

Residence Hall Living

All Basic recruits must reside at the Thompson Residence Hall with no commuting, except on weekends, unless approved by the Director of Training Operations. Residence hall curfew will be at the discretion of the Commissioner of the Department of Criminal Justice Training.

TV cable access is available in each room; however, no TV's are provided. Recruits may choose to bring a television with them to the academy. If so, televisions must have a digital tuner as analog channels are no longer available in the dorm.

There are telephones on each dormitory floor. Recruits making long distance calls from the Residence Hall will need a calling card or call collect. Note: recruits may bring a cell phone; however, cell phones are not allowed during class hours without prior written permission from their coordinator.

Each room is equipped with a bathroom (commode, shower, double vanity sinks). Recruits should bring personal toiletries, towels, washcloths, soap, etc. and clothing to wear during non-training hours.

All rooms are double occupancy and are furnished with 2 of the following: twin-size bed with storage drawers, nightstand with drawer, 3-drawer dresser, 3-drawer student desk and bookshelf with overhead light. Laundry facilities are available at the dormitory for a nominal fee. Please note that change is available at the dormitory front desk.

Recruits must bring their own pillows and linens (i.e. pillowcases, blankets, sheets, for twin-size extra-long beds) for the residence hall.

Recruits should bring an alarm clock.

Recruits may bring a small refrigerator for personal use. Coffee makers are permitted if they have auto-shutoff.