

## APPLYING FOR HOUSING

The University's Campus Housing Office processes housing applications, assigns residence hall rooms and undergraduate apartments, and notifies students of assignments.

It is important to note that applying for admission to the University and applying for University housing are **two separate processes**. Acceptance for one does not guarantee acceptance for the other. Also, applying for housing does not guarantee that you will be assigned housing. Usually, beginning freshmen who apply for housing **prior to May 1** can be reasonably sure that housing will be available when they enter school the following fall.

Many students are disappointed when they do not obtain a University housing assignment due to late submission of the housing application. **It is recommended that students apply for a housing assignment as soon as they are accepted to UK.**

## RESIDENCE HALLS

The University of Kentucky has 16 traditional residence halls and four premium residence halls designed as semi-suites, providing single and double occupancy rooms for 5,200 students, about one-fourth of the student population.

The residential setting at UK is intended to contribute to a student's education by providing a living/learning environment. There are several living/learning communities within undergraduate housing. For more information about each living-learning community, visit the Student Affairs Web site at: [www.uky.edu/StudentAffairs/ResidenceLife/LivingLearning.html](http://www.uky.edu/StudentAffairs/ResidenceLife/LivingLearning.html).

UK's residence halls are the foundation upon which a solid college experience is built. Many current students believe that living in a residence hall is the best way to make friends, meet new people, and become involved in campus life. Studies indicate that overall, students who live on campus tend to have higher grade-point averages than students living off campus.

UK's residence halls are staffed with professionally trained personnel, including resident advisors who live on each floor. The hall director and resident advisors assist in planning a variety of programs and in developing hall governments. Residents are encouraged to participate both within the hall and in the campus community.

All on-campus undergraduate residents are represented by the Resident Student Association, a group whose goal is to improve residence hall life by planning and directing social, educational and recreational programs, and by providing a unified voice for residents. The Resident Student Association is a member of the National Association of College and University Residence Halls (NACURAH, INC.), enabling interested residents to attend regional and national leadership conferences.

### Room Assignments

Room assignments are determined by the date the completed housing application, deposit and housing contract are **all** received in the Campus Housing Office.

If housing demand exceeds capacity, the University **may** offer **limited, temporary** living arrangements until a permanent room assignment can be made. Each year, a number of housing recipients do not come to school, or come but do not stay, creating vacancies.

### Roommates

Students may request roommates of the same gender on the housing application. Two students who wish to share a room must indicate each other as the preferred roommate, request the same residence halls, and submit applications at the same time.

## RESIDENCE HALLS AND UNDERGRADUATE APARTMENTS

UK's residence halls have many attractive features. Housing rates include utilities, cable television, computer network connection and furniture. All residence halls are staffed by hall directors and resident advisors. Each front desk has a staff member monitoring the lobby area 24/7. Closed-circuit television systems are placed in many areas of the halls. Residence halls provide convenient access to laundry facilities, game and television rooms, vending machines, lounges, and study rooms. Dining facilities are close to all areas of campus. **Smoking is not allowed in Undergraduate Housing.** UK Housing policies and procedures apply to all residents who sign a contract and live in one of the residence halls or Greek facilities managed by the University.

UK's campus covers many acres. Students and faculty refer to the three major areas of campus as "north neighborhood," "central neighborhood" and "south neighborhood." UK's residence halls are located in all three areas.

Students should read about each hall and learn about the facilities and the various living-learning communities available.

### North Neighborhood

The north neighborhood consists of five residence halls: Holmes, Keeneland, Patterson, Blazer, and North Hall. North neighborhood includes a dining facility and a convenience store within Blazer Hall. North neighborhood halls are close to many classrooms, Memorial Coliseum, Rupp Arena, downtown and many eclectic shops and restaurants.

### Central Neighborhood

Donovan Hall and Haggin Hall are single-gender halls and make up the central neighborhood. These halls are considered centrally located because they are close to many classroom buildings, as well as the William T. Young Library and UK Hospital. The Underground Fitness Center is located in the lower level of Donovan Hall.

