

2023-2024 Academic Year Housing Contract Guide

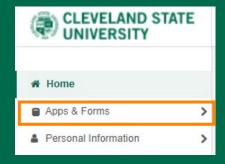
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Housing Contract

Completing the Housing Contract is the next phase of the Housing Selection Process which is needed gain access to all the other phases.

- 1.) Go to <u>Housing Self-Service</u>
- 2.) You will need to use your CSU ID login (ex: 1234567@vikes.csuohio.edu) and password. If you need help with your password, call the Information Services & Technology (IS&T) Help Desk at 216.687.5050 during normal business hours.
- 3.) Select "Apps & Forms" from the left menu and then select "2023-2024 Returning Student Housing Contract"
- 4.) Be sure to complete the supplemental questions on pages 2 and 3, after electronically signing contract.





Required Housing Deposit

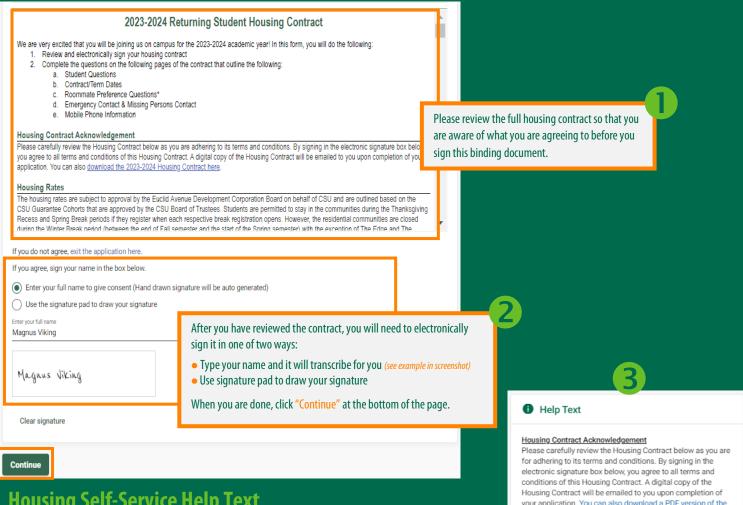
On January 20, 2023, the housing deposit for Fall 2023 will be opened for students to submit their payment. Students who are current residents of Euclid Commons or Fenn Tower who have already paid their deposit will not have to pay their deposit again. Residents of The Langston and The Edge will need to pay their deposit for their housing contract to be considered complete. Instructions regarding paying the housing deposit will be provided by the day the housing deposit payment gateway opens.

Office of Disability Services (ODS) Approved Accommodations

Accommodation requests must be submitted to Office of Disability Services (ODS) for review and for approval through their office. Once approved, ODS will notify the Department of Residence Life and Housing and will proceed from there. For students to receive accommodations, ODS needs them to submit the online application, submit documentation of their disability, and come in for their intake appointment. Students are not registered with Disability Services until all these steps are complete. Visit https://www.csuohio.edu/disability/register to start the process.

Page 1: Housing Contract Acknowledgement

Please carefully review the Housing Contract below as you are adhering to its terms and conditions. By signing in the electronic signature box below, you agree to all terms and conditions of this Housing Contract. A digital copy of the Housing Contract will be emailed to you upon completion of your application. The Housing Contract can be downloaded here.



Housing Self-Service Help Text

Once you are in the Housing Application & Contract, the Help Text will be a resource for you, providing you with reminders and information that you can access while completing the Application & Contract. We have provided a screenshot here (image #3) as an example. \rightarrow

Housing Rates & Meal Plans

Housing Rates: The housing rates are subject to approval by the CSU Board of Trustees and are outlined based on the CSU Guarantee Cohorts. Gain a better understanding of the different rates for each contract term (winter break housing vs. no winter break housing) and <u>view Housing Rates Here</u>.

Meal Plans: All residents living in university housing are required to select one of the residential meal plans for the entire academic year. Students residing in The Edge and The Langston will be eligible for a condensed meal plan at a lower rate to reflect the independent living environment while ensuring students have access to sustenance throughout the year while dining locations and restaurants are open. Meal plans and rates for 2023-2024 can be viewed here.

your application. You can also download a PDF version of the Housing Contract here.

