

WHAT SHOULD I BRING TO HCHC?

NECESSITIES

Clothing and campus gear: Be prepared! Boston has four extremely diverse seasons. The winters are very cold and snowy. We recommend a warm winter coat, boots, gloves, hat, and sweaters. Summers can be very hot and humid. Raincoat and umbrella, bike/bike lock, walking shoes, water bottle, travel mug, sunscreen.

Bedding: Extra long (XL) twin sheets, pillow, blanket(s), comforter, and mattress cover.

Bath and toiletries: Each floor has a shared bathroom. We recommend a basket to transport toiletries. Toothbrush, toothpaste, dental floss, razors, shaving cream, cotton balls, Q-Tips, skin care products, deodorant, contact lenses, hair dryer, bath and hand towels, bathrobe, and shower shoes.

Room: Don't forget the alarm clock for those early morning chapel services! You may also want a small bookshelf or filing cabinet to store your books and papers.

Tech and entertainment: Cell phone charger, extension cords, coaxial cable, cable organizer, MP3 player, speakers or docking station, headphones/earbuds.

Academic basics: Desk supplies (index cards, highlighters, sticky notes, pens/pencils, paper clips, rubber bands, scissors), notebooks, book bag, laptop/desktop computer, flash drives, printer (with paper and extra ink), bulletin board, dry-erase board with markers, book light.

Important documents: List of emergency contacts, health insurance card, driver's license/ID, Social Security card

RECOMMENDED

Fan
Desk lamp
Small refrigerator
Laundry basket/detergent
Small vacuum cleaner
Power strip/surge protector
Hangers

NOT ALLOWED

Halogen lamps
Microwave ovens
Hot plates
Electric heaters
Candles/incense
Pets
Nails (use Command strips or sticky tape)

NOTE: Students accepted into the seminarian program are **REQUIRED** to bring:

- Black cassock (anteri) – contact the OSL if you need information about how to obtain one
- Dark suit and tie
- Dark slacks and socks
- Black dress shoes
- White collared shirts

FOR YOUR INFORMATION:

- The rooms in Polemanakos are 8' x 13'.
- The rooms are furnished with a two-drawer dresser, a desk and chair, three wall-mounted bookshelves above the desk, and a small cabinet with two drawers attached.
- There will be an opportunity to go shopping during Orientation.

For more information, please contact the Office of Student Life at 617.850.1297 or nbelcher@hchc.edu.