### Residence Hall Essentials Checklist

**Bare Necessities**
- Alarm Clock
- Toiletries, hair dryer
- Bedding Stuff for a Twin bed
- Mattress pad
- Hangers
- Towels
- Shower Caddy
- Medicine
- Message Board
- Laundry Bag/Basket
- Laundry Detergent
- Dryer Sheets
- School Supplies
- Phone and answering machine
- Toilet paper (Hillside and Greg Butler residents)
- Picture album of friends & family
- Other:

**Other items**
- Address Book
- Camera
- Computer and Printer
- Room Decorations & Posters
- Hanging Stuff - no tacks
- Cleaning Supplies
- Dictionary
- Rugs
- Backpack
- Calculator
- Fan
- Power Strip
- Other:

**Maybe Stuff**
- TV/VCR/
  - DVD/Videogames
- CD Player/MP3 player
- Small Dorm size Fridge (not larger than 6.0 cubic feet)
- Bike-can’t be stored in residence halls
- Roller Blades
- Stackable Crates
- Needle/Thread
- Paper/Stamps/Envelope
- Other:

**Car**
- Jumper Cables
- Ice Scraper
- Winter Survival Kit
- Oil
- Extension Cord
- Air pressure gage
- Shovel
- Extra car door key
- Other:

### Helpful Hints
- The University supplies a twin size bed frame, mattress, desk, dresser, and chair.
- You really don’t need EVERYTHING you own! Don’t over-pack, parents can always ship “care packages” to you!
- Consult with your roomies ahead of time so that you don’t bring the same stuff to share. (for example: TV, refrigerator, microwave, etc.) You can buy things in Bismarck - IF YOU NEED THEM.
- Make sure to write down the serial numbers of any electronic devices you may bring. (TV, Laptop, iPod, etc.)
- Emergency Text Message System Text: UMBM to 25827

_Call Student Development at 701-355-8265 or 1-800-408-6279 with questions or concerns!_

See other side of this page for student’s “unofficial survival kit.
# Unofficial Survival Kit

## Clothing
- Boots
- Gloves
- Jackets
- Winter hat
- Winter coat
- Slippers
- Robe
- Bathing suits
- Sunglasses

## School Supplies
- Assignment notebook
- Notebooks
- Folders
- Highlighters
- Liquid paper
- Pens/pencils
- Pencil sharpener
- Ruler
- Scotch tape
- Stapler/staples
- Paper clips
- Desktop organizer
- Weekly planner
  (will be available for purchase when you arrive on campus in the fall)

## Kitchen Items
- Baggies
- Aluminum foil
- Plastic wrap
- Paper towels
- Dishes/bowls
- Plates/cooking pots/pans
- Silverware
- Measuring cups
- Mugs
- Plastic containers
- Butter
- Pepper/salt shaker
- Crackers
- Granola bars
- Hot chocolate
- Tea bags
- Peanut Butter/Jelly
- Soup/Ramen noodles
- Microwave popcorn
- Dishwashing liquid
- Dish towels/rags

## Toiletries
- Body lotion
- Chapstick
- Contact solution
- Cotton balls
- Q-Tips
- Tissues
- Washcloths
- Tweezers
- Razor
- Shaving cream
- Nail clipper
- Nail polish remover
- Dental floss
- Toothbrush/paste
- Mouthwash
- Hair dryer
- Hair spray
- Shampoo/Cond.
- Soap/dish
- Shower shoes
- Perfume/Cologne

## Life's Necessities
- Basketball
- Baseball/Softball
- Glove/Bat
- Football
- Frisbees
- Games/Puzzles
- Playing cards
- Tennis racquet/balls
- Movies
- Camera
- Photo Album
- Medicine

## Please Do Not Bring These Items:
- Cooking appliances that utilize open flame or coil heaters, such as toasters, hot plates, electric skillets, George Foreman grills, etc
- Space heaters and air conditioning units
- Halogen lamps
- Candles (wick or no wick) and candle warmers
- Firearms, including but not limited to BB guns, paint guns, pellet guns, air soft guns, explosives, fireworks, dangerous chemicals, or other dangerous weapons such as knives or swords
- Pets, except for fish in a small aquarium
- Refrigerators larger than 6.0 cubic feet or freezer
- Purchased or home-built lofts.

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