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FALL 2024

First day of classes: August 14

• Labor Day: September 2

• Family Weekend: September 27-29

• Fall break: October 9-11

Homecoming: October 19

• Thanksgiving break*: November 25-29

• Final exams: December 9-13

• Residence halls close*: December 13 at 5 p.m.

• Winter commencement: December 14

SPRING 2025

Residence halls open: January 14

• First day of classes: January 15

• Martin Luther King Jr. Day: January 20

• Spring break*: March 10-14

• Easter break (Crete Campus): April 17-18

• Final exams: May 12-15

Spring Commencement: May 17

• Residence halls close: May 18 at 9 a.m.

*The campus is closed for Thanksgiving, winter, and spring breaks. Students wanting to stay on campus can submit a request that is reviewed by the ResLife staff.

Move-in Dates

Keep tabs on your Doane email for instructions regarding specific move in details such as your date and time slot to move in, as well as other logistics.

• Fall Athlete Move-in: Friday, Aug. 2nd 10a to 2p

Tiger Take Off Move-in: Sunday, Aug. 4th 10a to 2p

New Student Move-in: Saturday, Aug 10th 12p to 2p

Returning Student Move-in: Saturday, Aug 10th 2p to 4p

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Public Safety Office 402.826.8669

Residence Life

402.826.2161

doanehousing@doane.edu

Residence Life Emergency Lines

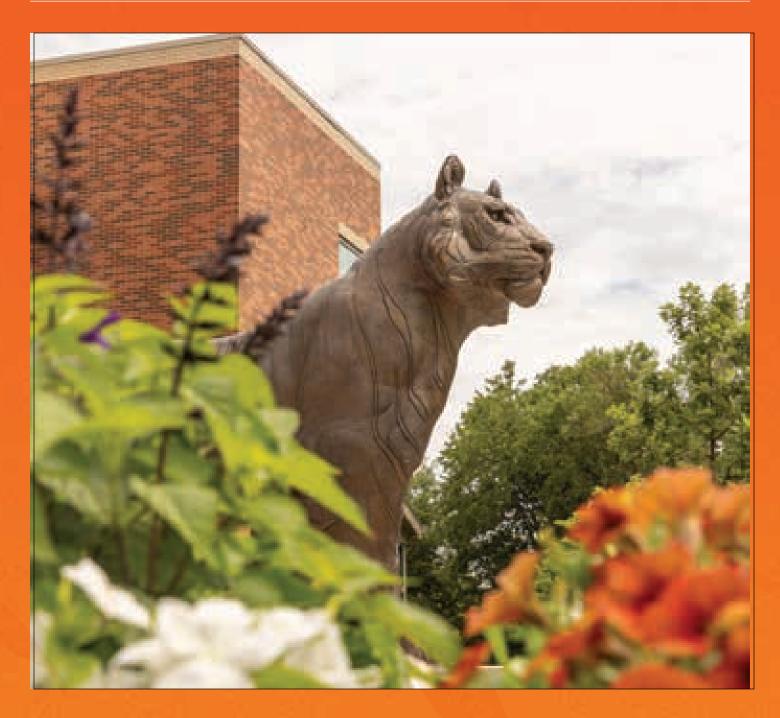
Southside: Hansen, Sheldon, Frees 402.826.8475

Northside: Smith, Brodie 402.826.8301

These numbers reach our emergency-line cell phones, meaning we cannot provide administrative support when called at these numbers.

Any administrative support please email: doanehousing@doane.edu





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Reasons living on campus is the way to go

- Campus is your oyster
 - > There's 30+ ways to get involved on campus. You name it Greek life, athletics, performing arts we have it. Living on campus means it's that much easier to attend practices, games and late-night social events.
- All the big amenities are taken care of
 - > Gas, electricity, wifi, water, trash...you won't sweat trying to manage your budget and pay bills. Laundry facilities are also free for on-campus students.
- Start your mornings on campus
 - > It's easier to wake up and walk to class than driving to class in traffic and finding parking.



