

In addition to the Carleton Community Covenant, the following policies have been put in place to further clarify the expectations in the Residential spaces.

Failure to clean up after oneself in a residential public space

In order to abide by the College's Community Covenant, it is expected that, following use of a residential public space, all personal items should be removed and the student who used the space is responsible for cleaning the space with the provided supplies. For the purpose of this policy, public spaces are defined as bathrooms, kitchens, lounges, laundry rooms, and study rooms in residence halls. Regarding kitchens specifically, food will only be allowed in fridges and must be labeled with a name and date. Fridges will be regularly cleared of any unlabeled food. Food, cooking utensils, and dishware cannot be kept in kitchen cupboards or on countertops and must be kept in private student rooms. Failure to abide by this policy will be seen as an act of noncompliance with the community covenant.

Facilitating Unauthorized Student Residential Access

Residents of a building should not let anyone into that building other than their personal authorized guests. Students who are authorized guests should wait outside or in the entryway until they are let in by their host. Hosts are responsible for their guests for the duration of their visit and should be with authorized guests during that time. This policy applies in all residential buildings including residence halls, houses, and townhouses. Failure to abide by this policy will be seen as an act of noncompliance with the community covenant. Authorized guests refers to those authorized to work or take classes on campus this term. Guests from outside the Carleton campus community or not authorized to work or take classes on campus this term are not permitted to enter any campus building.

Authorized Guest Policy for Residential Private Spaces

Private spaces: All rooms and suites in residence halls as well as bedrooms in houses and townhouses

Occupants/occupancy: Refers to the students assigned to live in a space

Capacity: refers to the total number of people allowed in a space

In order to abide by the College's expectations for COVID safety, capacity for private spaces will be set for double a room's occupancy unless doubling a room's occupancy would exceed the ten person limit outlined in the community covenant. This means that a standard double has a capacity limit of four and a triple a capacity of six. In private spaces where total occupancy is five or greater the capacity limit for a private space will be ten people. Whenever there are students in a private space who are not occupants everyone in the space must wear a mask and be able to spread out at least 6 feet from one another. Failure to abide by this policy will be seen as an act of noncompliance with the community covenant. Authorized guests refers to those authorized to work or take classes on campus this term. Guests from outside the Carleton campus community or not authorized to work or take classes on campus this term are not permitted to enter any campus building.

Authorized Guest Policy for Residential Public Spaces

Public spaces: bathrooms, kitchens, lounges, laundry rooms, and study rooms in residence halls, houses, and townhouses

Capacity: refers to the total number of people allowed in a space.

All public spaces will have a posted capacity limit to which students must adhere. If a capacity limit is not posted, capacity is limited to the number of people who can safely maintain six foot social distancing within the space.

- In residence halls all residential public spaces are considered public indoor spaces.

 Masking and distancing expectations as outlined in the Carleton Community Covenant should be followed in these spaces.
- In Houses and Townhouses all residential public spaces are viewed as private spaces. Whenever there are students in a private space who are not assigned to live there, all people in the space must wear a mask and maintain social distancing standards.

When only students assigned to live in a residential public space within a house or townhouse are present, masking is not required. Failure to abide by this policy will be seen as an act of noncompliance with the Carleton Community Community Covenant

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