

Wayne State University

# HOME ON CAMPUS



FAMILY NEWS FOR STUDENTS WHO LIVE ON CAMPUS

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# Hello from Midtown Detroit!

The Housing and Residential Life team is excited to be a part your student's academic journey. Students have been busy this fall learning and creating meaningful connections that will last a lifetime. The fall semester has also been filled with cornhole battles, a night with Detroit Tigers, FYRE Foodie Fridays and so much more. We're excited to continue providing your student with a supportive home away from home in the semesters ahead.

We know that living on campus offers students access to libraries, faculty and staff dedicated to supporting their academic success. The convenience of on-campus living also allows your student to focus on their studies without the challenges of commuting, especially during winter weather.

As the semester comes to a close, I wanted to take an opportunity to provide information to help your student prepare for the winter break and share news about signing up for fall 2025 housing.

Please don't hesitate to call **(313) 577-2116** or email [housing@wayne.edu](mailto:housing@wayne.edu) if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Nikki Dunham  
Senior Director



## 2025-26 on-campus housing sign-up

Students can reserve their on-campus housing for the 2025-26 academic year starting **Tuesday, Jan. 14, 2025, at 10 a.m.** To secure a spot, students should log into their housing self-service portal, review and sign the Housing License Agreement (HLA), and submit the \$125 non-refundable processing fee.

### Benefits of signing up early

- **Residents get first dibs!** Students who sign up early have a better chance of securing their preferred room type or location.
- **Peace of mind:** Applying early ensures you have your housing arrangements finalized sooner, reducing stress as move-in approaches.
- **Community connection:** Students can also secure their spot in Living Learning Communities or other specialized programs that align with their interests.

Visit [housing.wayne.edu/signup](https://housing.wayne.edu/signup) to learn more about the signup process and to complete a HLA.

## The Resident Advisor application is open!

Students wishing to apply and be considered for an interview should visit [go.wayne.edu/ra-select](https://go.wayne.edu/ra-select). The application deadline and final information session are on Monday, Jan. 6, at 8 p.m. via Zoom.

SCAN TO APPLY



## Preparing for winter break

Final exams are slowly approaching, and your student may feel little overwhelmed toward the end of the semester. To help students prepare for finals, each building has instituted 24-hour Quiet Hours during the final exam period. This is a great time to send them an encouraging message or text. If your student is returning home for the winter break, expect them to catch up with family, see friends, sleep and request their favorite meals.

### Tips for leaving campus

- Close curtains and blinds and lock windows and doors before leaving.
- Unplug all electronics.
- Turn thermostats to "On" and to 65 degrees before leaving for break.
- Students with bikes on campus should secure their bike properly over the extended break.
- Rooms should be thoroughly cleaned and trash emptied before leaving for break.
- Students should secure their valuables and take their OneCard and key with them for easy access when they return.

While housing remains open during winter break, some campus services may be limited or offline. The Towers Café dining hall will close after dinner on Tuesday, Dec. 17 and will reopen for breakfast on Monday, Jan. 6, 2025.

## Sending packages to students

Packages, mail and deliveries are received at the buildings daily. Students will receive an email notification when a package arrives. For larger packages that don't fit in a mailbox, students can claim them at their building's front desk. To ensure your student receives their mail or packages without delays, please address items correctly as shown in the example below.

Student's Name  
Chatsworth Suites, Suite #  
630 Williams Mall  
Detroit, MI 48202

### Building addresses:

**Anthony Wayne Drive Apartments**  
5235 Anthony Wayne Drive, Apt. #  
Detroit, MI 48202

**Chatsworth Suites**  
630 Williams Mall, Suite #  
Detroit, MI 48202

**Yousif B. Ghafari Hall**  
695 Williams Mall, Room #  
Detroit, MI 48202

**The Thompson**  
4756 Cass Avenue, Room #  
Detroit, MI 48201

**Towers Residential Suites**  
655 W. Kirby, Room #  
Detroit, MI 48202

**University Tower Apartments**  
4500 Cass Avenue, Apt. #  
Detroit, MI 48201



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WINTER SEMESTER!**

**Student Desk  
Assistants**

**\$13/hour**

- Students can work in their building
- Flexible hours
- Meet new people



**Scan today  
to apply!**

[housing.wayne.edu/residents/da-application](https://housing.wayne.edu/residents/da-application)

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