### South Neighborhood

The south neighborhood is comprised of the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, plus three premium residence halls – Baldwin, Smith, and Ingels. These communities are located near the William T. Young Library, the E.J. Nutter Field House and Training Facility, the Hilary J. Boone Tennis Center, Lancaster Aquatic Center, Cliff Hagan Stadium, Bernard Johnson Student Recreation Center, and Commonwealth Stadium.

### Women's Residence Halls

**Blazer Hall**, located in the north campus neighborhood, is home to 186 women. This air-conditioned residence hall has a dining facility and convenience store located on the first floor. The visitation policy is 24-weekend.

**Donovan Hall**, located in the central campus neighborhood, houses 338 women. The hall is carpeted and the bunk beds can be converted to twin beds. In addition, the furniture may be rearranged. Donovan is home to the Underground Fitness Center. The visitation policy is 24-weekend.

**Men's Residence Halls**

**Haggin Hall**, which houses 556 men, is located in the central campus neighborhood. Two dining facilities are located near Haggin: K-Lair Grill and OVID's, located in the William T. Young Library. Haggin has a central lounge and recreation room and is completely air-conditioned and carpeted. This facility has a large study room. Haggin is also next door to the Underground Fitness Center. The visitation policy is 24-weekend.

**Kirwan I**, part of the Kirwan-Blanding Complex in the south campus neighborhood, houses 167 men, is air-conditioned, and is fully carpeted. Guests of the opposite gender have standard visitation.

**Co-Ed Residence Halls**

In co-ed residence halls, men and women are assigned to separate floors in each hall and do not share common bathroom facilities. In the premium residence halls and Keeneland Hall, men and women are assigned to separate wings, and each pair of rooms shares a bathroom in a suite-style arrangement. Students are encouraged to consult with their parents prior to making their application for any residence hall.

**Blanding Tower** and **Kirwan Tower** are part of the Kirwan-Blanding Complex in the south campus neighborhood. The two towers are air-conditioned and carpeted and house 610 students each. Kirwan Tower is also home to the EXPLORE Community which serves students who are undecided and undeclared in their major. This community presents opportunities for students to be connected to resources across campus which may help them in their decision. The visitation policy for both towers is 24-weekend.

**Blanding I**, a three-story hall in the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, south campus neighborhood, is home to 167 co-ed students. It has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Blanding II**, a three-story hall in the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, south campus neighborhood, is home to 167 co-ed students. Blanding II has a 24-7 visitation policy.

**Blanding III**, located in the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, south campus neighborhood, is home to 164 residents and has a 24-7 visitation policy.

**Blanding IV**, a three-story hall in the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, south campus neighborhood, is home to 167 co-ed students. It has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Holmes Hall**, a four-story building in the north campus neighborhood, houses 304 students. A vending area, laundry room and study area are located on the ground floor. Rooms are carpeted and contain sinks. Holmes has all new furniture. Holmes is home to the new GREEN (Get real environmental experience now) Community. The visitation policy is 24-weekend.

**Keeneland Hall**, located in the north campus neighborhood, houses 306 students and has rooms arranged as semi-suites (double rooms connected by a full bath). The hall also has a formal reception area and corridor study rooms. Keeneland has a 24-7 visitation policy. Keeneland is home to the Civic Engagement Community. This community is offered to incoming first-year students who are interested in community service and leadership.

**Kirwan II** is UK's Wellness Hall. It is equipped with a weight room and offers special programming for students who are especially health conscious. Kirwan II has a 24-7 visitation policy. It is home to 165 residents.