Housing Rates & Floor Plans

The housing rates are subject to approval by the CSU Board of Trustees and are outlined based on the CSU Guarantee Cohorts. All residential communities close during break periods. Students are permitted to stay in the communities during the Thanksgiving Recess and Spring Break periods as long as they register when each respective break registration opens. However, the residential communities are closed during the Winter Break period (between the end of Fall semester and the start of the Spring semester). Students who wish to stay during Winter Break will pay an additional charge to reflect the Winter Break period.

- View Housing Rates Here
- Fenn Tower Floor Plans
- **Euclid Commons Floor Plans**

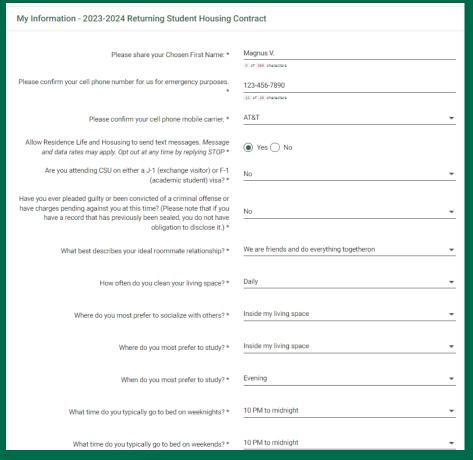
Application Questions & Questionnaire Instructions

Don't forget to complete the Application Questions after you review and sign the contract/agreement on the first page. For the Housing Application, the questionnaire information will be used to help assist the housing team in determining a "good fit" for your future roommates. Please complete these questions yourself and answer truthfully so that we may find the best placement that meets your personality/profile.

If you have any questions about the Housing Application & Housing Contract, please contact the Department of Residence Life and Housing at (216) 687-5196 or e-mail us at reslife@csuohio.edu during normal business hours.

Page 2: Application Questions & Roommate Questionnaire

After you review the contract and provide your electronic signature (on Page 1), you will be asked to complete application questions and a questionnaire about yourself. The questionnaire information will be used to help assist the housing team in determining a "good fit" for your future roommates. *Please complete this yourself and be sure to answer truthfully so we may find the best placement that meets your personality/profile*.



Page 3: Emergency Contact & Missing Persons Contact

Required	Completed	Туре	Name	Relationshi p	Email	Mobile	Home	Work
~	~	Emergency Contact (this CAN be the same as Missing Persons Contact)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
~	~	Missing Persons (this CAN be the same as Emergency Contact)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
×	×	Parent/Guardian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Click on the circled "pencil icon" as shown in the above image to enter a contact's information. Please enter as much <u>accurate</u> information as you can. This will be vital in the event of an emergency, especially involving your health and well-being. If you have only one phone number for a contact, simply enter that same number in the other "phone" fields.

Helpful Tips for Completing Questionnaire

Complete this yourself: Do not have a family member log in and complete it. Only you truly know yourself.

Reflect on each question: Although your first instinct is probably the right answer, take time to think about each question and the long-term effects of each one.

Be honest: You will likely be happier if your answers represent your preferences, not what you perceive your answers "should be." The only "right" answers are those that best reflect you and your needs.

Made a mistake? Don't worry! You'll be able to go back in and edit your responses until July 1.

Emergency Contact & Missing Persons Contact Information

Before you can submit your Housing Application & Contract, you will need to enter your Emergency Contact and Missing Persons Contact information. Both contacts <u>CAN</u> be the same individual, but you must enter their info in each contact type.

If you are under 18 years of age and not emancipated, your custodial parent or guardian will be notified in the case that you are missing. Custodial parent/guardian notification will occur in addition to notification of the Missing Person Contact, if the Missing Person Contact is someone other than a custodial parent/guardian.

Parent/Guardian Contact: Your parent/guardian information may also be entered from this screen, but it is not required unless you are under 18.

Once you are done entering both contact's information, click "Continue" to submit your Housing Application & Contract.