •Folders •Binders • Desk Lamp
- Sticky Notes for reminders and daily affirmations!

Top 10 items NOT to bring to SLC

The following items are strictly prohibited on campus:

- Weapons**
- Pets** (with the exception of service animals and pre-authorized assistance animals)
- Non-prescription drugs** (Please note marijuana is never allowed on campus, even for individuals who have been issued bonafide medical marijuana cards.)
- Candles** (including wax pillars with original wicks removed), incense, warm potpourri pots/wax burners, or anything with an open flame
- Any smoking materials** including cigars or cigarettes of any kind, vaping/vape pens, e-cigarettes, pipes, ashes/ ash trays
- Paper lanterns/lamp shades or Non-LED string lights.** (UL Listed LED string lights are permitted as long as they are not daisy chained or attached to ceilings or fire-suppressing fixtures.)
- Gum tack or putty** (Students should only use 3M Command strips and hooks to help decorate their rooms.)
- Non-surge protected extension cords/multipronged splitters.** (UL Listed surge-suppressors are allowed in student rooms as long as they are plugged directly into a wall outlet. One surge suppressor strip may not be plugged into another strip.)
- Multi-pronged lamps, halogen lamps, or lava lamps**
- Home Appliances such as:**
 - Hotplates/electric grills
 - Toaster ovens
 - Air conditioners
 - Electric Heaters
 - BBQ Grills
 - Electric skillets, hot plates, or anything with an open heating element

**(Compact "mini" fridges, small microwaves, and coffee makers with automatic-shut off are acceptable if they are energy efficient, UL Listed, in good working order and plugged directly into a wall outlet.)*

**Curling irons and flat irons are permitted in student rooms as long as they are UL Listed and not left plugged in when not in use.*

**Televisions are also allowed but may not be mounted.*



COVID-19 Preparedness & Isolation Kits

As we continue to live and study alongside a fluid pandemic, all SLC students should plan to minimally bring the following items to be prepared in the event they may need to isolate in their campus residence:

- At least five KN95 or N95 face masks
- At least two COVID-19 rapid home test kits
- Acetaminophen/Ibuprofen
- Decongestant tablets
- Cough drops & Throat lozenges
- Table salt to gargle
- Digital (reusable) thermometer
- Disinfecting wipes (small container)
- Hand sanitizer
- Tissues