**Kirwan III** offers the Multicultural Affairs Science Cohort Community. Students enrolled as a cohort in Chemistry 105 in the fall semester and Chemistry 107 in the spring semester participate in structured tutoring and study groups conducted in the residence hall. Participants meet regularly

**RESIDENCE HALL CHARACTERISTICS CHART** (Residence Halls are divided by their gender and COED status.)

	BLAZER HALL	DONOVAN HALL	HAGGIN HALL	KIRWAN I	HOLMES HALL	BLANDING TOWER	BLANDING I	BLANDING II	BLANDING III	BLANDING IV	KEENELAND HALL	KIRWAN TOWER	KIRWAN II	KIRWAN III	KIRWAN IV	PATTERSON HALL	NORTH HALL	SMITH HALL	BALDWIN HALL	INGELS HALL	GREG PAGEANTS	
Mark your TOP 5 halls ("1" = first choice)→																						
North Campus	●			●						●					●	●						
South Campus			●		●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●			●	●	●	●		
Central Campus		●	●																			
Carpeted	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Wash Basins (Sink)				●												●	●	●	●			
Air-Conditioned	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Hall Capacity	186	338	556	167	304	610	167	167	164	167	306	610	165	167	167	136	144	174	174	171	358	
Number of Floors	3	4	4	3	4	23	3	3	3	3	4	23	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	2	
Smoke Free	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Living-Learning Community				●			●	●		●	●	●	●		●	●			●			
Visitation Policy	24W	24W	24W	L	24W	24W	24W	24/7	24/7	24/W	24/7	24W	24/7	24W	24/7	24W	24W	24W	24W	24W	24/7	
12-Month Option																●	●				●	
9-Month Halls																●	●				●	
Fire Sprinklers	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
	FEMALE			MALE			CO-ED															

VISITATION: L = Limited Hours | 24W = 24 hours weekends only | 24/7 = 24 hours, 7 days per week

## Living Accommodations

with special guests to explore real-world chemistry and the role of science in daily life, and engage in fun, hands-on activities to enhance their classroom experience. Kirwan III has a 24-7 visitation policy and is home to 167 students.

**Kirwan IV**, a three-story hall in the Kirwan-Blanding Complex, south campus neighborhood, is home to 167 co-ed students. It has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Patterson Hall**, affiliated with the Honors Program Community, is located in the north campus neighborhood. Patterson is the oldest residence hall on campus. Patterson has been renovated, has all new furniture and is air-conditioned. Patterson is home to 136 residents and has a 24-7 visitation policy.

**North Hall**, located on the corner of Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard and Euclid Avenue in the north campus neighborhood, is home to the Arts Community. Arts Community participants will usually be in a related academic major. The program provides speakers and performers from the community and also encourages students to participate in community outings to local arts performances. In addition, students may take advantage of regular cabaret and open-mike events in the hall's common area. Practice rooms and studio spaces for music and art students are also available.

North Hall is a nine-month hall that is open during academic breaks. In addition, students have the opportunity to sign a 12-month option. North Hall is home to 144 students. It has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Baldwin Hall**, located behind Kirwan III on south campus, is home to 174 co-ed residents. Women and men are assigned to rooms on alternating wings. Each of the premium halls on campus has classrooms and disability-accessible rooms throughout. The spacious, semi-suite style bedrooms have a sink in each room, interchangeable furniture, and a full bathroom between each room. Baldwin Hall has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Ingels Hall**, located behind Kirwan IV on south campus, is home to the New Economy Incubator Community. Students that are technological innovators and/or entrepreneurial-savvy will be drawn to this hall. Residents will explore how ideas come to the marketplace with UK faculty and regional leaders in this new economy community. This living-learning community also includes specialized programming for a cluster of female engineering students living in the Women in Engineering Wing. **For more information about Women in Engineering, contact [livelrn@email.uky.edu](mailto:livelrn@email.uky.edu).** Students from the general population may want to choose this hall for its semi-suite style bedrooms where two students in each room share a full bathroom between each room. The furniture in these rooms is interchangeable. The visitation policy is 24-weekend.

