

ESSENTIALS CHECKLIST FOR FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS



Sleeping and rest

- Pillows
- Sheets
- Duvets
- Blankets

**Confirm with your accommodation facility what furniture is provided and allowed.



Meals and refreshments

- Crockery: plates, bowls, mugs, etc.
- Cutlery: knives, forks, spoons, etc.
- Cooking utensils and appliances
- Food and ingredients/groceries

**Cafeterias, kiosks, and dining facilities are available on campuses. Retail stores and shopping centers are located near campus. Confirm with your accommodation facility what appliances are provided and allowed.





Personal hygiene and care

- Toiletries: soaps, shampoos, toothbrushes, etc.
- Towels
- Self-care medication and supplies
- Chronic medication (if relevant)



Study materials

- Backpack
- Notepads
- Writing materials
- Laptop / desktop / tablet
- · Chargers for devices
- Headphones or earphones



Clothing and attire

Comfortable clothes and shoes for both hot and cold weather.



Personal documentation

- Identification document (ID) or Passport
- Copy of your matric results
- Registration documentation
- Medical information such as medical aid information, medical referral letters, medication scripts, etc. (if relevant)

Please note:

This is only a guideline for you to determine more or less what you will need as a First-year student. If there is something else you wish to bring with you, you may do so at your own discretion. **University residences are self-catering facilities.** Should you reside in **private accredited or non-accredited accommodation**, enquire as to the self-catering status of the facility with the owner or service provider.