Residence Hall Events

Your Doane ResLife staff and Hall Councils provide in-hall programming throughout the year. These events, called Tiger Tap-Ins, are fun ways to get together with your floormates. Tap-Ins are anything from a themed movie night to a foosball competition and are free for all residents to participate in.

Once a month, all of campus is invited to join the ResLife staff for Midnight Munchies, a chance to grab a late-night meal or snack catered by our dining partner Fresh Ideas. We also host Orange Fridays outside the Student Affairs office once a month — come by in your Doane gear to grab free food and spin our prize wheel!



Residence Hall Descriptions

Computer labs and printers are in all residence halls, except for Brodie!



Smith Hall

- First-year students
- Built in 1929 and originally known as Men's Hall, Smith Hall was renamed in 1977 to honor Charles C. Smith, class of 1887, trustee and generous benefactor of the university. Its design mirrors Frees Hall
- Unique amenities:
 - > Gaming room, lounge areas
 - > Outdoor courtyard with a fireplace and grill directly near the indoor, full-sized kitchen
 - > Outdoor basketball court



Frees Hall

- Upperclass students, medical singles (students can put themselves on a waitlist to buy out singles if there are any available after medical needs have been met)
- Built in 1931 as a tribute to Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin Frees, its design mirrors Smith Hall and blends studying and socializing spaces for the perfect community hub.
- Unique amenities:
 - > Tiered indoor theater perfect for movie nights
 - > Outdoor grill
 - > Game room including pool table



Sheldon Hall

- First-year students
- Built in 1970 and named in honor of Margaret Thompson Sheldon, a trailblazer and the first woman on Doane University's Board of Trustees, the first Dean of Women and a professor of English.
- Unique amenities:
 - > Back patio that overlooks Doane Lake
 - > Exterior gathering space with fireplace
 - > Indoor classroom and music practice room



Hansen Hall

- All students, first-year students of Directions Leadership Program
- Built-in 2000 and named in honor of the late Zenon C.R. Hansen, former CEO of Mack Trucks, Hansen Leadership Hall proudly houses Doane's Leadership and Honors Students
- Unique amenities:
 - > Suite-style living varying in size and layout
 - > Piano, TV, ping pong table, and foosball table in the main floor lounge
 - > Newly renovated kitchen (January 2024) available for all residents
 - > Classroom and third-floor lounge for yoga and meditation



Brodie Hall

- Upperclass students
- Our newest hall opened in January 2024 and is named after C. Donald Brodie, who served on the Doane Board of Trustees.
- Unique amenities:
 - > Suite-style living that offers 4-, 6- and 8-person suites
 - > Fully equipped kitchen, game room and lounge open to all residents
 - > Study rooms equipped with TVs and Zoom access
 - > Outdoor amphitheater connected to the basement lounge and kitchen

CHECKLIST OF ITEMS TO PACK:

- Power strip/surge protector
- Alarm clock
- Laundry basket, detergent
- Bedding
 - > Pillows and extra-long twin sheets
- Shower tote and sandals
- Personal hygiene items
- Message or marker board (Brodie Hall has a marker board in each suite)
- 3M or another removable tape
- School supplies
- Pictures of friends and family
- Flashlight and batteries
- Eating utensils
 - > Cups
 - > Bowls
 - > Forks
 - > Spoons

Every room includes a microfridge/ freezer and microwave!

