

A Place to *Call Home*

HOUSING AND DINING



UNIVERSITY OF
**NORTHERN
COLORADO**

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Find Your Community



17 residence halls and 1 apartment complex to choose from.

Welcome to the University of Northern Colorado! We're excited to have you on campus! Students who live on campus during their first year have a higher graduation rate and better academic performance than those who live off campus. Living on campus means you'll be integrated into the campus community and will be close to your classes and campus resources. First-year students* are required to live in UNC housing through the completion of the academic year to ensure strong academic performance and success.

*Applies to first-year students who are under 21 years of age, have not completed more than 20 college credit hours beyond high school graduation, and are not living in the local area with a legal guardian.

SETTLING INTO CAMPUS LIFE

Use the application checklist below to help guide you through the campus housing process.*

EXPLORE YOUR HOUSING OPTIONS

Check out UNC's housing options and determine the what would be the best fit for you. You might want to consider housing style, community and neighborhood. All rooms are furnished with twin beds**, desks, chairs, window coverings and clothing storage. The cost of your room also covers internet and laundry. Each residence hall requires card access for entry.

APPLY FOR HOUSING

To apply for on-campus housing, complete the contract starting in December at the Housing Portal at studenthousing.unco.edu and submit your \$100 housing deposit. (Fee postponement is available to those who qualify.)

REQUEST DISABILITY-RELATED ACCOMMODATIONS (AS NEEDED)

The priority deadline for disability housing accommodation requests is June 1 if you would

like your request evaluated and implemented by the time you arrive in the fall.

FIND YOUR OWN ROOM AND ROOMMATE

Once you've completed your housing contract, you will have access to the "Find a Room" link as early as March via the Housing Portal. You will be able to see where you have assigned yourself as well as who your roommates are as soon as you have selected a room. You'll also be provided with contact details so you can get in touch with your roommate via email or social media to get to know your roomie before you arrive.

CHOOSE A MEAL PLAN

UNC meal plans provide you with convenience and flexibility. Have a quick coffee, a snack between classes or a full meal. Meal plan options are available for all students to select starting in July. For first-year students living on campus, meal plans are required. Learn more at unco.edu/dining.

ON-CAMPUS HOUSING REQUIREMENT

All first-year students who are under the age of 21 are required to live on-campus for one year. Students who meet the living in the local area requirements*** have the option of requesting to live at home with their legal guardian.

*To apply for housing, select a meal plan, request disability accommodation or submit a "Living in the Local Area" form visit unco.edu/living-on-campus/housing.

**Beds at Arlington Park Apartments are full XLs.

***Local area is defined by school district and include: Ault Highland RE-9, Eaton RE-2, Greeley 6, Platte Valley RE-7, Poudre R-1, Thompson R-2J, Weld County RE-5J, Weld RE-1 and Windsor RE-4.

Top 10 Reasons to Live on Campus

Living on campus adds a whole **new dimension to your college experience**. You'll meet new people, make lifelong friends, develop interpersonal skills, be exposed to a wider range of ideas and cultures and develop a sense of community.

You will have many amenities — something other living options can't compete with. High-speed wireless internet, utilities and laundry.

Connect with more than **100+ student clubs and organizations**. Enjoy everything from music and politics to hobbies and sports. Make new friends among the diverse array of academic, cultural, religious, service, sports, professional and special-interest organizations.

We have a variety of residence halls, apartments and university-owned houses — **each with its own character, environment and personality**. By choosing to live in a residential learning community, you'll be surrounded by others with similar interests or academic aspirations.

You can rock out with **free concerts** and UNC's orchestral, operatic and theatrical performances.



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You will find healthy food choices and easy access to our fitness facility. Grab a bite to eat at one of the **multiple dining locations** on campus and develop healthy behaviors and improve personal wellbeing at the **Campus Recreation Center**.



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Living on campus is a great transition from "home" to the "real world." You'll learn **life strategies** and **gain independence** while having added conveniences that will make your transition as smooth as possible. We guarantee on-campus housing to all first-year students.



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All students receive a **free pass to home athletic events**, but when you live on campus, you can cheer the Bears on with a walk across campus instead of worrying about parking. You'll also be close to UNC's Outdoor Pursuits, where you can **borrow recreational gear** (like tents, bikes and skis) **free of charge**. You can attend workshops that perfect your s'mores-making skills or head out on weekend rafting trips.



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Get **easy access to campus events**, such as Taste of UNC, Bear Welcome, Homecoming, Family and Friends Weekend, Rec Fest and many more that offer you a chance to get social, sample great homemade food, play games and win prizes.



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Make it to class on-time, everytime. Student **participation counts** and living on-campus ensures you're **within walking distance** of the lecture hall.



A Beautiful Day in the Neighborhood

A sense of community makes life easier while pursuing your studies.

To provide our Bears with the support they need to succeed, we've developed **three residential neighborhoods**, comprised of **17 unique halls**, houses and apartments on campus. Each neighborhood features the following services to help students along the way:

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT CENTER

This is a community engagement space to congregate with friends, explore campus resources, engage in skill development and participate in events and activities hosted by the community.

