

ROOMMATE AGREEMENTS

Why fill out a roommate agreement?

As part of your student experience at CCA, we hope for all students to become good neighbors and global creative citizens. Understanding your own living needs, the needs of those you are living with, and setting standards for your shared space is an important first step in being a good neighbor.

Self Reflection

Here are some questions to engage in self reflection about your needs and preferences prior to meeting with your roommate(s) to negotiate agreements.

I prefer to sleep:

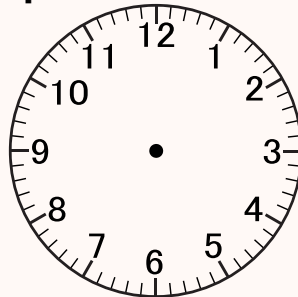
In silence

With white noise

With music/
tv on

Noise while sleeping
doesn't bother me

Hours I normally like to sleep:



Things I am allergic to that cannot be brought to the room:

I would like to have guests over:

Often (5 or more
days a week)

Sometimes (2-4
times a week)

Rarely (less than
once a week)

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I am okay with guests (check all that apply):

Whenever - just give me a heads up beforehand

Only during certain times of the day

Staying overnight

Who I know already

Who I have not met yet

Who are romantic/intimate/sexual partners of my roommate(s)

Multiple guests coming over at the same time

When I am in the room

When I am not in the room

I prefer to communicate:

Through text

Over phone call

Through email

In person

Other

In terms of cleaning I would prefer to:

Be responsible for my side/room separately

Create a chores schedule and split up cleaning tasks accordingly

Set aside a shared time where everyone in the unit cleans together

In terms of cleaning I would prefer to:

Very clean: Everything organized, put away and sanitized every day

Clean: Things are usually organized and put away, and sanitized about once a week

Somewhat messy: Things may be scattered around a bit but I know where to find things - organized chaos

Messy: I don't prioritize cleaning and prefer living in a messier environment

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I prefer to complete coursework:

- In the room
- In the studio
- In common areas
- In the library
- Off campus

I prefer to have alone time in the room:

- At least once a day
- A few hours a week
- As little as possible
- Varies from week to week and will reach out to my roommate(s) about alone time as needed

I plan to use the room to:

- Sleep
- Eat
- Exercise
- Study/complete course work
- Meditate
- Hang out with friends
- Engage in hobbies
- Other

In terms of my personal belongings I prefer to:

- Share belongings amongst roommates
- Be asked to borrow something if my roommate needs it
- Share some things but not all
- Keep belongings separate and do not share

When conflict occurs I tend to:

- Wait and hope it goes away
- Avoid the person
- Talk about the issue directly
- Seek help/advice from someone not involved

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I have certain religious/spiritual practices that my roommate should be aware of:

Others can tell I am not at my best when:

I like to relax by:

Personal pet peeves I should communicate with my roommate(s):

ROOMMATE AGREEMENT FORM

Now that you've completed the Self-reflection, utilize the link above or the QR-code below to fill out the roommate agreement for with your roommate(s). All roommates should be present when filling out the form and should discuss each aspect of the agreement.

