

questions?

Please don't hesitate to contact the Housing Office at 707.826.3451 or via e-mail at housing@humboldt.edu.

special living communities

For the 2011–2012 academic year, we will be offering the following special living communities (complete descriptions available online at humboldt.edu/housing/communities.html)

- **Academic Intensive Living**
Location: Cypress (4130, 4230, 4240 + 4250)
- **The Art Colony**
Location: The Hill (Sunset 2nd Floor East)
- **Eco Living**
Location: Cypress (4210 + 4220)
- **Gender Neutral**
Location: Cypress (4310, 4910 + 4920) Special Approval Needed
- **Health and Wellness**
Location: Canyon (Tan Oak)
- **Indoor Adventure**
Location: Canyon (Chinquapin)
- **International Living**
Location: Creekview (Laurel) Special Approval Needed
- **Native American Living**
Location: Cypress (4810 + 4820) Special Approval Needed
- **Natural Resources and Sciences Living**
Location: Canyon (Maple)
- **Outdoor Adventures and Community Service (OACS)**
Location: Canyon (Alder)
Not available for Returning Students
- **Women for Change**
Location: College Creek (Trinity 1st Floor East)
- **21 + Older**
Location: College Creek (Del Norte)

Note: If you are currently residing in one of these communities and do not want to participate or are not eligible to participate, you will need to select a different room.

Anyone interested in living in Gender Neutral or Native American Living suites or in International Living will need to come by the Housing Office on Friday, April 1 during your online room selection time to get approval to select a room in these areas. If approved, staff will make the room assignment.

cancellation and payment information

Remember to read your license carefully! The license includes information on cancellation dates, fees and penalties. There is a \$200 cancellation fee assessed to you for cancelling your contract after your application materials are submitted. If you are not offered a room through the lottery process and you would like to be removed from the wait list, your deposit will be returned to you without a cancellation fee as long as you send us your cancellation by May 14, 2011. After May 14, cancellations from the wait list will be charged the cancellation fee and any applicable penalties. The deadline for cancelling your contract with only a \$200 cancellation fee is July 16, 2011. After July 16, there are prorated penalty fees in addition to the \$200 cancellation fee. All cancellations must be handled online in your MyHousing account or sent to the Housing Office in writing or via email to housing@humboldt.edu.

Students selecting annual, semester or monthly payment plans will have an initial payment of \$400 due when submitting the application materials. Students selecting the financial aid payment plan will have an initial payment of \$100. Your current security deposit will carry over for the next academic year.

summer 2011 option

Anyone taking summer school classes or working at the university for the summer has the option of living in residence halls from May 14 – July 30. Estimated summer rates are \$1,166 for a double room, \$1,349 for a single room and \$1,490 for a super single room. Please stop by the Housing Office after March 10 to pick up a summer application packet.

looking for off-campus housing?

Our Housing + Dining website has an Off-Campus Housing section with helpful resources to start your search for off-campus housing. The site provides information for first time renters, including things to consider when renting, what to know before moving in, transportation options and other tips for living off-campus. You will find links to local online rental listings allowing you to search through a listings database using your personalized search criteria, including the style of housing, price range, number of bedrooms and other special requirements you may be looking for. Please visit the website at: humboldt.edu/housing/offcampus.

living here next year



planning ahead for Fall '11

Each spring, current residents have the opportunity to request rooms for the approaching academic year before any new students are assigned rooms. In order to be eligible to return to the residence halls, you must:

- Have your 2010-2011 residence hall room + board fees paid in full by March 10
- Be in good judicial standing
- Complete your online application and initial payment by March 21

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space in housing is limited!

online license available beginning March 3rd at myhousing.humboldt.edu

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500 spaces are allocated for returning residents. You must complete the online application and make an initial payment (either \$100 or \$400) by Monday, March 21, 2011. We will then randomly assign lottery numbers to each person that qualifies and will allow the first 500 to select a room for the next academic year during the online room selection process. Residents who return their applications after March 21 or receive lottery numbers greater than 500 will be placed on a wait list to be assigned rooms in August, if space is available. If we have a wait list, priority will be given to new students before we begin to place returning students on the wait list into rooms.

Returners participating in the lottery have the first choice of all available rooms, including single rooms. Special approval will be needed to return to Gender Neutral, Native American or International Living. OACS is not available to returning residents.

important dates

March 3 – March 21 - Complete the online application: Beginning March 3 at 9am PST, go to myhousing.humboldt.edu and log in using your HSU username and password. You will then be able to complete an application and make an initial payment for the 2011–2012 academic year. All qualified students completing the online application by March 21 will be included in the lottery process.

March 10 - Last day to pay: Make sure your current room and board fees are paid in full!

March 28 - Lottery number or wait list number notification: We will post your lottery room selection time in your MyHousing account and you will log back in during or after your assigned lottery time to select a room. If you have been added to a wait list, we will send you a notification to your HSU email account.

