



Frequently Asked Questions – Summer Housing

Room Assignments & Roommates

When will I get my room assignment?

- Sent 1-2 weeks before the transition date
- Check your Benedictine email

Can I request roommates?

Yes! Submit requests at least 3 weeks before the contract start date for best results.

Course Changes & Cancellations

What if my summer course is cancelled?

- Contact Residence Life immediately: housing@ben.edu
- You must be enrolled in at least one course to keep housing
- Refunds depend on timing

Can I cancel my housing application?

Yes. Contact housing@ben.edu right away to discuss fees and refund options.

Transition Dates

Why do fall residents and non-fall residents have different dates?

- Fall residents: Move to permanent housing on
- Non-fall residents: Move out entirely
- This gives us time to prepare Founders Woods for new students

What does the asterisk (*) after "the Housing Dates" mean?

Your exact end date depends on whether you're returning for fall. Confirm with Residence Life.

Mid-August Move-Out

When do non-fall residents move out?

You must vacate your summer assignment entirely and complete all checkout procedures on the designated move-out date. (See Key Dates above for the specific date.)

What if my classes continue past the term end modification date?

- You must arrange your own off-campus housing
- Start searching by late July
- No temporary on-campus housing available after the move-out date

How much notice will I get?

You'll receive move-out instructions one week before the move-out date.

Will I get help moving?

- Residence Life doesn't provide moving assistance
- Students often help each other
- Connect with neighbors to coordinate support

Off-Campus Housing Support

How do I find off-campus housing?

- Start searching by late July
- Check local rental sites and social media groups
- Contact housing@ben.edu for local resources and recommendations

What if I can't find housing by my contract end date?

- Contact Residence Life immediately: housing@ben.edu
- Don't wait until the last minute
- We may connect you with emergency resources

What are the checkout procedures?

- You'll get a detailed checklist one week before the move-out date
- Includes: times, key return, room condition, inspections
- Follow carefully to avoid charges

Can I store belongings on campus?

- Storage is extremely limited and not guaranteed
- Use local storage facilities or friends/family
- Contact housing@ben.edu if you need help finding alternatives

Still Have Questions?

Contact Residence Life at housing@ben.edu. We're here to help.