NEIGHBORHOOD DESK OPERATIONS

Each neighborhood's front desk is typically open from 8 a.m. to 2 a.m., seven days a week. The neighborhood desk is the best place to get information about housing, campus and the Greeley community. Desk staff can assist with:

- Answering questions and assisting with lockouts
- Providing cleaning supplies
- Checking out other resources such as cooking supplies and gaming equipment
- Submitting room repair requests
- Connecting with a Housing and Residential Education staff member
- Scheduling appointments with the Neighborhood Coordinator or Community Director



STUDENT STAFF

Resident Assistants, Community Assistants, Assistant Neighborhood Coordinators, Residence Hall Association/National Residence Hall Honorary and Desk Assistants are student staff members whose primary role is to connect with residents, build community, aid your transition to UNC and be a resource to you throughout your on-campus living experience.

PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Each neighborhood has a Neighborhood Coordinator, Community Director, Faculty in Residence and Coaches in Residences who help with the day-to-day operations of your community. If they can't answer your questions, they always know who can!



HOUSING COMMUNITIES

Learn what makes our housing and dining options unique.

RESIDENTIAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES

Our Residential Learning Communities are an opportunity for incoming students to find community on a smaller scale within the larger university. Residential Learning Communities provide dedicated housing sectors for students with similar academic interests. Studies have shown that these learning communities ease the transition to college, improve academic success and enhance student sense of belonging. These students typically have a higher GPA and quickly progress toward degree completion.

RESIDENTIAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES:

- Biology
- Business
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Cumbres
- Education
- Honors Scholars Leaders
- Mindful Living
- Outdoor Pursuits
- Performing and Visual Arts
- Pet Friendly
- Nursing Exploring
- Queer Living
- Transfer
- Women's



More details



Places to Live and Learn

THE BASIN NEIGHBORHOOD

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Situated closest to UNC's athletic facilities, the Outdoor Pursuits hub and the Campus Recreation Center, the Basin Neighborhood is great for students who want to be close to the action. Within walking distance, students can also find spots to study, dine or socialize, such as the César Chávez Cultural Center, Michener Library and Holmes Dining Hall.

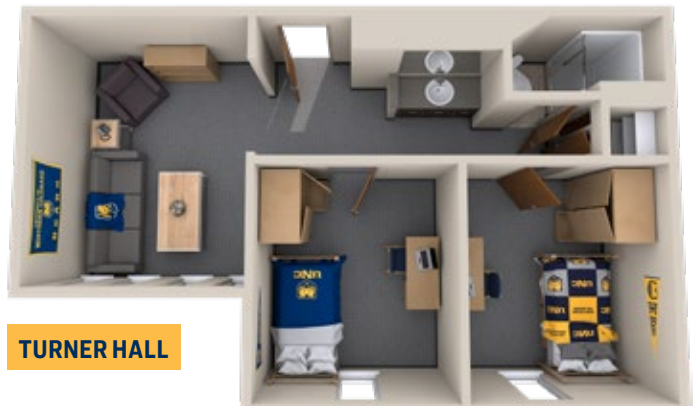
Sample rooms shown. Floor plans may vary by room type.

HARRISON HALL — Providing a home away from home to the majority of our first-year students, Harrison Hall is one of the largest UNC communities, with five floors and 540+ students. Bears can find community within the Outdoor Pursuits program. The suite-style floor plans and winter/spring break availability make Harrison Hall a ideal option.



HARRISON HALL

TURNER HALL — The second tallest building in Greeley at 13 stories. Turner Hall is home to more than 300 Bears who enjoy single bedrooms with shared living room and bathroom spaces. Between classes, Bears can take in scenic views from any of the 13 TV lounges or play games with friends in the game room.



TURNER HALL



THE BASIN NEIGHBORHOOD

THE RIDGE NEIGHBORHOOD

LAWRENSON HALL

NORTH HALL

TURNER HALL

HARRISON HALL

HOLMES DINING HALL

SOUTH HALL



THE RIDGE NEIGHBORHOOD

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The Ridge Neighborhood is buzzing with spots for students to study, play disc golf, eat, socialize and relax on the many open green spaces. Located on West Campus, the Ridge Neighborhood is within walking distance of Holmes Dining Hall, the Turner Green outdoor space and Campus Commons.

Sample rooms shown. Floor plans may vary by room type.

NORTH HALL

SOUTH HALL



NORTH HALL — With plenty of cozy nooks and social spaces, North Hall is home to about 370 Bears and offers endless opportunities to build lasting connections. North Hall is located across from Campus Commons and is only a short bike-ride or walk to West Campus.

SOUTH HALL — Spacious suites with unique social spaces are the draw for the 340+ Bears living in South Hall. Located near the Butler Hancock Athletic Center and Gear Shop, South Hall offers students convenient access to fitness equipment or supplies for their next Outdoor Pursuits adventure.

LAWRENSON HALL



LAWRENSON HALL — A relaxed community of 430+ Bears, suite-style rooms and winter/spring break availability make Lawrenson Hall a perfect option for international students and is home to a pet-friendly community. Many rooms include a private kitchen.

