The first step in choosing a roommate is to sign the Roommate Bill of Rights. This lays out basic rights that each residential student has on campus. Acknowledgment and agreement to these rights is required for students wanting to live on campus.



## **Roommate Bill of Rights**

The following Roommate Bill of Rights pertains to Lindenwood University and is a reminder to each resident that the enjoyment of life in a residence hall or house will depend, to a large extent, on the thoughtful consideration demonstrated by yourself and your roommates.

**Remember**: To be a mature adult is to accept responsibility for the welfare of oneself and others. It is incumbent upon all students to be familiar with the policies and regulations of Lindenwood University and their impact within the residence halls or houses. Ignoring or not knowing University and residence hall policies cannot be accepted as an excuse. Students are expected to read and understand the information in the Student Handbook. If questions arise about these policies, please contact a residence hall staff member. Students may be held accountable for actions that are either intentional or negligent. In order to be a responsible community member, students must understand the impact of their actions and not just the intent.

Basic rights of a roommate include:

- The right to read and study free from undue interference in one's room. Unreasonable noise and other distractions inhibit the exercise of this right.
- 2. The right to sleep without undue disturbance from noise, guests of roommate(s), etc.
- 3. The right to expect that a roommate will respect one's personal belongings.
- 4. The right to a clean environment.
- 5. The right to free access to one's room and facilities without pressure from the roommate.
- 6. The right to privacy, including the right to exclude non-residents from the room.
- 7. The right to address grievances.
- 8. The right to be free from fear of intimidation and physical or emotional harm.
- 9. The right to expect reasonable cooperation and the use of "room shared" appliances (refrigerator, fan, etc.).
- 10. The right to seek help with the roommate relationship from Office of Residential Life staff.

Signature (Type Your Name):

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You will prove that you have read and understand these rights by typing your signature. When this is done, select "Continue".

## The next page is where you can search for roommates by details or profiles and look at suggested roommates. You will also be able to see if you are already in a roommate group.



If you already know who you would like to room with, use the "Search by details" option to search for them using their screen name. Once you click search, their name will pop up and you will be able to add to group. This page also gives you the option to search for roommates based on age and gender.

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To search for roommates based off of the profile questions you answered earlier in the application, us the "Search for roommates by profile questions" option.

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Suggested Roommates will show you potential roommates based off of the profile questions. StarRez will automatically calculate your percent match with other students.

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If you choose to message a potential roommate(s), click "Send Message" by their profile information. This option will send the student a message to their portal as well as their student email.

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## Once you have found a roommate, add them to your group by searching their web details.



Once you have requested a roommate, they will show up under the "Roommate Groups" page. There will be one person is who the GROUP LEADER and is the only one that can assign the rooms. To make someone else the group leader, the group leader will look on the "Roommate Groups" page and click "Make a Leader" to confirm.



Now that you have everyone in your group, please click "Verify Group" to confirm. You can save and continue and Residential Life will add this as a room roommate preference during the allocation process!