**Smith Hall**, located directly behind Kirwan II on south campus, is a nine-month hall open during academic recesses. Smith Hall is home to the Global Village Community. The Global Village is a living-learning community designed to build cross-cultural friendship and understanding. This community is made up of students from the U.S. and many other countries. Students live together and share cultural perspectives from around the world through the experiences of daily life and specialized programs. First-year students enroll in courses that have an international focus. Smith Hall houses 174 co-ed residents. It features two main entrances that open into a spacious lobby. There are balconies and classrooms in each of the premium campus halls and each hall offers semi-suite style, two double-occupancy rooms joined by a bathroom. Disability-accessible rooms are available throughout all the premium halls on campus. The furniture in all the premium halls is interchangeable. Smith Hall has a 24-weekend visitation policy.

**Max Kade German House** is a small community of students living together in a house on Maxwell Street. Students become immersed in German language and culture. Students who wish to live at Kade German House must specifically apply through the German Department. For more information, contact Professor Ted Fiedler at [tfiedler@uky.edu](mailto:tfiedler@uky.edu); or Azhar Swanson at (859) 257-3761.

## Office of Residence Life

The mission of the Office of Residence Life is to provide a residential living and learning experience that engages and supports students. We accomplish this in each of the facilities we manage by:

- promoting a safe and secure environment,
- creating and maintaining an effective learning environment with on-going educational programs and opportunities,
- promoting individual growth and a sense of belonging through the creation of inclusive communities, and
- providing a connection with UK and the larger community.

The Office of Residence Life hires and supervises the staff that live and work in the facilities, including hall directors, house directors, resident advisors, office assistants and desk clerks. Each of these staff members receives extensive training in the management of undergraduate housing facilities and can be a valuable resource in meeting any need that a student might have.

## RATES

The cost for living in University Housing is listed in the *Fees* section of this Bulletin, page 23.

### Rate Changes

**Rates are subject to change at any time before the beginning of the academic year, upon action by the Board of Trustees.** Rates are normally established in May for the succeeding academic year.

### Housing Deposit

The housing deposit of \$50 and rental agreement must accompany the housing application. The deposit, as well as subsequent payments, must be made by mail to:

**Office of Student Billing Services  
18 Funkhouser Building  
University of Kentucky  
Lexington, KY 40506-0054**

Students requesting a receipt should include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

### Cancellations and Refunds

Applicants must cancel the housing application in person, by fax, by letter, or by e-mail to the University Housing Assignment Office. Students who choose to cancel their Housing and Dining application will be charged:

- \$0 for cancelling prior to May 1
- \$50 for cancelling by June 1
- 20 percent of fall housing charges for cancelling by July 1
- 25 percent of fall housing charges for cancelling by August 1
- 50 percent of fall housing charges plus daily prorated usage for cancelling by September 1 – this includes students who apply for housing and never move in
- Full housing charges for cancelling after September 1

### After the Semester Begins

If a student withdraws from the University during the semester, the student is charged the daily rate for the time which they were in the residence hall. Students are also charged the weekly rate for the dining plan which they are on or actual usage of that plan, whichever is greater.

### Between Semesters

There is no penalty for withdrawing from the University between terms. The student is released from their Housing Rental Agreement because they are no longer eligible to live in Undergraduate Housing. Students are charged the daily rate for the room assignment and dining plan which they are in until they have withdrawn from all classes and properly checked out of Campus Housing.

### Liquidating (offered for Spring Semester ONLY)

The Rental Agreement is for the entire academic year, fall and spring semesters. Students who remain enrolled and wish to leave Campus Housing between semesters may choose to liquidate their rental agreement for a significant financial penalty. Details of the Liquidation Policy are available online at: [www.uky.edu/Housing](http://www.uky.edu/Housing).

For more information about Campus Housing, contact:

**Campus Housing**  
125 Funkhouser Building  
University of Kentucky  
Lexington, KY 40506-0054  
(859) 257-1866  
e-mail: [ukhousing@lsv.uky.edu](mailto:ukhousing@lsv.uky.edu)  
[www.uky.edu/Housing/](http://www.uky.edu/Housing/)

For general questions about the learning communities or the Office of Residence Life, contact:

**Office of Residence Life**  
537 Patterson Office Tower  
University of Kentucky  
Lexington, KY 40506-0027  
(859) 257-4784  
e-mail: [residencelife@lsv.uky.edu](mailto:residencelife@lsv.uky.edu)  
[www.uky.edu/StudentAffairs/ResidenceLife/livingLearning.html](http://www.uky.edu/StudentAffairs/ResidenceLife/livingLearning.html)

For information about a particular learning community, e-mail: [livelrn@email.uky.edu](mailto:livelrn@email.uky.edu).

