

# ELMIRA COLLEGE

OFFICE OF RESIDENCE LIFE

August 18, 2025

Greetings!

We hope you've enjoyed your summer break and we're looking forward to the start of the academic year at Elmira College!

**Please carefully read this entire email as you prepare for your arrival on campus.** It contains important information about move-in dates, arrival schedules, check-in procedures, and things you should complete before moving in. We have also attached the updated packing list for your reference before you move in which includes a link to the [Prohibited Items](#) list. Campus is **dry**, meaning that no alcohol is permitted on campus, until 11:59 p.m. Sunday, September 1st. Your Post Office assignments and codes will be sent via email no later than September 1.

## **International Welcome**

If you are attending International Welcome, your move in date will be **Thursday, August 28** from 9:30-10:30 a.m. in the Campus Center Lobby. Please follow the schedule that will be sent to you for the program.

## **First Year and Transfer Student Move-in**

First Year and transfer students will move in on **Friday, August 29**, in one of the three assigned time slots. Please refer to the email that will be sent by the Orientation team for more details as well!

## **Upperclassmen Move-in**

Move-in Day for all returning students is Sunday, August 31 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

- 10 a.m. - 11 a.m.: last names A-B
- 11 a.m. to noon: last names C-E
- Noon to 1 p.m.: last names F-H
- 1 p.m. to 2 p.m.: last names J-M
- 2 p.m. to 3 p.m.: last names N- R
- 3 p.m. to 4 p.m.: last names S-Z

Check-In will be at the Campus Center Lobby.

At check-in, you will receive your room key, and your housing form. Please bring your Student ID card with you, it will be activated at check-in for your residence hall. Your student meal plan begins on Sunday, September 1st.

## **Upperclassmen Early Move-In Requests**

- Early move-in requests for returning students who are not participating in already pre-approved activities is highly discouraged
- Requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis and will only be approved under extenuating circumstances.
- You must make arrangements to move in on your designated date and time, Sunday, August 31. Your ID access will not be activated before then.
- **If your early move-in request is approved, there will be a non-refundable \$50/night charge billed to your student account.**

- **Those who violate the early move in approval process (arriving earlier than approved, not receiving approval for early move in, allowing roommates to move-in without approval, etc.) are subject to a non-refundable \$100/night charge to their student account for all parties involved if this happens prior to August 31 at 10:00 a.m.**

Thank you, and we look forward to having you on campus soon!

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