



RESIDENCE HALL

FIRE

SAFETY

CHECKLIST

- Make sure your room has working smoke detectors
- Know two ways to safely get out of your room and building
- Clean the dryer lint trap before AND after every use
- Ensure all candles are flameless candles. NOTE: You cannot have real candles in your residence hall
- Know and practice a fire escape plan
- Extension cords or multiple plug adapters/power strips in the residence halls must be surge-protected
- Ensure no cords are stapled to the walls or run under rugs. Keep cords out of high-traffic areas of your room
- Talk with your Resident Assistant (RA) and roommates to determine the safest place to meet outside in the event of a fire or fire evacuation
- Keep your room, exits, hallways, and stairs clear. In the event of a fire, you'll need to leave quickly!
- Leave quickly and do not spend time gathering all of your items when you hear a fire or smoke alarm in the building
- Keep watch for fire hazards - report fire hazards to your residence hall staff
- Encourage those around you to practice fire safety in the residence halls





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DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

CHECKLIST

- Create an emergency plan for yourself, including how you will communicate with friends and family during an emergency and where you would go if you had to evacuate campus
- Have a disaster supply kit that contains multiple days worth of non-perishable food and water, important personal documents, medications, a first aid kit, and anything else you may need in a disaster
- Know the location of storm shelters in every building you visit - Ask your RA where to shelter in your hall
- Keep a stocked first aid kit in your room
- Attend preparedness trainings hosted by UNT Emergency Management
- Have multiple means of receiving emergency information
 - Eagle Alert
 - City of Denton CodeRED
 - Denton County Alerts
 - NOAA Weather Radio
- When you hear the City of Denton outdoor warning sirens, go indoors and seek more information (KNTU 88.1 or the local news). NOTE: Sirens are tested on the first Wednesday of the month. If there is inclement weather, the test is postponed until the following Wednesday

Download the Mean Green Ready app to find emergency procedures, evacuation assembly areas, and severe weather shelter areas

Follow UNT Emergency Management (@MeanGreenReady) for the latest weather updates, campus preparedness tips, and safety information