- Laptop
- Dehumidifier
- Floor rug
- Futon (no other large permanent furniture pieces allowed)
- Lamp
- Storage containers
- Drawer organizer
- Over-the-door hooks or hangers
- Iron and ironing board
- Water pitcher
- Basic food such as Easy-Mac, ramen, etc.
- Chip clips
- Can opener
- Hand vacuum and cleaning wipes
- Mirror
- Small succulents and plants
- Kleenex and napkins
- Air freshener
- Basic first aid kit
- Umbrella
- Coffee machine
- Blender
- Electric water/tea kettle
- Fan
- Crockpot
- Air fryer (cannot be 2-in-1 option)
- Safety bed rail

- TV
- Gaming consoles
- Stereo/speakers

*All permitted appliances must have an automatic shutoff feature and UL branded electric cords, including power strips

PROHIBITED ITEMS:

- Extension cords
- Microwaves
- Hot plates
- Toasters and toaster ovens
- George Foreman Grills
- Electric skillets
- Ice machines
- Refrigerators (every room has one included!)
- High-energy appliances like space heaters or air conditioners
- Any appliances that don't have an automatic shutoff
- Heated or electric blankets

Aside from all the Tiger students roaming around campus, the only animal we allow in the residence halls are fish.

Students who wish to pursue permission to bring an emotional support animal to campus should contact:
doanehousing@doane.edu

- Bean bags
- Pets other than fish
- Halogen lamps
- Sunlights
- Lava lamps
- Nails
- Candles (you can cut the wick and use on a candle warmer, but no open flames)
- Lighters
- Tide Pods
- Weapons*
- Alcohol paraphernalia
 - > Shot glasses
 - > Flasks
 - > Posters promoting alcohol
 - > Decorative bottles

*Doane University prohibits permit holders from possessing or carrying a concealed handgun on the premises unless otherwise authorized by law. Violation of this prohibition is a criminal offense. Pursuant to the Nebraska revised statute, 69-2441.



DECORATING

When decorating your room or suite, the main thing to keep in mind is potential damage and fire safety. We want your space to reflect you, within the following guidelines:

- Only use Command Strips to hang items (don't use nails, tape or tacks)
- Door decorating:
 - > Peepholes must remain uncovered
 - > Items cannot protrude past the door frame
- No live trees (small plants are allowed, such as succulents)
- No halogen bulbs
- No spray-on decorations, such as sprayon snow
- LED lights are allowed, but must be hung with command strips only, not the adhesive they come with

Skip the packing! Order college must-haves ahead of time with our partner SWAKU. They can deliver everything to our campus or you home.





Community advisors are like an older sibling — they know the way, and they want you to have fun all while being safe. Every residence hall has live-in community advisors, usually a junior or senior at Doane.

They provide materials, resources and support to keep their residence hall community happy and healthy. And they'll be your first stop for questions or advice on personal, social and academic needs.



Let's meet a CA!
Rowan Jolkowski, class of 2025
Psychology major

What should incoming students know about living on campus?

It is very different from living at home but don't let that stop you from meeting the people on your floor.

Living in the res halls can be difficult at times but it shows you how to deal with practical, real-life issues. It builds character and community.

How can a student make their room feel like home?

Bring pictures from home and fully take up your space with things that make you feel comfortable.

What are perks of living on campus?

It's easier to connect with new people and you are more in the know of what's going on around campus.

We're here to help you

All students have access to the same support and resources. Living on campus means it's that much easier and quicker to meet with the staff who'll make your time at Doane safe, fun and special.







MENTAL HEALTH

Students have free, confidential and unlimited access to counseling services on our Crete campus.

Location: Padour Walker

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Our on-campus nurse practitioner can diagnose, prescribe medications (including, free OTC medication) and provide services like allergy shots, immunizations and vaccines, as needed. Testing for influenza, COVID, mono and strep are no extra cost to the student.

Location: Perry Campus Center

SAFETY

The public safety office is open 24/7 and provides immediate support and action — whether you're locked out of the room or need help with a more serious situation or time of crisis.

Community Directors are live-in professional staff who support community advisors and residents in any and all areas needed. One community director is on duty 24/7 on a rotating basis.

Additionally, your room comes with safety equipment that must never be tampered with including smoke detectors and sprinkler systems. As a member of the Doane ResLife community, you also play an important role in maintaining the safety of our community:

- All entry and exit doors should remain closed at all times
- Use your physical or digital Doane ID to access your specific building and do not allow others to follow you inside.
- Keep your room locked at all times and do not give your key to anyone else.

