

Housing Selection 2026-2027 Schedule

Selection Phases *New phases this year!	Housing Apps Assignment Eligible & Phase Appropriate By 11am	Selection Times Sent via PSU email at 11am	Selection Dates	Selection Methods	Buildings / Areas
Invite Only <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ Disability Accommodations ❖ Priority Picks ❖ Affinity & The Q- LLC ❖ Not Required-on* 	March 9 Affinity & Q Applications due 3/1	March 10 <i>Proxies due by 11:59pm</i>	March 11-13	Students with Disability Accommodations: Proxy or Teams (virtual in-person) Priority Picks: Proxy or Teams (virtual in-person) The Q- Proxy of Teams (virtual in-person) Not Required On: Proxy or Teams (virtual in-person) Affinity: Online	Affinity: for like-minded students- 4/2 Apts: 4-person/2-bedroom apartments 30-60 and Langdon Woods suites 1 st floor. The Q: for LGBTQI and Allies Mary Lyon 1 st floor (singles and doubles) Not Required-on: May select from available options; all in the group must have met the live-on requirement to participate in this phase. Students with accommodations may only select a space that meets their accommodation during this phase. Students desiring a space that exceeds or does not meet their accommodation will participate in one of the other phases as appropriate. (ex. single room accommodation = single room not single w a bathroom or an apartment space)
Singles	March 23 <i>Do not group up for this phase</i>	March 24	March 25-27	Online Only- book a space beginning at your selection time through the end of this phase. <i>Note: Single spaces are extremely limited, and only individuals are eligible, not groups. Be prepared to participate in the other phases if unable to book during this phase and add your name to the waitlist once the selection process has ended.</i>	Mary Lyon – singles, Blair singles & super singles Langdon Woods & Merrill Place – super singles/singles with private bathroom Merrill Places suites – 2 singles with a shared bathroom Student Apartments – 1/1 Apt (very limited) Students in groups of 2 or more will not receive a selection time- form a group AFTER singles phase.
Groups* Must be group of 2, 3, or 4- can regroup throughout this phase	Mar 30 <i>Group up!</i>	March 31 <i>Proxies due by 11:59pm</i>	April 1-3	Online & Proxy Online- must be a confirmed group with all members listed on the Roommate Search and Grouping step. Proxy- for Incomplete Groups only- formed when one or more preferred roommate(s) is not listed as an accepted group member on the leaders housing application. Usually due to a different status e.g. transfer or grad/undergrad.	All shared spaces- suites, apartments, doubles, triples, quads. Groups are only eligible for a space they can fill, and the leader must assign all in the group or disband the group to try for an alternative occupancy type. Students unable to book a preferred space may regroup during this phase and try for another shared space type. Ex. A group of 4 may disband into 2 groups of 2 and vice versa. It is the leader's responsibility to notify the group of disbandment. Those removed from the original group may group up and select a space using this phase or participate in the Individuals Phase.
Individuals*	April 6	April 7	April 8-10	Online- book a space beginning at your selection time through the end of this phase.	All remaining shared spaces All students who are required to live on campus and who have not booked a space during the previous phases must participate in this final phase. Reservation fees will be added to those who do not book during housing selection and will be adjusted accordingly when assignments are finalized.

Housing Selection General Information

- **Application Due Date:** Housing applications are available beginning March 4th. Housing applications must be at the “Assignment Eligible” status by 11:00a.m. on the Monday before each selection phase to receive a selection time.
- **Selection Time Criteria:** Housing selection times are random lottery within credit groups as outlined by the registrar (90+=Senior+, 60-89.99= Juniors, 30-59.99= Sophomores, 0-29.99= First years). For accepted groups of 2-4, the average of the group’s credits will be used to determine the selection time for the entire group.
- **Selection Times—How & When:** Selection times will be sent via PSU email by 11:00a.m. on the Tuesday before each selection phase. All students with an “Assignment Eligible” application will receive a selection time for each phase. Only those with “Phase Appropriate” groups are eligible to book a space (e.g. Single Phase cannot be in a group; Groups Phase must have a confirmed group). Students/group leaders will have online access to select housing beginning at their appointed day and time through the end of the phase.
- **Teams Sessions:** Info sessions via Teams will be offered throughout the process – individuals will initially be sent to a waiting room and invited in on a first come first served basis. Teams meeting will also be available for the first phase- Invite Only. Individuals/Group leaders will be placed in a waiting room and invited into a private Teams meeting at their designated selection time to work with the Housing Coordinator in selecting a space. Watch your PSU e-mail for more information.
- **Not Required on?** If you and/or all in your group have met the live-on requirement you may participate in the Invite Only phase.
- **Affinity & The Q:** LLC Applications are due 3/1. Approved students will participate in the Invite Only phase. Affinity- Online only, The Q via Teams/Proxy.
- **Group Bookings:** The student who created the group becomes the group leader. The group leader must book for all in the group online at the group’s appointed time. If the group leader is not available at the group’s selection time, the leader will pass the leadership role to a group member who is available. If a preferred space is not available, the group leader may disband the group and notify the removed group members to regroup on their own or participate in the Individuals phase.
- **Incomplete groups:** An incomplete group includes a transfer/new student or a student of a different status, i.e. grad vs undergrad where they are unable to be added to the group via the application. Incomplete groups must submit a proxy for the Group phase and will be assigned based on the availability of preferences as indicated on the proxy form.
- **Proxies:** Proxies are online forms used by Reslife during the Invite Only and Groups phases due to incomplete groups/unavailability. Links to the proxy forms can be found on the ResLife web page. Both selection phases have their own proxy form, which will become available after selection times are sent. Proxies must be submitted before midnight on that same day (the Tuesday selection times are sent). Reslife will then assign Individuals/groups based on the availability of their preferences as indicated on the proxy form.
- **Individuals:** All remaining students who did not book a space during the previous phases. Individuals are eligible for any available shared space.
- **Roommates:** It is recommended that students who are not seeking a private space or were unable to book a room during single selection, accept enough roommates to fill a room/apt/suite. Students who cannot fill a room/apt/suite will participate in the Individuals Phase. Note: Use the roommate search and grouping tools.
- **One and Done:** Once a space is selected/booked, the selection process is complete! Each student is encouraged to check the status page of the application to confirm they are assigned as intended.
- **Meal Plan:** Once a space is selected/booked, each student must return to their application to choose an eligible meal plan to complete the selection process. Those required to be on a meal plan who do not select one will be placed on the default meal plan.
- **No space:** When booking online, if no spaces are visible, then there are none available for that space type in that hall/area. Try a different hall/area.
- **No Booking:** Students who did not book a space will be asked to return to their housing application at the end of the process to add their housing preferences. They will be assigned based on the availability of their indicated preferences. If no preferences are available, they will be assigned to an available space and may add their name to the Pre-fall waitlist if not satisfied.
- **Reservation Fee:** All students required to live on campus are expected to participate in the selection process. Those that do not book a space will have a reservation fee, equivalent to a double room charge, added to their student account. This fee will be replaced by the room rate once assigned.
- **Commitment:** Students not required to live on campus will be bound by the lease once a space has been selected. On-campus housing is not a backup; do not select a space unless you plan to live on campus. The live-on policy is outlined on the Residential Life web page under Frequently Asked Questions.
- **Waitlist:** The pre-fall waitlist will be available via a link under Forms & Policies, on the Residential Life web page after the selection process is complete, for students who did not book or were unable to book a preferred space during the selection process.