

THE ULTIMATE STUDENT PACKING LIST

Moving out of home for university? It's hard to know what you need to pack, and what you should think about leaving at home.

To get you started, we've put together everything you will need to take with you.



BEDROOM

Your room will include the must-have basics, including a bed and mattress, a wardrobe, desk and chair. But you will need to pack the things that make it feel like home.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Duvet, duvet cover and bedsheets (take a few and check the size) | <input type="checkbox"/> Books (notebook, diary, course textbooks) | <input type="checkbox"/> Laptop and laptop bag |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mattress protector | <input type="checkbox"/> Bin (double-check, as this might be provided) | <input type="checkbox"/> Chargers and electricals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pillows and pillowcases | <input type="checkbox"/> Hairdryer and styling tools | <input type="checkbox"/> USB TV stick (Amazon Fire or Now TV) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Desk/Bedside table lamp | <input type="checkbox"/> Clothes | <input type="checkbox"/> Printer and ink (don't forget printer paper) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cushions | <input type="checkbox"/> Shoes | <input type="checkbox"/> Alarm clock |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decorations to make you feel more at home (photo frames, fairy lights, plants etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Bags | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Photos, posters (don't forget command strips) | <input type="checkbox"/> Hangers | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stationary (pens, pencils etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Laundry basket | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Plug adapters (if you're an international student) | |



BATHROOM

En-suite or shared? If you're sharing, you might want to think about splitting some costs with your flatmates. For now, think about packing the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Shampoo and conditioner | <input type="checkbox"/> Toilet cleaner, bleach and brush | <input type="checkbox"/> Bathrobe |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Body wash | <input type="checkbox"/> Towels and hand towels | <input type="checkbox"/> Slippers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush and toothpaste | <input type="checkbox"/> Toilet rolls | <input type="checkbox"/> Bath mat |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hand soap | <input type="checkbox"/> Wash bag | |





KITCHEN

Most accommodations provide the basics such as an oven and a fridge-freezer, but check what you get before you go.



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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cutlery (2x everything) | <input type="checkbox"/> Colander | <input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen cleaning essentials (kitchen cleaner, bin bags, scrubbing brush) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen knives | <input type="checkbox"/> Grater | <input type="checkbox"/> Washing up liquid and sponge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kitchen scissors | <input type="checkbox"/> Pizza cutter | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wooden spoons | <input type="checkbox"/> Potato peeler | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bowls and plates (2x everything) | <input type="checkbox"/> Baking tray | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mugs/Glasses | <input type="checkbox"/> Oven gloves | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chopping board | <input type="checkbox"/> Tea towels, kitchen towel | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tupperware containers | <input type="checkbox"/> Cling film and kitchen foil | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frying pan | <input type="checkbox"/> Weighing scales | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toaster | <input type="checkbox"/> Bottle opener, corkscrew | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kettle | <input type="checkbox"/> Can opener | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Saucepans | <input type="checkbox"/> Measuring jug | |



DOCUMENTS

You must make sure that you do not forget the all-important documents (especially if you are an international student). Remember to bring the following:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Passport | <input type="checkbox"/> University acceptance letter |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Passport photos | <input type="checkbox"/> NHS number (to register to a doctors) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ID, Driving licence | <input type="checkbox"/> National Insurance number (if you want to apply for part-time jobs) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student Finance documents | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student bank details | |

Note: Keep all these things either in your wallet (ID, bank card etc.) or in a safe place within your room.

