UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH ON-CAMPUS LIVING
The University of Pittsburgh offers some of the most affordable living options for our on-campus students. Our competitive rates stand out when compared to other Universities in the state of Pennsylvania.

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<th>University</th>
<th>Standard Double Room - Cost/Year</th>
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## ON-CAMPUS VS. OFF-CAMPUS LIVING

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<td><strong>Rent</strong></td>
<td>$600-$1075 + $600-$1075 Security Deposit</td>
<td>$600-$1075/Month ($7,200-$12,900/year)</td>
<td>$325</td>
<td>$3600/semester ($7,200/year)</td>
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*Average estimated individual costs for one person living in a two bedroom apartment with a roommate.*

*Off-Campus rates are based off of a twelve month agreement.*

*On-Campus rates are based off of an eight month agreement.*
Off-Campus Housing

- Often are far away from campus
- Frequently dirty and unmaintained. Students can incur out of pocket costs for upkeep
  - Can be fined by landlord for pest control, lawn care, garbage removal, etc.
- Locked into rent agreement and all utility expenses, for 12 months (~$9,000-$15,000/year)
- Multi-family communities in Oakland that aren’t student focused
- Higher rates per month for parking. Some properties charge $200/month
- Stricter guidelines regarding occupancy standards that limit the number of unrelated students who can live together in the same apartment
ON-CAMPUS VS. OFF-CAMPUS LIVING

- On-Campus Housing
  - The closest and most convenient housing option to campus and classes
  - Clean; consistently renovated and upgraded
  - Moderate rate increases, if any
  - Variety of housing options to choose from, including apartments with up to 4 bedrooms
  - 8 month contract to accommodate student schedules with the option of staying up to 12 months
  - FAFSA Benefits – financial aid distribution tends to be higher to assist students living in an on-campus community
  - Convenience of being charged per term rather than keeping up with monthly rent payments
  - Campus security provides students with additional comfort and peace of mind in their home and community
The University provides a variety of room styles to accommodate all living preferences:

- Residence halls comprised of singles, doubles, and suites
- Apartment-style accommodations

Students are guaranteed On-Campus Housing through their junior year, provided all deadlines are met.

“Something for everyone to make their own”
# ON-CAMPUS HOUSING FEATURES

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1. Primary class(es) living in hall:
   - Upper = Upperclass Students
   - First = First-year Students
2. RD = Resident Director
   - RA = Resident Assistant
   - PC = Program Coordinator
   - HM = Housemaster
3. Laundry facilities located on select floors, all floors, or in lobby
4. Amos, Bruce, McCormick and Holland
   - Located in Breckenridge Hall
   - Bouquet Gardens
   - Located in Bouquet Gardens Building J
   - Tower B and C
   - Located in Litchfield Tower A

Interested in taking a virtual tour through some of our residence halls, apartments and on-campus dining locations? Visit [http://youvis.it/1ZGpAE](http://youvis.it/1ZGpAE) and begin the Pitt virtual experience!
Upperclassmen can choose from a wide variety of residence halls to accommodate all preferences and needs while not straying too far from campus:

- Like to enjoy meals at home? Some suites have new or updated kitchenettes.
- Enjoy private or semi-private bathrooms in most upperclassmen suites.
- Students can relax with friends in spacious, fully furnished living spaces.
RESIDENCE HALLS

- Lounges available for studying and socializing
- Access to Student Resident Assistants for quick problem solving
  - Full time Resident Directors assigned to all residence halls
- Communal restrooms are cleaned Monday-Friday on weekdays and by request over weekend
  - Bathrooms are stocked with toilet paper and serviced regularly for trash removal
APARTMENT-STYLE LIVING

- Enjoy a more independent style of living while retaining the safety net of campus life
- Variety of sizes ranging from studio to four person apartments
- All apartments have full service kitchens and private bathrooms
- All common areas are fully furnished reducing the cost and hassle of buying and assembling furniture
- Enjoy one fixed cost (including utilities, cable, heat) from semester to semester – no unexpected expenses between winter and summer months
GENERAL AMENITIES

