Residence hall rooms are designed to house students comfortably with a reasonable allowance for individual privacy. Rooms are furnished with beds, desks, chairs, drawer space, and closet space. These furnishings must remain in the room throughout the school year and may not be replaced or removed. Any additional furniture needed by a student (bookcases, extra desk, etc.) must be provided by the student and removed by the student at the end of the year.

All furniture must be used in a manner consistent with its intended use and may not be used or altered in a manner that presents a threat to the health and safety of the individual or the community.

Students supply their own cleaning supplies, wastebaskets, pillows, blankets, linens, mattress covers, hangers, towels, and wash cloths. Linens on the bed are required. Residents in Caddo Hall will need to provide their own shower curtains. However, as six students share a bathroom and only two shower curtains are needed, students/parents may wish to wait until move-in day to make this purchase.

Students wishing to bring area rugs should also bring vacuum cleaners, as vacuums are not provided.

Students may decorate their rooms according to their own good judgment providing that they:

1. make no structural alterations;
2. do not damage the facilities in any way;
3. use no nails and tape or other adhesives that will leave marks on the walls, floors, or ceilings; and
4. follow current fire and safety regulations.

Painting in/of the residence hall is prohibited.

For fire safety reasons, students may not hang curtains.

Students shall be held responsible for all damages to their rooms that cannot be attributed to normal wear and tear.

REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE CONCERNS

Students who need any repair in their rooms or want to report any damage to school facilities should e-mail maint@lsmsa.edu. Students should also inform their SLA when a report is filed.

Immediate concerns (such as an overflowing toilet or leaking air conditioner) should be reported to the SLA on duty as soon as they are noted.

Normal wear and tear damages will be repaired at no cost. However, the cost of repairing damaged or destroyed equipment or facilities, either intentional or accidental, will be charged to the person(s) responsible.