## GRADUATE AND FAMILY HOUSING

The University has apartment housing available to single graduate students at Shawneetown, Commonwealth Village, and 468 Rose Lane. Undergraduate international students assigned by the UK Office of International Affairs have efficiency apartments available at 404 Linden Walk.

Apartments for students that are married or have families are available at Shawneetown and Greg Page Stadium View.

For further information on graduate and family housing, contact:

**Graduate and Family Housing**  
700 Woodland Avenue  
Lexington, KY 40508-0132  
fax: (859) 323-1900  
e-mail: [ukapthousing@lsv.uky.edu](mailto:ukapthousing@lsv.uky.edu)  
(859) 257-3721  
[www.uky.edu/Housing/](http://www.uky.edu/Housing/)

## DINING SERVICES

University of Kentucky Dining Services offers a variety of dining plans to fit your lifestyle with easy access to a variety of food options that are easy on your budget. Your dining plan lets you eat what, when, and where you want. Our facilities are conveniently located all across campus so it's easy to join your friends for coffee, a meal, or a late evening snack. Convenience, food, and value – all for you.

### Dining Plans 101

Each dining plan has two components: **meals** and **flex dollars**.

#### Meals

Choose from weekly or block plan.

**Weekly meals** can be purchased for a specific number of meals each week during a semester. If you have a weekly dining plan –

- unused meals cannot be refunded, accumulated or carried over to the next week
- your weekly meal allowance begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday.

**Block meals** can be purchased for a specific number of meals each semester. If you have a block dining plan –

- unused meals cannot be refunded or carried over at the end of the semester
- plan is based on eight meals per week but you determine how many meals you want to use.

**Both plans include** –

- One meal is deducted from your meal total each time you purchase a meal through one of our participating Dining Services locations.
- Use your meals to enjoy all-you-care-to-eat at Commons Market and Blazer Café or build your own “Combo Meal” at K-Lair Grill and Ovid’s Café by choosing an entrée, adding side(s), and a drink.

#### Flex Dollars

Flex Dollars work like a debit card using your WildCard Student ID and can be used in all 21 Dining Services locations including:

- All-you-care-to-eat buffets at Commons Market and Blazer Café.
- National franchises: Starbucks®, Subway®, Chick-fil-A®, and Sbarro®.
- Dining locations in academic buildings including Erikson, Gattton, Ag North, Bluegrass Community and Technical College (BCTC), and Patterson Office Tower.
- Locations close to residence halls including Ovid’s Café, the Student Center Food Court, and K-Lair Grill.
- Three convenience stores: Blazer Xpress (Blazer Hall), The Corner Store (Commons Market), and Quick Stop (Student Center).

Flex Dollar purchases are subtracted from your account. Adding money to your Flex Account is easy at the Dining/Plus Accounts Office in 101 Student Center. Dining Services will contribute an additional ten percent to the account when the Plan is initiated and each time a minimum deposit of \$25 or more is made during the semester. Users may transfer \$100 in Flex Dollars from the fall to spring semesters; however, unused Flex Dollars at the end of the spring semester are non-refundable.

#### How to Sign Up

All Dining Plans are one year contracts for the fall and spring semester of the academic year. For terms and conditions, frequently asked questions, and to view a copy of the Dining Plan Contract, see the Dining Services Web site at: [www.uky.edu/DiningServices](http://www.uky.edu/DiningServices).

#### Students

Students living in a residence hall are automatically enrolled in the **Minimum Plan** for the 2009-2010 academic year as part of the housing contract.

