applying to residence
where campus comes to life

Choose from 20 different unique communities on campus

Congratulations! You’ve made a big decision. We believe that living on campus is an essential part of the Guelph experience.

Now, let us help you navigate your residence choices.

We have 20 different unique communities to meet your personal and academic needs.

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Which residence is best?

Just like you, each of our residences is unique. The best residence for you will be based on who you are and what you want to get out of your residence experience.

The first step in selecting your residence preferences is to ask yourself a few important questions.

Do I want to live with other students in the same academic program?

Am I looking for leadership opportunities?

Do I want a full meal plan or a full kitchen with an optional meal plan?

Do I study better in a quiet living environment?

Am I motivated by having lots of activity around me?

Do I want to live in a single gender or co-ed community?

Do I want to live with suitemates who care about the environment, speak French or who celebrate diversity?

Would I prefer independent living in a townhouse?

Do I have a preferred roommate(s)?
South Residence Community

South Residence is our largest community, housing approximately 1,800 students in three buildings: Mountain, Prairie and Maritime Halls.

Designed by world renowned Modern architect John Andrews, residents enjoy an inter-connected complex with two dining halls, TV lounges, kitchenettes, and academic drop in centres.

This is a SOUTH SINGLE. More than 1,000 single rooms are available for first year students.
South Residence offers the following room types:

- South Single
- South Double
- South Triple
- South Quad
- South 3-bedroom apartment

Features:

- 24 hour service desk in Prairie Hall
- Fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, and bulletin board
- Two on-site dining locations in Prairie and Mountain Hall
- On-site laundry facilities
- Large TV lounges
- Group study space

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A **South Tower Double** room features a wall that divides the room for privacy and large storage closets.

This is a **SOUTH DOUBLE**. Featuring all brand new furniture in 2015.
South Residence Community

South Residence is a network of communities.

- Mountain Hall
  - Woodlands
  - Glacier
  - Foothills
  - Valley

- Prairie Hall
  - Homestead
  - Tundra
  - Grasslands
  - Horizon

- Maritime Hall
  - Harbour
  - Schooner
  - Seaway
  - Cove

A South Tower Single room offers privacy and loads of storage space.

This is a SOUTH TOWER LOUNGE.
Bring popcorn and watch your favourite shows.
North Residences

Lennox & Addington Hall
Lambton Hall
Johnston Hall
Mills Hall
Watson Hall

Features:

- 24 hour service desk located in Lennox & Addington Halls
- Fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, mirror and bulletin board
- Onsite dining hall
- Group study space
- Lennox-C is home to Study-Intensive community

This is **ADDINGTON**. Ten stories tall, it is connected to Lennox Hall to form one cohesive community.

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Lennox & Addington Halls

Lennox & Addington offer the following room types:

North Single
North Double
North 3-bedroom apartment
Lambton Hall offers the following room types:

North Single
North Double
North Double Suite

This is a LAMBTON DOUBLE SUITE. Two single rooms with a shared ensuite and kitchenette.

Features:

- 24 hour service desk located in Lennox & Addington Halls
- Fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, mirror and bulletin board
- Close to dining hall “LA Cafe” featuring a new Starbucks location
- Large group study space and common rooms
- Lennox-C Study-Intensive area Themed Learning Community

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Lambton Double

Lambton Hall

Lambton Traditional Doubles feature brand new furniture in 2014 and renovated washrooms.
 Watson Hall

Watson Double Rooms feature large windows and closets.

This is a WATSON DOUBLE. An all-female community where life-long friendships begin.
Watson Hall offers the following room types:

North Double

**Features:**

- 24 hour service desk located in Lennox & Addington Halls
- fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, mirror and bulletin board
- nestled on edge of naturalized greenspace
- Kitchen and common lounge

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Mills Hall offers the following room types: North Single, North Double, North Triple, North Quad.

Mills Quad Rooms feature lofted furnishings and large bright windows.

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Mills Hall

Features:

• fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, mirror and bulletin board
• large main floor common space and smaller floor lounges
• centrally located across from Creelman Dining Hall
• triple and quad rooms feature moveable lofted furniture and large bright windows
This is a JOHNSTON DOUBLE. Johnston’s stone architecture stands out on campus.

Johnston Hall offers the following room types:
- Johnston Single
- Johnston Double
- Johnston Triple

Johnston Hall

Features:
- fully-furnished rooms with twin bed, dresser/wardrobe, desk, chair, lamp, mirror and bulletin board
- centrally located on main campus
- close to dining halls
- common lounges on each floor
A **Johnston Double** room has large closets and moveable furnishings.

A **Johnston Single** room has loads of storage space and natural light. All furnishings are moveable.

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Glengarry Hall
Lanark Hall
Dundas Hall

Three linked buildings, each hall is made up of apartment suites. Each suite consists of single and double rooms, with a shared kitchen and living room. Two washrooms (toilet and sink) and two shower rooms are found in a typical 9-bedroom or 12-bedroom suite.

East Residences offer the following room types:

East Double
East Single

Features
• full kitchens with stove, fridge, sink and dining area
• living room with couches and coffee table
• close proximity to Athletic Centre and University of Guelph Arboretum
This is **LANARK HALL**, as seen from the top floor of **GLENGARRY HALL**, the tallest building on campus.

