



**St. Thomas University**  
RESIDENCE LIFE

**2024-2025**

# **MOVE IN GUIDE**



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# WELCOME TO RESIDENCE



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You are about to embark on an amazing adventure. While living in residence, you will make lasting connections with new friends, develop a network of peers going through the same things, and receive support and guidance from our exceptional staff. This guide is a resource for you (and your family) as you prepare to move into residence. We cannot wait to meet you and welcome you to your new home!

## MEET YOUR RESIDENCE LIFE TEAM



**Sylenah Beckford**  
Residence Administration  
Supervisor



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Residence Life  
Supervisor



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Student Support  
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# MOVE IN DAY AUGUST 30TH, 2024

## MOVE IN TIMES

**Harrington Hall &  
Holy Cross House**  
10:00 am - 4:00 pm

**Vanier Hall**  
11:00 am - 4:00 pm



## BEFORE YOU ARRIVE

### RESIDENCE AGREEMENT

o All students must complete the online agreement [HERE](#) prior to moving into residence.

### STU UCARD

o If you do not have a UCard, upload your photo [HERE](#) to have it available for move-in day.

### STORAGE

o Limited storage is available to residents. Students are encouraged to leave items at home until they are required. If that is not possible, students may store extra items in their residence's limited storage. Items must be clearly marked in storage containers, boxes, or suitcases.

### RENTERS INSURANCE

o All students are strongly encouraged to get renter's insurance, as the university is not responsible for the loss or damage of personal items.

For residents who are unable to move in between the above hours, please complete the eRezlife form: **Early or late Arrival to Residence**



# HOW TO GET HERE?

Use these addresses in your GPS or provide to your taxi driver:

- **Harrington Hall and Vanier Hall:**
  - 63 Dineen Drive, Fredericton NB  
(Main parking lot on campus)
- **Holy Cross House:**
  - 845 Montgomery Street,  
Fredericton NB (corner of  
Windsor and Montgomery Street)



## CHECK-IN

- At each check-in station, there will be a member of our team directing traffic. They will guide you to the appropriate next steps!
- Directional signage will be placed around campus near Holy Cross and Vanier/Harrington. This will help with traffic flow and will clearly define the unloading zone.
- Upon arrival, you will have 30 minutes to unload. Once your vehicle is unloaded, please move it to the designated parking area in the center of the parking lot.

# CAMPUS MAP



- 1 HOLY CROSS HOUSE**  
Holy Cross houses 70 residence students. It is also home to faculty offices, the chapel, and classrooms.
- 2 MARGARET NORRIE MCCAIN HALL**  
McCain Hall is the newest building on campus. In it, you will find classrooms, faculty offices, the Dr. Daniel O'Brien Study Hall, the President's Office, and the Noel Kinella Auditorium.
- 3 BRIAN MULRONEY HALL**  
Named after STU alumnus and 18th Prime Minister of Canada, Brian Mulroney Hall houses classrooms, faculty offices, student study spaces, and the Schools of Education and Social Work.
- 4 GEORGE MARTIN HALL**  
On the ground level of George Martin Hall, you will find the Dining Hall, Registrar's Office (including Academic Advising), and Financial Services. The Great Hall is located on the second floor and is a communal space for students, staff, and professors. There is a Java Moose station for coffee, snacks, sandwiches, soups, and more. On the third floor, you will find the Student Services Offices. This is where you will go to access Residence Life, Experiential Learning and Career Development, the Student Success Coach, and more.
- 5 VANIER HALL**  
Vanier Hall offers double and single rooms, shared lounges, washrooms, kitchens, and communal study spaces.

- 6 HARRINGTON HALL**  
Harrington Hall offers double and single rooms, shared lounges, washrooms, a kitchen, and communal study spaces.
- 7 J. B. O'KEEFE FITNESS CENTRE**  
This fitness centre offers cardio and weight equipment, a multipurpose court and squash court, dressing rooms and shower facilities, and more.
- 8 SIR JAMES DUNN HALL**  
On first floor, you will find open study spaces, the Students' Union Help Desk, the student lounge, the Black Box Theatre, Tim Horton's, and Subway. On the second floor, you will discover more study spaces, the computer lab and ITS Help Desk, and the Wabanaki Student Centre. On the ground level, there are classrooms and lockers. Sir James Dunn Hall also houses Safe Walk/Safe Ride.

- 9 DONALD C. DUFFIE HALL**  
Duffie Hall is where you will find the Admissions and Recruitment Offices. This building is affectionately called the Welcome Building.
- 10 EDMUND CASEY HALL**  
Edmund Casey Hall houses many faculty offices, classrooms, the Ted Dalgle Auditorium, the Anthropology and Psychology labs, and the Writing Centre.