Location: Communications Building

CAMPUS ADVOCACY, PREVENTION AND EDUCATION PROJECT (CAPE)

CAPE promotes healthy communication, relationships and sexual behavior across campus and the community.

Their goal is to increase trauma-informed networks of support for survivors of interpersonal violence while decreasing incidents of sexual assault, dating/domestic violence, and stalking through prevention and education programs.

Location: Perry Campus Center

ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER (ASC)

The class and studying part of college can be hard. Our ASC staff helps students in all aspects, including note-taking, time management, goal-setting, preferred learning styles.

- Testing
 - > Students looking to improve their exam performance can request an exam analysis. Our staff helps students see why errors were made and then develops a study plan for the future. Our staff can also help students prepare for graduate or professional school entrance exams (e.g., GRE, PPST, CMEE, LSAT, GMAT, etc.).
- Writing
 - > Students at any stage in the writing process can receive input and help on their academic, professional or creative writing at our Writing Center.

Location: Communications Building

CAREER, LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE (CLS)

The CLS team works hands-on with students to set them up for success in internships, careers and service opportunities during and after their time at Doane. They help students navigate the job search, provide feedback on resumes and develop students into leaders who impact their communities.

Location: Perry Campus Center







Fuel your day, your way. We offer a variety of options to keep you energized and ready to tackle your day. Whether you need a bite on the go or have time to sit down for a meal, we've got your bases covered. Our collaboration with Fresh Ideas ensures you receive tasty, healthy and fresh food.

Order ahead on the FreshX app. You can also check your Dining Dollars balance, and more!



DINING HALL

Monday - Friday

Breakfast: 7:15 - 9 a.m.

Continental Breakfast: 9 - 9:45 a.m.

Lunch: 10:45 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Dinner: 5 - 7:30 p.m. (5 - 7 p.m. on Friday)

Saturday + Sunday

Brunch: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Dinner: 5-7 p.m.

TIGER DEN

Monday - Thursday

10:30 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Friday

10:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Saturday

Closed

Sunday

4 - 10 p.m.

LAKESIDE COFFEE SHOP

Monday - Friday

7 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Saturday + Sunday

9 a.m. - 10 p.m.

Double Standard Rooms

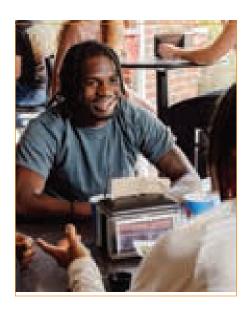
HALL	SEMESTER TOTAL	YEAR TOTAL
Frees	\$2,889	\$5,778
Hansen (suite style layout)	\$3,139	\$6,278
Sheldon	\$2,889	\$5,778
Smith	\$2,889	\$5,778

Single Occupancy

HALL	SEMESTER TOTAL	YEAR TOTAL
Frees	\$3,211	\$6,422
Hansen (suite style layout)	\$3,461	\$6,922
Brodie Hall (suite style layout)	\$3,719	\$7,438

Meal Plans

PLAN	SEMESTER TOTAL	YEAR TOTAL
Platinum (Unlimited cafeteria +\$50 in Doane Dollars)	\$3,100	\$6,200
Gold (14 cafeteria meals/week +\$500 in Doane Dollars/semester)	\$3,200	\$6,400
Silver (14 cafeteria meals/week +\$750 in Doane Dollars/semester)	\$3,300	\$6,600
Bronze (7 cafeteria meals/week +\$1,000 in Doane Dollars/semester)	\$3,400	\$6,800
Commuter Only (5 cafeteria meals/week)	\$875	\$1,750



Frequently Asked Questions

Do I have to live on campus?

Students are required to live on the Crete campus all four years unless they meet particular exception criteria that permit them to move off campus. Only the Office of Residential Life and Education can grant off-campus approval.

Does the university provide insurance for my property?

