

New Student RECOMMENDED PACKING LIST

WHAT YOU SHOULD BRING

Under this category, you will find a list of bare essentials that we recommend bringing to make your first few weeks at Florida Tech go smoothly. This is a suggested list of items to consider. If there is anything you want to bring that you are unsure about, please contact Housing or Residence Life.

BED

- 2 sets of twin XL or full XL sheets (*full XL is for Mary Star of the Sea residents ONLY*)
- Blankets
- Comforter
- Pillow/pillowcase

BATH

- Bath towels
- Shower shoes
- Shampoo/body wash
- Toothbrush and case

AROUND THE ROOM

- Alarm clock
- Photos of family/friends
- Posters/decorations

LAUNDRY/CLOTHING

- Business casual clothes
- Clothes basket/bag for dirty clothes
- Detergent
- Fabric softener
- Quarters (*for laundry machines*)

KITCHEN

- Cups/mugs
- Plastic food containers
- Plastic plates/bowls
- Plastic ware
- Trash bags

CLEANING

- Dish soap
- Dish towel
- Disinfecting wipes
- Sponges

PAPERWORK

- Immunizations
- Important documents
- Medical insurance cards
- Passport/identification
- Test scores
- Transcripts

MISCELLANEOUS

- Backpack
- Bathing suit
- Batteries
- Beach towels
- Flash drive
- Flashlight
- Flip-flops
- First aid kit
- Headphones
- Movies/entertainment
- Reusable water bottle
- Sewing kit
- Small toolkit
- Sunglasses
- Surge protector/power strip
- Umbrella



OPTIONAL

This category includes things that are helpful in your first few weeks but aren't essential and may not be easily shipped. Most of these items can be bought locally, once on campus.

BED

- Pillow top/egg crate
- Under-the-bed storage containers

BATH

- Shower caddy

AROUND THE ROOM

- Area rug
- Command™ strips for hanging posters and decorations
- Ethernet & TV cable
- Lamp
- Lockbox
- TV & DVD player
- Whiteboard

LAUNDRY/CLOTHING

- Coat hangers
- Drying rack
- Iron
- Stain remover

KITCHEN

- Can opener
- Coffee maker
- Water filter

FOOD

- Cereal
- Microwavable food
- Popcorn

CLEANING

- Air freshener
- Paper towels
- Portable vacuum
- Surface cleaner

MISCELLANEOUS

- Bicycle
- Board games/cards
- Fan
- Rain boots
- Sports equipment
- U-lock for bicycle