



2-STEP APPLICATION PROCESS FOR RESIDENCE ACCOMMODATION AT THE NWU

University residences are more than just accommodation, they are vibrant student communities where you can learn and grow as a young individual.

Applying for a place in an NWU residence is a two-step process. Here's a simple guide to get you started:

- Prospective first-year students must apply for university residence accommodation at the same time as they apply to study at NWU.
- You do not need to submit a separate application for residence accommodation.

1. Indicate if you are interested residence accommodation

- During the application process, on the “Additional Information” screen, you’ll be asked: “Interested in NWU residence placement?”
- Simply select “Yes” or “No” from the drop-down menu to indicate your interest.
- Don’t worry, once you have received your conditional offer you will have the opportunity to select your residence of choice.

2. Select your residence options

- After your application has been submitted and considered by the NWU, you will receive a conditional offer to study at the NWU in 2025.
- Make sure you explore all the residence options for the campus you applied to before completing the above step by visiting: <https://studies.nwu.ac.za/studies/residences>.
- If you do not receive a conditional offer, you will not be able to complete your residence accommodation application.

Helpful tips:

- Residence accommodation applications close on **31 August**. However, applying as early as possible increases your chances of being accepted to your preferred option.
- Take your time to explore all [available residences on your chosen campus](#) before making your selection.
- Ensure your chosen residences are located on or near the campus where you received your offer.
- If you're applying for NSFAS, you don't need to worry about the residence confirmation deposit!

Important Notes:

- All residence accommodation applications are subject to a process of evaluation. Therefore, your application will be reviewed and approved if you qualify.
- To secure your spot, you'll need to pay a R4,000 residence confirmation deposit (NSFAS funded applicants are exempt).
- For more details on fees, visit the [NWU Payable Fees Booklet](#).

Find your home away from home!

For more information on university residence accommodation, as well as the day houses (accommodation not included), visit:

<https://studies.nwu.ac.za/studies/residences#accredited-accommodation>