

New York City Scholars Program

Packing Guide



Please use the below list as a guideline to inform your packing choices. This list is not comprehensive, just helpful suggestions.

Clothing

- ☐ Water resistant footwear
- ☐ Sturdy hiking/walking shoes
- ☐ Pair of flip-flops
- ☐ Socks
- ☐ Underwear
- ☐ Shorts
- ☐ Swimsuit
- ☐ Professional outfit (a nice pair of pants/skirt; nice button-down top or blouse)
- ☐ Skirts/pants
- ☐ Shirts
- ☐ Scarves and gloves
- ☐ Sweaters/sweatshirts
- ☐ Jackets/coats (for various weather conditions)
- ☐ Sleepwear
- ☐ Athletic wear (for exercising, sports, hiking)

Medicine and Toiletries

- ☐ Prescription medications
- ☐ Comb/brush
- ☐ Travel sized toiletries and cosmetics
- ☐ Deodorant
- ☐ Over-the-counter medicine
- ☐ Menstrual hygiene products
- ☐ Extra eyeglasses and sunglasses
- ☐ Contact lenses and solutions
- ☐ Sunscreen/bug spray

There will be many places near campus to purchase most things on this list!

Miscellaneous

- ☐ Important documents: your ID, health insurance card, etc.
- ☐ Laptop/charger
- ☐ Phone/charger (and/or camera)
- ☐ Portable charger
- ☐ Headphones
- ☐ Earplugs
- ☐ Books (or e-readers)
- ☐ Water bottle
- ☐ Duffle bag/backpack
- ☐ Umbrella/raincoat
- ☐ Scientific calculator (only applicable to certain courses)
- ☐ Textbooks (if applicable)
- ☐ Cleaning supplies
- ☐ Broom and dustpan
- * Lamp– You may want to purchase a lamp for your room after you arrive

Don't Bring

- ☒ Towels, bedding, kitchen supplies, and shower curtains
These will be provided.
- ☒ A fridge or microwave
Your room will come with these.
- ☒ More than two suitcases
Please try to pack lightly if possible. You can evaluate what else you need after arriving to campus.
- ☒ Prohibited items
LED light strips, space heaters, and hot plates.