

King's Residence offers you:

- Guaranteed residence¹
- Furnished rooms
- Reznet
- Free Wi-Fi
- Housekeeping
- Laundry
- Kitchenettes
- Lounges
- Study rooms
- Parking²
- Sports pad for hockey and basketball
- Security access buildings
- Free shuttle bus to Western
- A close-knit community
- Close access to King's fitness and meditation rooms

Your room will have:

- Twin size bed and mattress³
- Mattress cover
- Dresser (or equivalent)
- Desk and chair
- Closet
- Mirror
- Bookshelves
- Study lamp
- Wastebasket and recycling bin
- Curtains
- Carpeting

¹ If all guaranteed conditions outlined in your letter are met.

² Parking space is limited. Parking permit cost is approximately \$800.

³ Epworth Place houses have double beds.

⁴ King's Commons has queen size beds.

Meal Plan Options

King's is pleased to offer declining balance meal plans at the King's food service locations, operated by Aramark.

Meal Plan #1	\$4,740 food credit* Designed to meet your basic meal requirements. Allows up to \$300 in purchases at our off-campus partners.
Meal Plan #2	\$4,940 food credit* Allows for occasional snacking between meals and purchases of \$500 at our off-campus partners.
Meal Plan #3	\$5,140 food credit* A meal plan designed for heartier appetites. Allows for up to \$700 in purchases at our off-campus partners.
*2022-2023 rates. Updated 2022-2023 fees to be posted on the website by January 1, 2022. Subject to Board approval.	



Plan Policies

- All students living in residence must have a meal plan.
- * Epworth Place Houses and King's Commons residents are exempt from meal plan. Optional meal plan is available.
- Meal plans are non-transferable.
- Refunds are subject to a \$25 processing fee.
- Students may request a refund of unused off-campus funds at year end (April 30).
- Changes to meal plan choice are permitted until September 30.
- 50% of the year-ending balance will be put on your meal card for the next academic year.



King's Food Options:

THE THAMES MARKET
WEMPLE BUILDING

- A wide range of options including Umami, Express to Go, Quick Stop Bakery, Grille Works, The Wedge, Italian Cucina, The Healthy Kitchen, Pizza Pizza, Ah-So Sushi, and much more.



CAFÉ '54
KING STUDENT LIFE CENTRE

- Fair Trade coffee and tea
- plenty of options for breakfast and lunch
- express cooler (salads, wraps, sandwiches)

SUBWAY

- All your favourites made your way.

USE YOUR KING'S MEAL PLAN AT KING'S
AND AT OUR OFF-CAMPUS PARTNERS:

- K Grill
- Barakat
- Pizza Pizza
- Swiss Chalet
- Mucho Burrito
- Massey's Fine Indian Food

* subject to change

Please contact Residence if you have special dietary needs.



Residence Fees

Alumni Court, Wemple, Townhouses and International House: \$12,643 (double room occupancy fee with meal plan 1)

Epworth Place Houses and King's Commons: \$9,103 (meal plan optional)

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Room Assignments

King's offers both single (limited number) and double rooms. Room assignments are based on the preferences and lifestyle information you provide on your residence application. You can request a specific roommate or housemate, too. We know the idea of living with a new roommate may make some students a little nervous. Residence staff are here to support you in that relationship. We facilitate a roommate agreement process shortly after move-in to help you and your roommate discuss some key aspects of shared living. While the majority of residents enjoy a good living arrangement with their roommates, sometimes problems arise. Residence staff are here to help.

Developing skills to live successfully with others is a good investment in your future. Living in a supportive residence environment with a roommate or housemate is a good way to build those skills.

King's residence offers comfortable, convenient residence options at unbeatable value.

King's Residence offers single gender and mixed gender buildings and units.

Academic Support

At King's, residence is about access to academic support and fostering academic success.

- Daily quiet hours ensure an environment conducive to studying and sleeping.
- The Residence Brain Bucks program rewards academic effort and achievement, with a little friendly competition and great prizes thrown in.
- Residence-based academic programming.



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- YouTube: kingsatuwo
- Instagram: kingsreslife
- TikTok: kingsatwestern

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Your home at KING'S

Residence is a great way to meet people and feel connected.

Residence is guaranteed to all applicants who submit a complete application and deposit by June 1, 2022. A parent or guardian is required to co-sign the Residence Agreement (contract) for applicants under 18 years of age.

Access to the online residence application system is included in your academic offer package.

King's residence is committed to the values of diversity, respect and academic achievement. Our goal is to create a safe, welcoming and accepting community where all persons, cultures and differences are acknowledged and valued.

Room Styles:



Residence Quick Facts:

- **470 residence spaces** in five building styles
- **45% of our residents are international**, coming from 30 different countries
- **70% of our residents** are first-year students
- Free shuttle service to other campuses at Western
- Guaranteed residence for first-year students (June 1)
- Transitional support offered
- Housekeeping staff clean shared areas daily and weekly room cleaning is available
- Furnished housing near campus for upper-year students
- **Average number of residents in each unit or floor:**
 - 23 students in Alumni Court
 - 32 students in Wemple Hall
 - 15 students in each Townhouse
 - 4-5 in houses and apartments

Residence density will be reviewed in consultation with public health throughout the pandemic.



Residence Life

A great way to begin your King's experience.

Research shows that living in residence has a positive influence on first-year students.

Each year, King's Residence get top marks from students in satisfaction surveys. Thanks, in part, to the dedication and enthusiasm of the King's residence staff. We strive to make your home away from home as enjoyable as possible.

Residence Assistants

The Residence Assistant (RA) in each residence unit is a vital resource in helping you make a successful transition to university life. RAs offer support and guidance, share information about campus resources, and monitor residence standards and guidelines.



Things to talk about before September

Preparing for residence life is important for students and their families. Consider the following as you work together to get ready for this life transition.

- What are your academic expectations? Are there learning skills areas that you may need to improve to be successful?
- Is there a need for life-skill development in some areas? (laundry, basic cooking, banking, time management, etc.)
- What transitional issues might you or family members face? How will those issues be resolved or supported?
- Is everyone clear about the financial aspects of this transition – anticipated costs, access to financial assistance programs (OSAP, bursaries, scholarships, work study programs), payment deadlines and payment plans, access to emergency funds, and credit history implications?
- Are the necessary home insurance and health coverage updates in place? Residents are advised to insure their personal property. King's does not provide this individual coverage.



Student Resources

King's offers a full range of services to address students' academic, personal and spiritual needs.

- Academic Counselling
- Accessibility Services
- Campus Ministry
- Career Counselling
- Exchange Program Opportunities
- ESL Support
- Faculty Clubs
- Financial Counselling
- First Generation and Indigenous Student Support
- International Student Services
- King's Academic Mentoring Program (KAMP)
- Learning Skills Instruction
- Library Instructional Sessions
- Online Learning Hub
- Personal Counselling
- Tutoring (business, economics, math)
- Writing Assistance
- STARS Learning Lab

The transition to university is an exciting time filled with new opportunities.

Sometimes challenges arise and students may need help meeting these challenges. Residence and Campus Life staff are the first people to see if a residence difficulty comes up. Seeking help promptly is the key to quick resolution!

For more information for parents, please go to: kings.uwo.ca/future-students/for-parents/