THE MESA NEIGHBORHOOD

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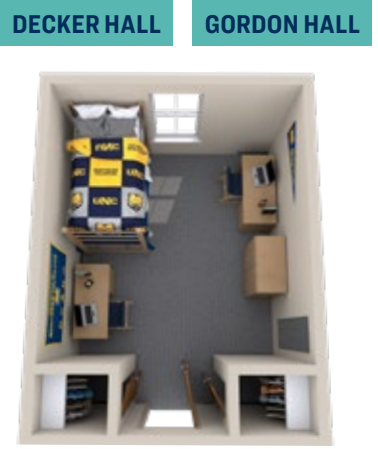
The Mesa Neighborhood is a vibrant area located within walking distance of the newly renovated Tobey-Kendel Dining Hall, the Student Health and Counseling Centers, Gunter Green Quad and the University Center. The Mesa Neighborhood showcases some of UNC's stunning historic buildings and features various community areas where students can play, study, perform at the Garden Theatre or relax on Gunter Green.

Sample rooms shown. Floor plans may vary by room type.

BELFORD, DECKER AND GORDON HALLS — These cozy residences offer students double or single rooms within a small living community. Each hall offers communal TV/study lounges and kitchen areas. Belford Hall added pet-friendly accommodation.



BELFORD HALL



DECKER HALL

GORDON HALL



SNYDER HALL



WILSON HALL

WIEBKING HALL

SABIN HALL



BOND HALL

DICKESON HALL

LUJÁN HALL

BROWN HALL

DECKER HALL

BELFORD HALL

GORDON HALL

HANSEN-WILLIS HALL

TOBEY-KENDEL DINING HALL

SNYDER HALL

WILSON HALL

SABIN HALL

WIEBKING HALL

THE MESA NEIGHBORHOOD



SABIN AND SNYDER HALLS — Sabin and Snyder Halls are close-knit communities with deluxe community-style rooms. Facilities include communal kitchens, lounges, TV rooms and study rooms, though students have an option between a private or community bathroom.

BOND, BROWN, DICKESON, HANSEN-WILLIS AND LUJÁN HALLS — These smaller halls offer single rooms or two- to six-person suites, with common bathrooms, kitchens and lounges. The Presidents Row buildings blend historic English-Tudor style architecture with state-of-the-art living arrangements.

WIEBKING AND WILSON HALLS — Wiebking and Wilson Halls offer double rooms in a large hall environment. Each hall offers easy access to the Asian Pacific American and Native American Student Services House, and the Marcus Garvey Cultural Center, with the César Chávez Cultural Center and Michener Library a few blocks away. Students share bathrooms, kitchens, lounges, game rooms, TV rooms and study rooms.





***BROADEN YOUR HORIZONS WITH
OTHER CAMPUS LIVING OPTIONS***

If you're looking to venture a bit farther into Greeley, UNC offers other living options.

ARLINGTON PARK APARTMENTS

Arlington Park Apartments provide students with an apartment-style housing option just two blocks away from campus. These two- and four-bedroom units are fully furnished and include water and internet (utilities are billed separately with a consistent and predictable semester charge). Most units have private laundry. Arlington Park Apartments also include a communal lounge space.

UNIVERSITY-OWNED HOUSES

Assignments are made for double and single rooms in stand-alone houses. While all contracts are academic year contracts, houses remain open over winter and spring break. Each house features a kitchen, shared living room and shared bathrooms.





Dining Services

Explore globally inspired food options.

We have many exciting food options on campus! Satisfy your cravings with campus favorites like Starbucks®, Einstein Bros Bagels® and Subway®. You can also find unique choices at Bowlful, Empire State Pizza, Crisol Latin Kitchen and Hissho Sushi. Burger & Co. has a new outdoor patio where you can enjoy a burger with a side of sunshine. Bears Simply to Go, is a convenient grab-and-go lunch spot in Campus Commons.

Klawz Krawler and Klawz Kruiser are mobile food carts that cruise campus to serve hot and cold food items Monday through Friday. Track them on UNC Dining’s social media pages.

On-campus students are required to carry an on-campus meal plan during their first academic year. This gives you a weekly supply of meals and Dining Dollars, renewed each Monday, that lasts the entire year. First-year students have a couple of meal plan options that include a set number of meal swipes and dining dollars. Sophomores and above will have a few additional options when selecting a meal plan. Students who are sophomores and beyond who live in Lawrenson Hall, Arlington Park Apartments or UNC-owned houses are exempt from the meal plan requirement.

Living off campus? You can still benefit from the many dining options by purchasing on-campus meal plans, Bear Plans (these are “meal sets” with a specific number of meals), or Dining Dollars (you can use these at retail dining locations and vending machines across campus).



***To learn more about dining services or view the UNC Move-In Guide, visit unco.edu/living-on-campus.*



QUESTIONS? WE'RE HAPPY TO HELP!

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ATTEND A CAMPUS VISIT DAY OR SCHEDULE A DAILY TOUR and experience what life is like as a UNC Bear! All campus visits include a student-led tour that will visit at least one residence hall showroom.

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Visit today!



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