No. We urge each student to purchase some form of insurance, whether it be renter's insurance or a rider on their parent's homeowner's insurance. The University is not liable for theft, damage or loss of personal property from any part of the residence hall.

Can I stay on campus during a break?

The campus is closed for Thanksgiving, winter and spring Breaks. Requests for exceptions are reviewed for each break. The campus is open for fall break, but we do ask you to complete a registration form so we are aware of who will be sticking around.

Os alcohol permitted in the residence halls?

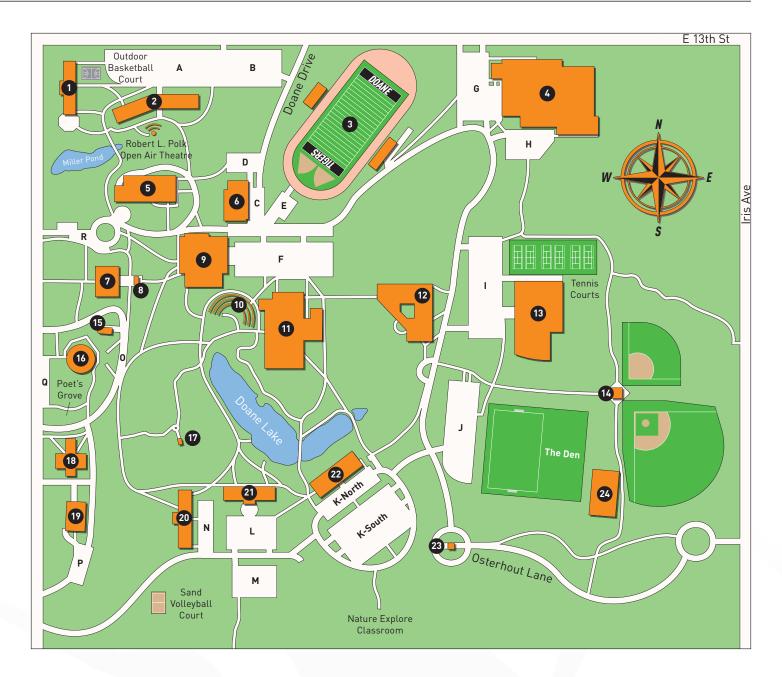
Residents who are 21 or older can apply to have an alcohol-tolerant room if everyone in that room is of age. Upon approval from the Director of Health & Wellness, alcohol-tolerant rooms may have beer and wine. Hard liquor is never permitted on campus.

What if I don't get along with my roommates?

While we strive to make the best matches possible, sometimes conflicts will arise. Residential Life views conflict as a healthy part of development. If roommate conflicts arise, the Residential Life team will assist with a mediation process to help parties involved find a solution that works for them.

Can I have a private room?

Private rooms are double rooms that are purchased at a higher price for one person to reside in. Private rooms are rare and are only available if space permits. First-year and new students are typically unable to have private rooms.



- 1. Smith Hall
- 2. C. Donald Brodie Hall
- 3. Memorial Stadium
- 4. Fuhrer Field House
- 5. Chab Weyers Education and Hixson Lied Art Building
- 6. Butler Gymnasium
- 7. Padour Walker Administration Building
- 8. Merrill Tower
- 9. Perry Memorial Campus Center

- 10. Cassel Open Air Theatre
- 11. Communications Building
- 12. Lied Science and Mathematics Building
- 13. George and Sally Haddix
 Athletic and Recreation Center
- 14. Softball and Baseball Complex
- 15. Boswell Observatory
- 16. Whitcomb Lee Conservatory
- Dean Memorial Pergola and Khouri Garden and Outdoor Classroom

- 18. Gaylord Hall
- 19. Martin Maintenance Building
- 20. Frees Hall
- 21. Sheldon Hall
- 22. Hansen Leadership Hall
- 23. Navy Memorial Plaza
- 24. Indoor Baseball Hitting Facility

A-R Parking Lots



