

Housing and Residential Life

Campus residential life is an important part of the college experience. Students who live on campus are generally retained at higher levels, undergo greater personal growth and development, and are more engaged in extra-curricular activities than students who live off campus. Besides, living on campus is really convenient!

All first-year students are required to live on campus unless they qualify and apply for a waiver. However, ABAC offers state-of-the-art on-campus housing opportunities for students in all stages of their college career. For complete information on housing at ABAC, visit the web site at www.abac.edu/housing.

ABAC Place

ABAC Place has 835 beds in apartment-style units. The majority of the units are 4-bedroom, 2-bathroom, but a limited number of 3-bedroom, 2-bath, and 2-bedroom, 2-bath units are also available.

Each private bedroom is fully furnished with a double bed, chest of drawers, desk, and chair. The common living room is furnished with sofa, oversized chair, and tables. Kitchens are equipped with dishwashers, microwaves, garbage disposals, full-size ranges, and refrigerators. Cable television and high speed internet access are also available in each apartment unit. Laundry facilities and group study spaces are located on each floor of the apartment complex.

ABAC Place also includes the Town Hall. This facility contains administrative offices, recreational facilities, a fitness center, group meeting space, a computer lab, and a convenience store.

ABAC Lakeside

ABAC Lakeside provides housing for 489 freshmen in 2-person and 4-person suites. Rooms in each suite are fully furnished with extra-long twin size bed, chest of drawers, desk, and chair. Kitchenettes in each suite contain a full-size refrigerator, microwave, and sink. All utilities, including wireless connectivity and cable television, are provided.

Community spaces at Lakeside include two spacious lobbies, a multi-purpose meeting room, kitchen, game room and lounge. Study rooms are located on each floor. A convenience store, vending machines, and laundry facilities are located on the first floor.

Community Assistants

Leadership and employment opportunities are available to on-campus residents through the Community Assistant (CA) program. CAs receive free housing in either Lakeside or ABAC Place in exchange for assigned responsibilities as part of the Housing staff. Complete information on the CA program is available online at www.abac.edu/housing, or interested students can see the Assistant Director of Housing in Town Hall at ABAC Place.

Immunizations

State law requires that each student living in on-campus housing be vaccinated against meningitis or to document that he/she is aware of the vaccine but elects not to be vaccinated. The meningitis vaccine may be obtained from a student's local health department or physician or through the ABAC Health Center.