Choices for the dining plans include:

- **Minimum Plan** – 5 meals per week, \$300 Flex Dollars
- **Wildcat Plan** – 130 meal block, \$300 Flex Dollars
- **White Plan** – 10 meals per week, \$300 Flex Dollars
- **Comfort Plan** – 21 meals per week, \$300 Flex Dollars

#### Big Blue Community Plan

UK Dining Services also allows everyone who is part of the campus community but doesn't live in the residence halls (commuters, faculty/staff, administrators, upperclassmen, students in apartments or townhomes, Greeks, and Cooperstown/Shawneetown/Greg Page residents, etc.) the opportunity to save money with the Big Blue Community Plan.

The Big Blue Community Plan is a flex dollar only plan that works like a debit card with meal costs being deducted for each purchase. The Plan requires a \$100 initial deposit and Dining Services will contribute an additional ten percent to the account when the Plan is initiated and each time a minimum deposit of \$25 or more is made during the semester. Users may transfer \$100 from the fall to spring semesters; however, unused dollars at the end of the spring semester are non-refundable.

Community members also have the option of purchasing a Minimum, Wildcat, White or Comfort Plan. If a plan is purchased after the beginning of the semester, the cost will be pro-rated based on the type of plan selected.

### Changing Your Dining Plan

Upgrades are available anytime during each semester (fall or spring). The charge for an upgrade will be due the following month.

Downgrades may only be made until **September 15** for the Fall 2009 semester and **February 2** for the Spring 2010 semester. Following a downgrade, credit will be issued to the billing account. If the billing account is paid in full, a refund check will be issued.

Dining plan modifications during the semester will take effect beginning the Sunday **after** you make the change, as meals are counted during the calendar week, Sunday through Saturday. Additional charges or credits will be pro-rated based on the type of changes requested.

### Dining 4-1-1

UK Dining Services offers a variety of special services for students including:

- menu items for dietary and allergenic needs
- meals provided for pick-up and delivery to you when you're sick
- free food events
- themed showcase dinners
- international foods
- games and activities
- delivery services
- and much more

You will always find a variety of food on campus. We are open even when the university is closed.

Visit [www.uky.edu/DiningServices](http://www.uky.edu/DiningServices) for information on:

- dining plan pricing
- menus
- hours of operation
- current dining locations information
- dining plan contract
- frequently asked questions
- terms and conditions
- See Blue, Save Green

### Questions / Need More Information?

Call the Dining Services Administrative Office at (859) 257-6161, or e-mail: [ContactUKDining@lsv.uky.edu](mailto:ContactUKDining@lsv.uky.edu).

UK Dining Services is proud to purchase vegetables, fruits, meats, and milk from local and state farmers as part of our commitment to providing healthy and well balanced meals.

Saving you money and saving the planet for future generations is the goal of our See Blue, Save Green campaign. Visit our locations for special value menus and discounts that save money. Eating on campus helps protect the environment through recycling, using earth friendly products, and promoting awareness of "green" practices.

## STUDENT PARKING AND CAMPUS BUS SERVICE

Students can access information on topics related to parking, permit application, motorist assistance, bicycle parking, bus schedules, and review our FAQ's on the Web at: [www.uky.edu/Parking](http://www.uky.edu/Parking). Students can also subscribe to *Parking E-News* on this Web site to receive up-to-date parking and transportation news and information via e-mail. For questions or for information not found on the Web site, call Parking Services at (859) 257-5757 or (800) 441-0555; or call Transportation Services at (859) 257-7202.

### Parking

When parking on campus, students should purchase and properly display a University of Kentucky parking permit. Application information is available online at: [www.uky.edu/Parking](http://www.uky.edu/Parking). The temporary convenience of illegal parking is rarely worth the hassle and expense of paying fines and/or vehicle impoundment. All **R** and **C** student lots require a valid permit by the Monday before classes begin on Wednesday. Bus service is provided from the **K** lots to Central Campus. Permit control signs at the entrance to each parking lot display the hours when the lot is controlled for permits. Reserved spaces within these lots are controlled for valid permits during the hours indicated on the signs. Reserved parking includes spaces for residence hall directors and people with disabilities.

