What to Bring to Hilbert and What to Leave at Home

The Hilbert residences are your home away from home. Moving in is a lot like getting a place of your own. To help you get started planning your move, here is a list of things to bring.

**Personal Items**
- Toiletries
- Pain and cold medicine
- Shower bucket
- Plastic shower shoes
- Bathrobe
- Tissues
- First-aid kit and band-aids
- Safety pins
- Hair dryer
- Prescription medications
- Soap
- Toothbrush/toothpaste

**Important Documents**
- Checkbook
- ATM/Debit card
- Health Insurance card
- Prescriptions
- Driver’s license

**Linen Needs**
- Blankets, sheets, and comforter or bedspread (standard twin size)
- Pillows and pillowcases
- Towels and washcloths

**Doing the Laundry**
- Laundry soap and stain remover
- Laundry basket or bag
- Hangers
- Iron
- Clothes drying rack
- Sewing kit

**Snack Time and Kitchen**
- Dishwashing liquid and sponge or dish cloth
- Dish towels
- Glasses, dishes and silverware
- Can opener
- Resealable plastic bags

**Things for Your Room**
- Alarm clock
- Power strip
- Poster putty for hanging decorations
- Write on/wipe off message board for your door
- Small fan
- Desk lamp
- Calendar
- Small refrigerator
- Crates or stacking containers
- Stereo, headphones (so your music doesn’t disturb other residents) and CDs
- Posters and photos
- Plants
- Computer and printer
- Television and VCR/DVD
- Cables for TV and Internet
- Lap desk and/or bed rest

**School Supplies**
- Notebooks
- Folders
- Reference books (thesaurus, dictionary)
- Back pack/book bag
- Pencils/pens/highlighters
- Stapler/staples
- Paper clips
- 3-hole punch
- Sticky notes
- Tape
- Scissors

**Cleaning Up**
- Paper towels
- Glass cleaner and furniture polish
- Bathroom cleaners
- Toilet brush
- Sponges and cleaning cloths
- Trash can
- Garbage bags
- Dustbuster

**Always Good to Have On Hand**
- Cell phone/phone/answering machine
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Key ring
- Sports equipment
- Snacks
- Umbrella
- Inexpensive camera and film
- Bike and lock
- Envelopes
- Stationary
- Stamps
- Computer disks or USB drives
- Screwdriver
- Seasonal clothing
- Locking trunk or storage boxes
- Books

**What to Leave at Home**
- Candles and incense
- Halogen and lava lamps
- Toaster ovens, microwave ovens and grills
- Weapons
- Electric heaters
- Pets, except small fish
- Fish tanks over 10 gallons
- Air conditioners
- Water beds
- Electrical decorations (Christmas, Halloween, etc.)
- Liquor bottles (full or empty)
- Sunlamps
- Fireworks/firecrackers
- Refrigerators over 3 cubic feet
- Blacklights/strobe lights

**Apartment Residents**

**What to Bring**
Your apartment is equipped with basic kitchen appliances, including a microwave oven. You and your apartment mates must bring dishes, silverware, pots and pans, and cooking utensils. Living room and bedroom furniture is provided.

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Please check all items for cleanliness before bringing to campus. Dirty items from home can cause insect infestations.