

Fact Sheet on Hostel Accommodation for Non-local Students

For 2025-26 intake and after

Guaranteed College Hostel Periods

College Hostel Periods	Programmes with Normative Study Period (N)			
	5 years and more	4 years	3 years	2 years
Guaranteed	2 years (First year must be guaranteed)			
Non-guaranteed (N-2)	3 years and more	2 years	1 year	Not applicable

*For recipients of Admission Scholarship for Distinguished Freshman (for non-local freshmen from Mainland China/ Other Regions), the guaranteed College hostel periods are 4 years of study.

Calculation of College Hostel Periods

Maximum College Hostel Period = Normative Study Period

Calculate the normative study period upon admission. Normative study end terms may change when students go on exchange/ apply for suspension of study.

My Program

Institution - CUHK
Career - Undergraduate
Program - BSSc Geo & Resource Mgt
Major - Geography & Resource Mgt

Login to CUSIS > My Program
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From Admit Term to Normative Study
End Term = Normative Study Period

From 2024-25 Term 1 to 2027-28
Term 2 = 8 Terms

College: Wu Yee Sun College
Program: BSSc Geo & Resource Mgt
Status: Active
Admit Term: 2024-25 Term 1
Admission Date: 01/08/2024
Expected Graduation Term: 2027-28 Term 2
Expected Graduation Date: 31/07/2028
Normative Study End Term: 2027-28 Term 2
Normative Study End Date: 31/07/2028
Maximum Study End Term: 2029-30 Term 2
Maximum Study End Date: 31/07/2030
Study Mode: Full-time
Study Year: 1

Students may apply for hostel residence BEYOND normative study period if they have **NOT YET REACHED** the maximum College hostel period.



Students on outgoing exchange residing in a non-local institute will **NOT** be counted as using College hostel period.



Extension of graduation term is **NOT** equivalent to extension of normative study period.



Students having reached maximum College hostel period are **INELIGIBLE** for hostel residence.

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Selection Criteria via Resident Selection

1

Academic Excellence

Master's List **OR** Dean's List

**Cannot use both at the same time.*

2

Extra-curricular Activities

Max. 3 positions specified in scoring scheme will be counted.

BEST YEAR

The SAME academic year in which they gain the most hostel scores from Academic Excellence and Extra-curricular Activities.

Indication of Best Year

1. Applicants shall indicate their "Best Year" in the online application.
2. Definitions of academic year and hostel scores for each award/position in Academic Excellence and Extra-curricular Activities are determined in the scoring scheme.
3. Applicants may indicate the same "Best Year" in all their non-guaranteed hostel periods.

Hostel Application

No application = No hostel place!

	First Year of Study	<u>AFTER</u> First Year of Study
Application Period	Late-August	November-December
Application Mechanism	Guaranteed Residence ONLY	Guaranteed Residence OR Resident Selection
Selection Criteria	Not Applicable	Academic Excellence & Extra-curricular Activities within the SAME best year



Read through hostel application note (*subject to annual review, incl. selection criteria*)



Submit online application and documents by deadline (**including scholarship recipients with guaranteed residence for four years of study**).



Applicants with 0 hostel score may also apply via Resident Selection.

Students on Suspension of Study (e.g. placement & internship) are **INELIGIBLE** for hostel residence.



Application mechanism **CANNOT** be changed after application deadline (including appeal round).

Applicants shall ensure sufficient no. of hostel periods for their selected application mechanism (either Guaranteed or Selection) are remained by the time of application. Otherwise, it will be **disqualified**.

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Hostel Allotment

Guaranteed Residence

Successful upon completed submission of online application and relevant documents by deadline.

Resident Selection

Subject to the number and hostel scores attained of applications in respective year, the result **may be successful or unsuccessful**.



Successful applicants may indicate their zone preferences and roommate pair-up based on the timeline in hostel application note, and prepare for hostel check-in. Late check-in is subject to application and approval.



Unsuccessful applicants may submit an appeal application by deadline. If it remains unsuccessful, they will be placed on waiting list. They may also consider **Room Share Scheme** or off-campus accommodation.

Hostel Arrangements, Safety and Regulations



Hostel Check-in: **Term 1** Sat before term begins & **Term 2** working day after 1 Jan (for reference only)



Anti-Deception: Beware of phone and internet scam.



Address Proof: Submit online application (*3 working days for issuance*).



SMOKE-FREE: Smoking (incl. e-cigarette) is NOT allowed in whole CUHK campus.



Closure of College Building in Chinese New Year: Prior application & approval required if students request to stay.



Carry-in Electrical Appliance: Conditions and surcharge applied for electrical appliance with high energy consumption.



Hostel Check-out: **Term 1** before Christmas & **Term 2** mid-May (plus **room change required** even allotted with summer hostel). **Do Not Keep Too Many Things.**



Hostel Regulations: Violation of certain regulations may result in **expulsion from hostel** (no exception for non-locals).



Temporary luggage storage: Max. 2 pcs, each within 1ft x 1ft x 3ft for students with allotted hostel in Term 1 next academic year, and only once a year after term-time hostel check-out.

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Useful Links

Off-campus Accommodation



Room Share Scheme



Hostel Life



Information for Residents



Hostel Regulations



Application for Hostel Address Proof



Application for Carry-in Electrical Appliance