### Renewing Permits

Students holding permits from the 2008-2009 academic year, and who qualify for the same category of permit, may renew permits May 1 through May 31. Other eligible students may apply for permits for the 2009-2010 academic year from June 1 through July 31, or until the supply of permits is exhausted. Any student who cannot obtain a **C** or **R** permit may obtain a **K** permit valid at Commonwealth Stadium. Freshmen and sophomores who commute are only eligible for **K** permits, while those who live on campus may apply for a **K** permit if the desired **R** permit is sold out. After August 1, applications for **K** permits will be accepted only online or via mail, until August 31, 2009. Permits purchased after August 31, 2009 must be purchased at the Parking Services office, located in Parking Structure #6, at the intersection of Press and Virginia Avenues.

### Parking for Students with Disabilities

Parking privileges will be granted to qualified students upon completion, acceptance, and approval of an application. The Disability Resource Center, Room 2, Alumni Gym, (859) 257-2754, will assist students with disabilities with the application process. Office hours are 8 A.M. to 5 P.M., Monday through Friday.

### Football Game Day Parking

Vehicles parked at Commonwealth Stadium or on University Drive must be removed from the area before 9 A.M. on days of home football games. This includes the **K** areas, the **E** areas in the Red and Blue lots, and the **C6** lot, as well as the **K/E** lot next to Greg Page and the spaces along University Drive. Failure to move any vehicle from the Stadium parking lots or University Drive could result in a citation and impoundment at the owner's expense. All vehicles may be moved to any **E** lot (except **C2/E** lot, Parking Structure #1, Parking Structure #7 and University Drive) after 3:30 P.M. on Friday, and should be returned to Commonwealth Stadium by 5 A.M. on Monday. **Vehicles may not be moved to R lots on football game weekends.**

### Guest Parking

Family and friends visiting campus during the week may pay to park in Parking Structure #7 (near Kirwan-Blanding), in Parking Structure #5 (next to Kennedy Book Store), or at pay parking meters. Guests may also stop by Parking Services, located in Parking Structure #6 (721 Press Avenue), at the corner of Press and Virginia Avenues to obtain a temporary parking pass. After hours and on weekends, visitors can park in lots not controlled for permits. A permit control sign at the entrance to each parking lot displays the hours when the lot is being controlled for permits.

### Short-Term Parking

Parking meters are available to allow temporary parking for visitors, employees and students. Parking meters are located near the UK Bookstore, Funkhouser Building, Seaton Center and behind Memorial Coliseum. UK parking meters have time limits of either 45 minutes or three hours displayed on the meter post and on the tag inside the meter. The intent of 45-minute meters is to provide short-term parking; they are not intended for students attending class. In addition, certain meters are reserved for specific uses. These meters are identified by signs attached to the meter posts or posted at the entrance to the parking lot.

### Avoiding Parking Citations and Keeping Vehicles Safe

- be sure to read and understand the information provided with the permit;
- do not park in fire lanes (red curbs), service areas (yellow and white stripes), loading zones (black and yellow stripes), or reserved spaces;
- do not share the permit with anyone else;
- report lost or stolen permits promptly to Parking and Transportation Services;
- do not assume that because other cars are parked illegally you may do so;
- do not park in violation, (e.g., yellow lines and fire lanes) with hazard lights flashing;
- do not leave notes in vehicles for parking control officers;
- keep vehicles locked at all times.

### AlterNetRides

AlterNetRides, an online ride sharing service, connects UK faculty, staff, students, and guests who wish to coordinate carpools, and, in the process, save gas and money and decrease their impact on the environment. The service can be used to find rides on a daily basis, a one-time ride or anything in between.

Users are able to search for those with similar transportation needs by time of day, frequency, and location. By communicating through the AlterNetRides Web site, personal information such as e-mail address and phone number remain confidential unless the user chooses to share them with another rider.

