Student Property and Liability Insurance Program

For students living in residence.

Property and liability insurance is provided for all students while living in residence. This insurance will be included as part of your residence fees and will cover your personal belongings and protect you against loss or damage for which you may be liable while living in residence. For students who also maintain their own insurance throughout their residency, the coverage provided by this program is primary and any personal policy will sit in excess.

Coverage

The following insurance coverages are provided while living in residence:

$10,000

Contents Coverage

Each student will be provided with coverage to protect your personal belongings up to $10,000 — subject to a $500 deductible. The policy provides coverage for all risks of loss or damage subject to exclusions. Claims will be settled on a “replacement cost” basis (without deduction for depreciation).

$1,000,000

Personal Liability Coverage

If a student is found to be responsible for causing accidental damage to university property or another student’s property (for example, if a student accidentally started a fire in their room) or accidental bodily injury to another person, the policy will respond up to $1,000,000 to pay legal expenses and compensatory damages for which they are found to be legally liable.

$2,500

Additional Living Expenses

If as a consequence of an insured loss the student’s residence is unfit for occupancy, the policy will pay the increased expenses (up to $2,500) incurred by the student to obtain temporary housing. For example, if a student moves to a hotel for a few days while their room is being repaired, hotel costs including meals would be covered.

Under this program, the university purchases a master policy that provides insurance coverage for all students who are living in residence. Students will receive a policy in their name outlining the coverages provided under the program, and will be provided a website address where they can access the policy wording. Policies will be issued to students within 60 days of the start of the semester that the student first moves into residence.

If students move to a different approved residence then this insurance will follow them. The update to the insurer will be completed by the university though regular reporting. If students move out of residence for any reason then this insurance will immediately cease and will not follow them. Students will need to source their own insurance policy after leaving university residence. There will be no confirmation documentation sent to students confirming the insurance policy ceases to cover them.

1 Typical exclusions on a policy include wear and tear, some water damage, intentional or criminal acts. Please refer to the policy wording for a complete list of policy conditions and exclusions.

2 The university will initially work with any affected students to accommodate them elsewhere within university residences at no cost to the student. If there is no available space for the student to move to then a claim can be made for Additional Living Expenses.
Benefits to students

1. **Automatic coverage** — All students are automatically covered under this program as insurance is included as part of their residence fees.

2. **Peace of Mind** — Students will receive the following insurance coverage:
   - Contents $10,000 — “All Risks” coverage on a replacement cost basis — $500 deductible.
   - Additional Living Expenses $2,500.
   - Personal Liability $1,000,000.

3. **Additional Living Expenses** — In the event of a claim where a student has to move out of residence while damages are being repaired, additional living expenses up to $2,500 are covered under this program.

4. **Program Coverage is Primary** — Where a student is also covered by another policy such as their parents’ Homeowners policy, the coverage provided by this program is primary. In the event of a claim:
   - Coverage provided by any other policy would be secondary and would only be called upon to respond if the limits of coverage provided under this program were exhausted.

5. **$500 Deductible** — Most homeowners carry a $1,000 deductible or greater on their Homeowners policy. As a result, smaller claims are more likely to be covered under the program due to the lower deductible.

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