**East Single Room**

**East Double Room**

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East Village Townhouses

East Village First Floor

East Village Second and Third Floors feature two private bedrooms with a shared washroom.
East Village Townhouses offer the following rooms types:

Village Single

Features

- full kitchens with stove, fridge, sink and dining area with table and chairs
- living room with couch and coffee table
- close proximity to Athletic Centre and University of Guelph Arboretum

East Village Townhouse living offers independence, but access to all the same services and supports of traditional residence.

We have 2, 4, 5 and 6-bedroom townhouse units. Choose your suitemates or let us match you.

East Village is open to both first-year and upper-year students.
# RESIDENCE LEARNING COMMUNITIES

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Room Types: 1 = single  2 = double  3 = triple

Notes: ¹ A traditional residence consists of a student room, with shared community washroom, kitchenette and common space.  
² An apartment in East Residence offers shared bathroom and full kitchen with stove and fridge. Meal plan is optional.  
³ Single gender and co-ed areas can be assigned within a residence community. Specify your preference on your application.  
4 Location of Learning Communities and Academic Clusters are subject to change based on demand and occupancy needs.
Enhance your living experience!

At Guelph, we strive to enhance every student residence experience by offering you opportunities to make your residence environment more than just a place to live.

Residence Learning Communities

bring together groups of 15 to 50 students with common social and academic interests. You may choose to apply to several Residence Learning Communities, including, Living Learning Centres (LLC), Themed Learning Communities (TLC) and Academic Learning Clusters (ALC).

Students from all degree programs are welcome to apply to our Residence Learning Communities. To apply, please select LLC, TLC or ALC on your residence application. Students who apply to an ALC will be assigned together in Academic Clusters with other students in the same program.
academic clusters

Looking for an academically **enriched** residence experience? Want to live, learn and play with others in your program? Interested in **guidance** from an upper year student who has previously been in your position?

**Benefits of living in an Academic Cluster:**
- Cluster leaders provide support and advice
- Go to class, study and socialize with your neighbours
- Participate in organized academic and social events

**CLUSTER PROGRAMS**

- Agriculture
- Applied Science
- Arts
- Arts and Sciences
- Biological Sciences
- Commerce
- Computing
- Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Physical Sciences
- Social Sciences
Living in an LLC is an exciting way to connect with a tight-knit group of like-minded individuals. If being part of a small group with a big sense of community interests you, our Living Learning Centres are for you! All of our LLCs are located in East Residence, with the exception of Arts House, which is located in Maids Hall.

**Arts House**
Expand your creative interests and talents.

**Design House**
Explore the common creative threads of Engineering, Landscape Architecture and Studio Art. Open to anyone interested in design concepts.

**International House**
Live with Canadian and International students, sharing global cultures, languages, politics and much more.

**Eco House**
Engage in a lifestyle dedicated to a healthy and sustainable environment.

**Innovation House**
Develop your management and entrepreneurial

**La Maison Française**
Immerse yourself in French language and culture.

**Leadership House**
Engage in volunteer and leadership opportunities.

LLCs are open to students in any academic program.
Study-Intensive Area
Located in our North and East Village communities, Study-Intensive Areas offer extended quiet hours and a study-focused environment.

Alcohol-Free Area
Located in East Residence, students who prefer an alcohol-free living environment will be assigned with like-minded suitemates.

TLCs
offer single rooms and a study-focused community.
unique circumstances

Do you have a unique circumstance that necessitates special accommodation?

Mobility limitations  
Life-threatening allergy  
Learning disability  
Mental health  
Visual or hearing impairment

If you need special consideration when we assign your room, please tell us in advance by filling out a Special Consideration Form. housing.uoguelph.ca/SC

U of G supports a diverse and inclusive living environment.
apply online

congratulations!
thanks for taking a look at our residence communities
now let’s get started!

Step 1
Go to housing.uoguelph.ca/applyonline

Step 2
Follow the online instructions:
please read the Residence Contract prior to filling out your application

Step 3
Submit your application.

Step 4
Remit your $500 residence deposit
helpful hints

Residence Preferences
Before you start your application form, get to know your residence options ahead of time. You will be asked to rank your top four (4) preferences during the application process.

Potential Roommate(s)
Tell us about yourself on the Personal Profile section of the application. Be honest. We use this information to help us match you with a compatible roommate.

Preferred Roommate(s)
If you know a friend(s) that you would like to room with, you will be able to add this person to your application after the June 1 deadline. But it is a good idea to talk to this person ahead of time and make sure your building and room preferences match.

Paying Your Deposit
The most convenient way to pay your $500 residence deposit is through online banking. First you will need to set up the University of Guelph Residence Deposit as a payee at your bank. Step by step instructions can be found at housing.uoguelph.ca/deposit
Alumni Stadium
Gryphon Arena
Macdonald Hall and Macdonald Stewart Hall
East Village Townhouses
Rozanski Hall Classrooms
Lennox & Addington
Lambton Hall
Watson Hall
East Residences
Johnston Hall
Macdonald Hall and Macdonald Stewart Hall
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what’s next?

mid-July  room assignments released *
late-July  we will send you a move-in information package *
august  pack and get ready for your new life as a Gryphon!
sept 5  MOVE-IN DAY

* all official communication from Student Housing Services will be sent to your GryphMail (@mail.uoguelph.ca) email account.
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