FULLY FURNISHED ROOMS

- Extra-long, bunkable beds
- Set of deconstructable drawers
- Desk and a desk chair
- Vertical blinds
- Full length mirror
GENERAL AMENITIES

- Housing is exclusive to undergraduate students
- Cable and Internet are included in each room
- Each student receives an individualized mailbox with campus address
- Ceiling fans or Central AC available across campus
- Student involvement is encouraged
- Community feel in every residential building
- Academic focus
- Safe storage for all delivered packages
GENERAL AMENITIES

- Students enjoy easy access to inexpensive laundry facilities which cost only $1/wash and $1/dry

- Working out is made easy with gym facilities close to all buildings, some are exclusive to building residents

- Surrounded by various food service locations
Repairs and Maintenance

- **24/7 Housekeepers, Engineers and Mechanics available**
  - Emergency requests (water leaking, etc.) serviced immediately
  - Other repairs (burnt out light bulbs, etc.) serviced within 24-48 hours
  - Fast, friendly service 24 hours per day, 7 days per week

- **Housekeeping**
  - Maintain communal lounges, hallways, restrooms Mon-Fri
    - Stock restrooms with basic toiletries
    - Offer trash removal during weekdays
  - Available as needed, 24 hours over the weekends
Winter Weather

- University staff are committed to providing safe travel to and from classes

- Walkways and sidewalks are routinely salted and de-iced during inclement weather
Whether you have a question about a housing contract, you need to find a bus home, or you are locked out of your room at 3 a.m., Panther Central can help.

As the University’s Concierge, Panther Central is available for students 24 hours per day, 7 days per week.

Conveniently located at the heart of campus in Litchfield Towers Lobby.

We’re at your service!
SAFETY

University of Pittsburgh Police Department

- Available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year
- Third largest police force in Allegheny County
- All officers exceed state law training
- Special officers trained as Special Emergency Response Team (SERT)
SAFETY

Emergency Phones
- Over 500 emergency phones located on campus
- Located in essential positions outside; noticeable with distinct blue light

Mini Stations
- Several auxiliary stations available around campus to ensure quick response
U.S. Security Guards

- Provide peace of mind to students, parents and guests

Card Swipe Access

- All residents and guests identified before entering building by a U.S. Security Guard, also known as a Welcome Attendant

- Guests signed into buildings with photo ID – record maintained of guests within buildings
Fire Safety
- All rooms contain sprinklers and smoke detectors
- Routine drills are conducted each semester

Environmental Health and Safety
- Yearly monitoring and evaluation of all buildings are conducted by the EH&S department
- Upgrades are made as necessary to all buildings
Access to the best available technology

Support available
  - In-person, email or phone troubleshooting, assistance and help available 24/7
  - Resident Consultants (TechCons) offer in-hall support within Residence Halls

Self Service Printing
  - Residence Hall Network has speeds of 100 Mbps with firewalls and antivirus protections (Verizon speeds are around 75 Mbps)
Campus Shuttles

- Eleven different routes connect students to different areas on and around campus

- Standard shuttle hours of operation:
  - M-F, 6am-3:30am; Weekends, 10am-4am
  - The 10A(Campus), the most frequented bus, operates until 3:30am every night
  - The 20A(North Oakland) operates until 3am every night

- Downloadable app and mobile tracking GPS allow easy tracking of real time bus locations
Saferider

- Offers non-emergency transportation seven days of the week to students with valid Pitt ID cards
- Provides point to point transport to students off of campus bus routes
- Students can bring two non-university guests, with valid photo ID, per Saferider ride
- Can be used up to 25 times a semester
City Buses

- Fare-free access with valid Pitt ID card to routes all over Pittsburgh city and suburbs within Allegheny County
- Endless opportunities to explore Pittsburgh’s various neighborhoods and culture
MEAL PLANS

- Variety of dining locations and options available on campus to satisfy all needs and cravings

- Gluten, peanut and other allergies accommodated by first class chefs

- Meal plans to accommodate every budget
WHY YOU WANT TO LIVE ON CAMPUS

- Friends literally at your door step
- Minutes away from your 8 a.m. class
- 24 hour maintenance conveniently available
- Panther Central, your 24 hour concierge
- Cooking optional, but not required