April 1 - Online room selection: Online room selection lottery times for returning residents will be scheduled from 9am – 5pm on Friday, April 1. You can change your room selection online until 5pm on Friday, April 8. We will have staff available on April 1 in the Klamath River Room to answer your questions and help you through the process.

May 14 - Last day to cancel from wait list without any penalty: If you are on the wait list and cancel by May 14, prior to being offered a room, your initial payment will be refunded in full. If you choose to remain on the wait list after May 14, the standard cancellation policy applies.

lottery number + wait list notification

If you submitted your application materials and initial payment by March 21 and are in good standing both financially and judicially, you are eligible to participate in the lottery process. Lottery numbers will be assigned randomly and numbers 1-500 will be guaranteed a space in the residence halls.

If you were not one of the first 500 in the lottery, you will be on a wait list. Students on the wait list are not guaranteed a space in the residence halls until a guarantee of assignment or a room assignment email is received.

On March 28, you will be notified via email of your lottery number or wait list status. If you have a lottery number, you will be able to see your room selection time in your MyHousing account. Please log in, select the Academic Year application you completed, and navigate to the “Room Select Time Slot” menu option.

online room selection

Online room selection lottery times will be on Friday, April 1, 2011 from 9am – 5pm. If you are one of the 500 selected, your MyHousing account will show your room selection lottery time. During your lottery time, you will have the opportunity to select your room for the next academic year from any of our available residence hall rooms. If you are unavailable during your lottery time, you can select a room after your assigned time anytime until 5pm on Friday, April 8, 2011 when the online room selection closes. After April 8, you will need to add yourself to a wish list to move to another area if you no longer want the room you selected. If you don't go online to select a room and have a lottery number, the Housing Office will assign you to a room on Monday, April 11, 2011.

We will have staff available in the Housing Office and in the Klamath River Room on April 1 to answer any questions, review requests to live in Gender Neutral, Native American or International Living, and assist you during the online room selection process.

select your roommate or fill a suite or apartment with your friends

Returning residents can make a roommate group of up to 10 members to fill a room, suite or apartment. Groups can be coed

and must be made up of all returning residents. Have a friend that's coming to HSU and want them to be in your group? Come by the Housing Office, after you get your lottery confirmation, and we'll work with you to make this happen.

How does this work? First, have a group leader create a group. Pick your leader wisely! Your leader is the only one that can assign you to rooms as a group. They will be responsible for the assignments during the lottery room selection time. The group leader will create a group, name it, and give it a password. The leader can add people to the group using members' HSU ID numbers, or individuals can add themselves and friends to the group through their individual application process by using the group name and password. **You can have anywhere from two to ten people total in a roommate group. All members will need to have first completed their application before they can join a group.**

Please note: Roommate groups do not get preferred times to select rooms. We randomly assign everyone a lottery time and the group leader gets the best time assigned to any one person in their group.

A group leader can assign you to a room, but only you can cancel or change your room reservation once they have assigned you. If you change your mind, you will need to log into your account to cancel reservation and select a different room online up until 5pm April 8, 2011.

same room request

If you wish to return to your same room next year, you may request to do so providing you do not currently live in a special living community that requires special approval to return. You will be able to request to return to your same room in your MyHousing account after you complete your online application in the Renew Current Assignment menu option. If you are not included in the 500 participating in the lottery, your same room reservation will be cancelled and you will be assigned to the wait list.

All areas are not automatically open to reassignment. Be sure to carefully read the special living community section on the back of this brochure. Returners are not eligible to return to OACS and special approval is needed to participate in Native American, Gender Neutral and International Living Areas.

If you requested your same room and we confirm you have been assigned to it for next year, you are done with the process. You

can see your room assignment in your application on the License Status page. We will email you a room assignment letter and payment plan for the next year in late May. If you request to return to your same room and later change your mind, you can cancel your same room reservation and choose another room during your room selection lottery time. Once you cancel your same room reservation, your old room is relinquished and open to others to select it as their new room.

If you have a preferred roommate and are requesting to return to your same room, you will need to email us your request to bring your requested roommate into the same room. Please send your request to housing@humboldt.edu. We will notify you before April 1 if we are able to assign your requested roommate.

coed options

Coed apartments are available in Creekview, College Creek and the Campus Apartments. Coed apartments (not bedrooms except for in Gender Neutral and some rooms in Campus Apartments) can be comprised of both male and female residents. Gender is not a consideration for placement in Gender Neutral Living.

We are offering a limited number of coed bedrooms in the Campus Apartments. Both occupants of a coed bedroom must have a lottery number and request each other as roommates. If one resident should cancel, a person of the same gender as the remaining resident will be assigned. Please stop by the Housing Office during your assigned lottery time to select a room together as this cannot be done online.



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