# WHAT TO PACK?

## Recommended items to bring with you:

- Government-issued photo ID – REQUIRED to check in
- Sheets (extra-long twin)
- Blankets
- Pillow
- Towels
- Laundry detergent
- Personal toiletries
- Medications
- Shower caddy
- Clothes hangers
- Clothing and footwear appropriate by season (winter, spring, summer, and fall)

## Optional items you may want to bring but not required:

- Small coffee maker
- Television: If you do not have a TV, every residence has a lounge with a TV.
- Alarm clock
- Small Fan
- Kettle

## Your residence will have:

- Restroom facilities in each wing
- Community lounges on each floor
- Kitchen facilities
- Laundry facilities

## Each room is equipped with:

- Extra-long twin bed
- Desk, chair, and wardrobe/closet
- High Speed Internet
- Mini-Fridge (one per room)

## You may NOT bring:

- Candles, incense, wax burners, or anything with an open flame
- Small cooking appliances (including but not limited to appliances with open elements, hot plates, pressure cookers, toaster/toaster ovens, air fryers, crock pots, rice cookers, etc.)
- Large alcohol containers/drinking games (Kegs, Texas Miceys, funnels, drinking game tables, etc.)
- Campus (including residence) will be an alcohol-free and cannabis-free week (August 30th – September 7th, 2024)
- Pets
- Weapons/Explosives or any illegal substance

Please refer to the Residence Guide for a comprehensive list of items prohibited in residence. Contact the Residence Life Team if you are unsure of what to bring or have any other residence-related questions.



# FOR STUDENTS

## RESIDENCE LIFE STAFF

Student leaders live in your building that will provide resources, support, and various events throughout the academic year. There are Residence Coordinators (RC) in each building, Residence Advisors (RAs) for each wing, and House Council (HC) members that live in each building. Residence Supervisors are full-time university staff in charge of fostering a positive living environment and promoting academic and personal development for you and your fellow residents.

## ROOM CHANGES

Room changes are not made during the **first two weeks** of each semester. After this period, room changes may be requested. For additional instructions please refer to the **Residence Guide**.

## WELCOME WEEK 2024

Welcome Week planning is currently underway, and there will be lots of games, and activities. The Welcome Week Coordinator and Welcome Week Chair are planning events to welcome students. Keep checking your STU email for additional information on Welcome Week as we get closer.

## YOUR UCARD: WHAT IS IT?

Your UCard is more than just your STUDent ID!

Your UCard gives you access to your meal plan, student health services, library services, secure areas, gym facilities, printing, entrance to events, discounts and more! Please check your email often for important updates.

Please upload your photo as soon as possible by visiting the Ucard website **HERE** so that we have it ready for you once you arrive! This will save you time during your check-in. With your UCard you are eligible for local business discounts. Sobeys and Victory Meat Mart (Grocery Stores) etc., provide discounts with student ID.





## DINING SERVICES & YOUR MEAL PLAN

- Freedom plan: value and maximum flexibility, offering unlimited trips to the dining hall, and includes \*\$100 Flex Dollars.

If you have special dietary requirements or restrictions, please contact Food Services directly:

### Food Services Director

Kim Wall

Wall-Kim@aramark.ca

506-460-0326

### Executive Chef

Michael Greer

greer-michael@aramark.ca

## HOTSPOT BUS SERVICE

All STU students are able to use the **HotSpot** app to claim their virtual Transit Pass usable for all Fredericton Transit Services. This service is provided in partnership with STUSU and Fredericton Transit on behalf of St. Thomas University.

## DO I NEED A PARKING PASS? YES!

If you live in Harrington Hall, Holy Cross House, Vanier Hall, or Windsor Street residences and have a car, you will need to purchase a **parking pass** starting no later than September 13th, 2024. Please fill out your vehicle information in the residence profile section of the eRezLife portal.

Permits are required to park your vehicle on STU campus from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday. Please visit the Campus Security Office in person (767 Kings College Road) to purchase your parking pass. September to April student parking pass is \$142.00. Passholders will be notified by email throughout the year of parking lot closures and requests to move vehicles due to inclement weather conditions/required snow plowing.



# FOR SUPPORTERS



## What we can do:

- Provide general information regarding campus services and resources.
- Contact and support a student if there is concern about their wellness or safety.
- Contact the provided emergency contact if an emergency occurs.

## What we CANNOT do:

- Release personal information of a student (room number, residence building, contact information)
- Release roommate information.
- Respond to inquiries regarding location/activities of a student

We understand that support circles look different for everyone- whether you are a parent, guardian, sibling, friend, or loved one of a student entering the St. Thomas University Residence community, know that you still play an important part in their education and growth! To learn more about the services your St. Thomas University student will be able to access, please visit: [www.stu.ca/students](http://www.stu.ca/students)

## INQUIRIES AND CONFIDENTIALITY

We encourage you to discuss any questions or concerns you have regarding your student with them first. The Residence Life Office is bound by the Right to Information and Protection of Privacy Act (RTIPPA) and cannot release any information or discuss a student with a parent and/or guardian without the written permission of the student. The Residence Life Office will not contact or discuss with a parent/guardian a student's conduct status, lifestyle choices and/or roommate situation. All communication from our office will be directly with students and important updates will be sent to their STU email address.

## WANT TO SEND YOUR STUDENT MAIL?

If you want to send your student a card, handwritten letter, or care package, please use this address:

Student's Full name  
Name of Residence Building and Room Number  
St. Thomas University  
51 Dineen Dr.  
Fredericton, New Brunswick E3B 5G3



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