Now that you have decided to attend Gustavus Adolphus College, you may want to start planning what to bring with you in the fall. Below is a list of items that we suggest you bring to campus.

- Bed linens *(most mattresses are twin extra long, 36”x 76-80”)*
- Pillow
- Blankets/Bedspread/Comforter
- “Shower Caddy” *(something to transport things to and from the bathroom)*
- Shower shoes/flip-flops
- Towels
- Bathrobe
- Lanyard
- Backpack
- Clothing (appropriate for St. Peter weather!)
- Plate, bowl, cup, silverware, etc. *(for preparing snacks in your dorm)*
- Desk or room lamp *(no halogen lamps! Only incandescent or fluorescent lamps are permitted)*
- Power strip *(preferably one with surge protection)*
- Alarm clock
- Laundry bag/basket, detergent, etc.
- Containers for In-room storage
- Refrigerator *(no bigger than 6.0 cu. ft.)*
- Microwave
- Laptop
- School supplies *(folders, highlighters, etc)*

You may rent or bring your own small refrigerator. Maximum size allowed is 6.0 cubic feet. Stand-alone freezers are not permitted. Homemade lofts are not permitted, but lofts may be rented. Information about refrigerator rental will be mailed to you in the summer or visit Bedloft.com

Remember that Gustavus Adolphus College policy **prohibits** the following items in residence hall rooms… so DO NOT BRING:

- Homemade bed lofts.
- Candles, incense, or any other open flame
- Flammable cleaning fluids or combustible liquids like gasoline
- Hot plates or other cooking appliances with an open coil *(Coffeepots with automatic shut-off and popcorn poppers are permitted)*
- Alcohol if under 21 years old.
- All illicit drugs
- Firearms or explosives
- Knives, swords, bows and arrows, or other weapons *(Decorative and antique weapons are also prohibited)*
- Any pet other than fish *(20 total gallon tank size maximum per room)*
- External satellite dishes or TV antennas
- Large wall coverings or draperies on room walls or ceilings
- Permanent hooks, nails, screws, duct tape or double-sided tape that could damage walls, paint and furnishings

Residence hall rooms are equipped with twin beds, mattresses, dressers, study desks and chairs, one telephone, and neutral-colored draperies. If you are considering bringing personal furniture, please keep in mind that all College-owned furniture present in your room at check-in **must** remain in the room throughout the entire year.

Again, welcome to Gustavus! We’re looking forward to your arrival on campus! If you have questions about what to bring or have any other campus housing questions, please contact the Residence Life Office at 507-933-7529 or reslife@gustavus.edu.

Places to visit for helpful updates and information:
*Our website: [www.gustavus.edu/reslife](http://www.gustavus.edu/reslife)*
*Helpful hints and advice on our Facebook page: search “Gustavus Residential Life”*
*Lots of updates on Twitter: @Gustie_ResLife & #GACRL*