



RESIDENTIAL LIFE

INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Welcome Sycamores! We are excited for your arrival to campus. Below is some important information related to COVID-19 safety protocols. Please take the time to read this information carefully.

Masks

Indiana State University is requiring face coverings indoors for all University buildings, for all students and all guests. This means that you (and any guests) will need to wear a mask that fully covers both your nose and mouth at all times when in common area spaces, elevators, hallways, and bathrooms. You must wear a mask prior to entering and until you have exited the residence halls. The only times you do not need to wear a mask is when you are in your own room, when you are brushing your teeth, or when you are in the shower. For move-in, students may have up to two (2) guests assist them. Failure of you or your guest to abide by the mask mandate will result in a referral to the Office of Student Conduct and Integrity and a pattern of violations may result in the immediate termination of your housing agreement.

Prior to Arriving on Campus

If you feeling sick, have tested positive for COVID-19, or have been notified that you are a close contact to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 as you are planning to arrive on campus for move-in, please complete the Sycamore Symptom Assessment/Daily Health Assessment immediately. The Sycamore Symptom Assessment/Daily Health Assessment can be found https://indianastate.iad1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_23PmRquhyc3kmF. Do not come to campus if you are feeling sick, currently have positive diagnosis for COVID-19, or are currently quarantining as a result of being identified as a close contact. A university contact tracer will contact you and let you know when you are cleared to come to campus.

Isolation/Quarantine

Once you have arrived on campus, students who are identified as close contacts, become symptomatic, or become positive for COVID-19 will be required to move to a university quarantine or isolation space, or quarantine or isolate at their permanent residence.

Students who test positive for COVID-19 or are experiencing symptoms related to COVID-19 will be encouraged to return home for the duration of their illness. If this is not possible, in accordance with CDC guidelines, students will be required to move to a designated isolation space on campus. Students in isolation will have meals delivered to them daily along with daily wellness check-ins with our residence hall team.

In accordance with CDC guidelines, students who may have been exposed to COVID-19 may be required to go to a quarantine space for the designated period of time. Students in a quarantine space will also have food delivered each day.

Failure to abide by these measures may result in the immediate loss or termination of your housing agreement.

Vaccinations

ISU requests students to voluntarily submit proof of COVID-19 vaccinations. To upload proof of vaccination, sign in to MyISU, click the badge, "ISU COVID-19 Vaccination Record," complete the survey, and upload a picture of official documentation of vaccination. Official documentation refers to the vaccination card from the administrator of the vaccines or a vaccination certificate from the state immunization registry. Students who voluntarily submit their vaccination records by September 30 will be eligible to win several prizes including a textbook voucher, parking permits, and Commons Cash.

Vaccinated Sycamores who have uploaded proof of vaccination only need to complete the Sycamore Health Assessment if you are feeling sick. Unvaccinated Sycamores and those who have not uploaded their vaccination confirmation are required to complete the Sycamore Health Assessment each day. For more information about the vaccines or to find a vaccination site, go to: ourshot.in.gov. The ISU Health Center also administers COVID-19 vaccines by appointment. There will also be a vaccination clinic on August 17 from 1:30 – 5:30 pm in the Dede's in HMSU.

Some of our policies may change depending upon CDC, State, or local health department recommendations in regards to COVID-19. Our team will update you via email with any changes to our policies around guests and common area space usage.

We are looking forward to welcoming you back to campus. Please take a few minutes to review the [Arrival website \(www.indstate.edu/residential-life/Arrival-2021\)](http://www.indstate.edu/residential-life/Arrival-2021) and the [Welcome website \(www.indstate.edu/orientation/welcome\)](http://www.indstate.edu/orientation/welcome). If you have not yet scheduled your arrival appointment, please do so via your housing portal as soon as possible.

If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at 812-237-3993 or via email at ResLife@indstate.edu.

We also encourage you to follow us on social media (@IndstateResLife) on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram to stay up-to-date on everything going on in your residence hall and on campus.

With Sycamore Pride,

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