**SELF-GUIDED ROOMMATE AGREEMENTS**

Roommate agreements are a great tool to ensure you and your roommate(s) have the best year possible! We encourage you to use the questions below to guide your conversation. Your RA is also available to help you prepare for or to facilitate your agreement, as needed.

### 1. COMMUNICATION & CONFLICT

- How do you like to receive feedback?
- What form of communication will we utilize to provide this feedback?
- What are your pet peeves?
- How will we manage conflict? When do we contact the RA?
- How will I know you're upset?

### 2. PROPERTY

- When can others use your property? Should they ask permission first?
- Will we allow alcohol in the room?
  - If under 21: Possession or consumption of alcohol is a policy violation.

### 3. GUESTS

- When can guests come over? How long can they stay?
- Can guests use your property? Can guests sleep in your bed?
- Can guests be in the room alone?
- Does a guest's gender change your answers to these questions? If so, how?

Maximum: Guests may stay overnight three days in a seven day period.

### 4. SLEEPING

- When do you like to go to bed? On the weekends? On weekdays?
- Do you like to nap? When?
- In what conditions do you sleep best?
- Do you plan to be social on the weekends? How will this impact our room?

### 5. CLEANLINESS

- What does "clean" mean to you?
- How will we keep the shared spaces clean?
  - If applicable, the bathroom?
- Who will take the trash out? When?
- How will we divide up space in our room?
- Do you have any allergies?

### 6. BELIEFS & INCLUSIVITY

- What religious, social, or political beliefs are important to you?
- What will we do if I say something that offends you? If you say something that offends me?