Hall Admission for UG Halls

2020-2021

Local Students
(Staying in the hall less than 120 days cumulatively)
General Application Information
Hall Application is on yearly basis (all should apply afresh!).

AIMS is the only means for Hall Admission/Application.

Late / incomplete application will not be accepted.

Deadline
19 March 2020, 23:59 HKT

*traffic jam (system) may happen in the last 10 minutes, better submit your application earlier. If you are unable to submit your application due to technical issue, it will be treated as late application.
**General Application Information**

- **A**
  - 10 – 19 March
  - Online application available on AIMS
  - Upload document proof on AIMS

- **B**
  - 5 – 12 May
  - Announcement of result via email
  - Pay confirmation fee to confirm offer

- **C**
  - 31 May
  - Deadline of preference indication on AIMS

- **D**
  - 4 August
  - Room Assignment announcement
General Application Information

Eligibility
All full-time students in government funded bachelor’s degree programmes

Allocation Criteria
- Score A (Commuting time/home size) or
- Score B (Leadership Qualities and Potential Contribution to Residence Life)

Target
Local Students (staying in the hall less than 120 days* cumulatively)

*according to the record on AIMS
General Application Information

Tentative Residential period: 24 August 2020 - 24 May 2021 (noon)

UG Hall Lodging Fee 2020/21

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Hall lodging fee of residential year 2020/2021 is payable in **two instalments** to cover the whole residential period. In general, the due date of the 1st instalment is in mid-October and the 2nd instalment is in mid-January.
02 Application Procedure
**Application Procedure**

**Step 1**
Fill Score A & Score B information

**Step 2**
Continue to fill in other parts of hall application

**Step 3**
Submit the application and upload proofs before deadline

Application Procedures after login AIMS
Score A - Based on the ranking of one’s **combined score** of “Home Environment and Commuting Time”

### Home Environment
- State the home size including kitchen and bathroom (in **sq.ft**)
- State the household members’ name and relationship with the applicant (e.g. Chan Siu Ming (myself), Chan Tai Man (father))

Note: Pets are NOT counted as household members

### Commuting Time
- Choose district of home address (Students are required to provide proof of their home address within the latest 3 months when/if necessary [i.e. 19 December 2019 to 19 March 2020])
- Information submitted should reflect your current situation during the application period

### Tips
- **fill sq.ft** (Square Feet)
- keep & upload home size proof
- keep & upload valid period of address proof of all family members
- do not input family members without address proof
- unable to provide proof / any false information → application Pending / disqualified
**Application Procedure**

Score B – a combined scores of “Leadership Qualities and Potential Contribution to Residence Life” (Validity Period: **September 2018 – June 2020**)

1 **Leadership Quality**
   To select the position with the highest score attained

2 **Academic Scholarship**
   1st-3rd prizes/Excellence/ Distinction/1st Honour in Overall Student of Year/Academic Performance Excluding: Subject prizes, Merits

3 **Special Achievements/ Awards**
   1st-3rd (Gold-Bronze) prizes/Excellence/Distinction directly related to Sports/Music/Arts in Inter-school/District/Regional Competitions Excluding: Personal Achievement e.g. ABRSM Exams, Merits/ Participation, Intra-school Competitions

4 **International Exchange Experience ≥ 28 days**

5 **Community Service organised by NGOs ≥ 10 hours**
   Excluding: one-off community service (< 10 hours) e.g. flag selling activity/blood donation/elderly visit, Student helper organised by schools/private companies

6 **Dean’s / Principal’s List**

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**Tips**

- make sure falling into validity period
- keep & upload certificate / documents
- unable to provide proof / any false information → application Pending / → disqualified

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*Put in WRONG category, NO mark*
Remember to click “Agree and Submit” after filling all information before application deadline.
After application submission

① You will receive an email of acknowledgement after submitting your application. You can check your application data through AIMS on the next working day.

② If you do not receive any acknowledgement via email AND cannot find your application data on AIMS, please contact SRO immediately.

③ SRO will make selection on the basis of the information stated in the application form. If there is any subsequent change of information, you can make the amendments on your application (by yourself) on AIMS by the application deadline.

④ Please double check the change of information on AIMS after you have amended the data.
Appeal, Vetting, Room Assignment
Appeal

• Appeal against one’s application results can only be made to SRO in writing, but will only be considered with new/additional supporting documents.

