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The On-campus Living Experience

Primary focus of on-campus residency during the first year of enrollment

- **Educational Development**
  Educational development is being able to learn, that is, to be in the process of learning throughout life

- **Social Development**
  Social Development means intentionally building and maintaining good relationships with others

- **Diversity Awareness**
  Diversity awareness seeks opportunities to understand and appreciate human differences and similarities

- **Service Initiatives**
  Service projects allow residents to share and examine personal beliefs and values with the intent of growing in their understanding of themselves and others
Freshmen On Campus Residency Requirement

All First Time In College (FTIC) students shall reside in a university owned or leased housing facility, based on space availability, for the first academic year of enrollment unless approved for an exception.
A FTIC student is defined as:

- A student under the age of 21 prior to the first day of classes
- Has fewer than 30 semester hours recognized by Florida A&M University
- Has resided in University on-campus housing for less than two semesters
Freshmen On Campus Residency Requirement – Continued

The following students shall reside in on-campus housing facilities during their first two years of enrollment.

- All student athletes
- All full University scholarship recipients that receive:
  - Continuing Presidential Special Full
  - Continuing Life Get Better Scholarship
  - Continuing Adopted High School Scholarship
  - Continuing Distinguished Scholars Award Full
  - New Adopted High School Award
  - New Distinguished Scholars Full
  - New Life Gets Better Scholars
  - New Presidential Special Full
Freshmen On Campus Residency Requirement – Continued

- Access Summer Bridge Program and CeDAR ART Program participants shall live in on-campus housing for the first two (2) academic years of enrollment.
Exceptions from the On-campus Residency Requirement

An exemption from the On-Campus Residency Requirement may be granted for:

- Students graduated from a high school within thirty-five (35) miles of the University’s Tallahassee campus
- Married students
- Students with a dependent child or children
- Students 21 years of age or older prior to the first day of classes
Exceptions from the On-campus Residency Requirement - Continued

- Students who are military veterans that served on active duty for at least 12 months or students currently serving on active military duty

- Students on a case-by-case basis by the President or President’s designee provided there is good cause shown by the student
Applications and advance payment should be submitted electronically.

Go to the FAMU website:
- Click on Housing or type [http://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?housing](http://www.famu.edu/index.cfm?housing)
- Click on Housing Online Application Process
- Complete and submit agreement and advance payment

All full scholarship recipients should have the proper code that waives the advance payment.
Benefits of Living on Campus

• Live close
• Live with friends
• Live safe
• Student Programs
• Higher GPAs
All Facilities’ Amenities

• All – Wireless Internet & Cable Television

• Apartments
  o Central Air and Heat
  o Full Kitchen & Dinning Room
  o Computer Labs
  o Exterior Surveillance Systems

• Traditional Halls
  o Chill Water and Steam
  o Exterior and Interior (Common Areas) Surveillance Systems
  o Electronic Card Access
  o Computer Labs
The communities consist of:

- Allied Health Sciences
- Business and Industry
- Honors (Requires minimum 3.5 GPA)
- Journalism and Graphic Communication
- Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math (STEM)
Cable Television Service

- Florida A&M University Housing offers High Definition (HD) "expanded basic" cable television

- Residents will need a television with a tuner clear QAM (Quadrature Amplitude Modulation) to receive the high definition service in the residence halls.

- Please note most televisions purchased since 2007 will have a clear QAM tuner.

- Most brand name televisions brought after 2007 should work. (LG, Samsung, Sharp, & Vizio, etc.)

- Televisions that may not work properly, such as, tube TVs, some Element, some Emerson, and some Westinghouse brands.
Conclusion!