

August 10, 2023

Welcome to Week 3 of Move-in emails!

If you missed the previous emails, you can find them on our <u>Move-in Page!</u> Here are four things you need to know about move-in week:

1. Your Packing Checklist

Wondering what to pack and what to leave at home? Check out our checklist here. Some highlights:

Not provided by Student Housing (please bring or purchase upon arrival):

- Bed linens, pillows, towels
- Clothes hangers and laundry hamper
- Dishes and cutlery
- Pots, pans, cooking supplies

Supplied by Student Housing:

- Bed, desk, chair, dresser
- Bus pass (it's your student ID!)
- Oven, stove, fridge, microwave (in suite-style residences, and on every floor lounge)

For optional items (like mini fridges), prohibited items (like hot plates), and our full packing checklist, <u>visit this page</u>.

2. Apply for Parking (if you need it)

Did you know that 85% of students in residence don't bring a car with them? Learn more about why you don't need a vehicle to get around.

If you need to park a vehicle on campus during the academic year, you'll have to apply for a parking permit. Spaces are very limited, and permits are awarded based on a waitlist system. **Mark your calendars:** Resident Student Permit waitlists open **August 15, 2023 at 9 am PST.**

3. Order your Beddings and Linens

Student Housing does not provide bedding or bath linens. You can bring your own from home, or buy linens. The UBCO Bookstore sells bedding (and other dorm room must-haves)! Order online to have your bedding ready for pick-up at the Bookstore on move-in day. Or visit Campus Linens of Canada, which can deliver to residence before you arrive in September. For more information, including what size of bedding to order, head here.

4. Can I ship packages to myself before move-in?

The Student Housing Desk is not able to accept packages and deliveries prior to your move-in day (except orders placed through Campus Linens Canada). If you are having anything shipped to your residence, please make sure it arrives after your move-in day.

Don't forget to apply for your UBCcard

Did you submit your photo for your student ID? No? click <u>here</u> for all the details from last week's email!

Room Assignments

Your room assignment will be available in two weeks. In the meantime, you can find information about buildings and room types <u>here.</u>

What time should I expect to move in?

For those moving on Sept. 3, next week's email will include a link inviting you to sign up for a move-in time slot, plus more details about what you can expect on your move-in day — including where to go, parking, unloading, and more.

What if I'm going to be arriving later than my move-in date?

No problem! When you arrive, please visit the <u>Student Housing Main Office</u> in Nechako Residence and we'll be happy to help. Our front desk is open 24 hours a day so someone will be here to set you up with your room key(s) regardless of the time you arrive.

What if I no longer plan to live in residence?

If you no longer plan to live in residence at UBC Okanagan, please <u>cancel your</u> <u>housing offer</u> immediately, so we can offer the unit to another student who may need housing.

What's coming next...

Check your inbox again next week, when we'll email you more info about:

- Room assignments
- Move-in timeslots
- What move-in day will look like

Say connected

Follow us on <u>Instagram</u> to keep on top of housing activities and deadlines! And don't hesitate to <u>reach out to us</u> if you have any more questions.

See you soon!