• Appeal Period: 5 - 12 May 2020
**Appeal, Vetting, Room Assignment**

**Vetting**

- Vetting will be conducted by SRO throughout the application processing and residential period.

- Hall Application is an **HONEST** system. Students are required to submit true, accurate and correct information in AIMS.

Note: **DO** keep all document proofs relating to your hall application.

- Should students fail to respond to SRO’s request for vetting, they could be considered as submitting inaccurate information and their status of student residence will be revoked and disqualified for their entire study period.

Note: All hall fees paid under this circumstance will **NOT** be refunded.

- **Serious misleading cases will be subject to further disciplinary actions, which may undermine students’ opportunities for award, scholarship, exchange or internship.**
Room Assignment

- Rule of thumb: All applicants will be assigned to double-room double-occupancy if no preference is indicated.

- Applicants' preferences on hall, room type and roommate will be considered as far as possible.

- There is no guarantee that one will be assigned to a particular hall, unit, room type, or with a specific roommate. Final room assignment is subject to room availability and hall admission policies.

- SRO and the Residence Masters reserve the right to make alternative assignment decisions or re-assign students when necessary.

- No room assignment will be made if applicants fail to confirm their hall offer.
Outbound Exchange Arrangement
If your status in AIMS is “On formal exchange programme”, you are NOT eligible for hall residence during this period. You should check out from the hall residence and no refund of remaining hall lodging fee.

If you wish to stay in Student Residence, **DO** submit hall application via AIMS to compete for a bedplace this round as hall application is administered once a year for current students.

If you successfully get a bedplace in 2020/21, you should follow the following instruction.
## Outbound Exchange Arrangement

### For students who go for Outbound Exchange in **Sem A**

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| **Confirmation Fee (non-refundable)** | ● Pay the confirmation fee before a specific deadline to secure a bedplace in 2020/21  
   ● Use for offsetting hall lodging fee of Sem B  
   ● Will not be refunded if giving up bedplace in Sem B |
| **Room Assignment of Sem A** | ● No room assignment on 4 August |
| **Withdrawal of Sem A exchange programme due to any reason** | ● Notify SRO before **4 August** with proof;  
   ● Will try to resume a Sem A bedplace subject to availability |
| **Return to CityU for Sem B bedplace** | ● SRO will contact you via email in **mid-October 2020** and you are required to follow the instruction in email to confirm your return |
| **Room Assignment of Sem B** | ● Only those students reply successfully before a specific deadline will receive room assignment in **mid-December 2020** |
| **Sem B Check-in** | ● Starting from 4 January 2021 |
### Outbound Exchange Arrangement

**For students who go for Outbound Exchange in Sem B**

#### If you get a bedplace in 2020/21, for

| Confirmation Fee (non-refundable) | ● Pay the confirmation fee before a specific deadline to secure a bedplace in 2020/21  
|                                 | ● Use for offsetting hall lodging fee of Sem A  
|                                 | ● Will not be refunded if giving up bedplace |
| Room Assignment of Sem A         | ● Receive room assignment on 4 August |
| Sem A Check-in                   | ● 24 - 26 August 2020 |
| Go for Sem B exchange            | ● Submit Application for Withdrawal from Student Residence (Sem B) by **7 November 2020** even though the offer has not been granted by the institution;  
|                                 | **Otherwise, you are liable for settling hall lodging fee of Sem B even you check out on or before 28 December 2020 noon.**  
|                                 | ● Check-out by 28 December 2020 noon (last day of Sem A) |
| Withdrawal of Sem B exchange programme due to any reason | ● Notify SRO by **21 December 2020** (1 week before last day of Sem A)  
|                                 | ● Your hall application will be re-considered by SRO, subject to the availability |
| Confirmation Fee (non-refundable) | ● Pay the confirmation fee before a specific deadline to secure a bedplace in 2020/21  
|                                 | ● Use for offsetting hall lodging fee of Sem A  
|                                 | ● Will not be refunded if giving up bedplace |
Final Reminder

Application Period
10 - 19 March 2020
(23:59 HKT)

Late Application will not be accepted!
Contact Us

Student Residence Office
Opening Hours
Monday to Friday: 9:00am - 1:00pm and 2:00pm - 5:30pm
Saturday, Sunday and Public Holiday: Closed

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