For more information, visit: [www.uky.edu/parking/transportation-ridematch.html](http://www.uky.edu/parking/transportation-ridematch.html).

### Campus Bus Service

Students do not pay a fare when riding the LexTran campus buses and the Campus Area Transit System (CATS) shuttle buses. (There is a fare for LexTran service off campus). Support for these bus services comes from parking permit fees. LexTran and CATS buses are all equipped with a wheelchair lift.

All commuter students and students living on campus may ride the LexTran campus buses to and from central campus, residence halls, and Commonwealth Stadium between 7 A.M. and 6:15 P.M., Monday through Friday, during the fall and spring semesters. LexTran bus service begins on Wednesday at the start of classes in August and January, and operates on weekdays when UK is in official session. The LexTran campus buses make approximately 120 trips each day to and from Commonwealth Stadium and central campus. LexTran buses run about five minutes apart during peak hours for classes, and about ten minutes apart during off-peak hours.

The University supplements the bus service by providing additional daytime and night shuttle buses to areas of campus not served by LexTran. The daytime CATS service operates three bus routes on Monday through

Friday when UK is in official session. One CATS bus runs on a limited route when class is not in session but the university is open. The night service operates on a fixed route on Monday through Thursday between 4:30 P.M. and 11 P.M. during fall and spring semesters. In addition, the night service operates on demand for students who need transportation around campus, such as between Commonwealth Stadium and the residence halls. Students may telephone the driver directly at (859) 221-RIDE (7433) to make pick-up requests. The bus driver will make every effort to accommodate reasonable requests. Calls must be received at least 30 minutes prior to the end of on-demand service. The schedule for on-demand service is:

Sunday	7 P.M. – 11:30 P.M.
Monday-Thursday	11 P.M. – 5 A.M.

Due to the high volume of riders on the weekends, Parking and Transportation Services has established the Green Route, an after-hours route to serve the campus community on Friday and Saturday nights. The fixed 30 minute loop will run between 7 P.M. and 3 A.M. during fall and spring semesters.

In addition to the Web site, you will find route and schedule information displayed at the major bus stops, or by visiting Parking Structure #5, located next to Kennedy Book Store, or Parking Services, located at 721 Press Avenue (at the corner of Press and Virginia Avenues).

### Lexington Bus Service

Students who live off campus may find riding a LexTran city bus to and from campus is more convenient and less expensive than parking on campus. LexTran offers the Class Pass, a student pass providing unlimited LexTran rides throughout the city. Class Passes are \$75 for the school year or \$50 per semester (prices subject to change). For the convenience of students, Class Passes are available for sale at each of the Parking and Transportation Services offices. For more information on the Class Pass, LexTran routes and schedules, visit LexTran's Web site at: [www.lextranonthemove.org](http://www.lextranonthemove.org) or call (859) 255-7756.

### TaxiCats

In an effort to provide low-cost taxi service to UK students, Parking and Transportation Services and All American Taxi have entered into an agreement to revitalize the TaxiCats program.

TaxiCats allows UK students with valid student IDs to ride within the boundaries of Chevy Chase, Broadway, Greg Page Apartments and Main Street for just \$2 per person per ride. Additionally, All American Taxi will provide a 10 percent discount on taxi service outside the boundaries to UK students with valid student IDs. The discounted services are available year-round. All American Taxi (859-381-TAXI) accepts UK Plus accounts, and has an average wait time of 15 to 20 minutes.

### Bicycle Parking and Registration

The University of Kentucky recognizes the bicycle as a vehicle and encourages bicycling as a mode of transportation. In an effort to provide the campus community with a safe, secure, and efficient cycling environment, the University requires that all bikes used on campus be registered, and that bicyclists observe established regulations for operating and parking bicycles on campus. Visit [www.uky.edu/Parking](http://www.uky.edu/Parking) for more information.

Bike racks are located in front of most residence halls and classroom buildings, totaling nearly 2,500 bicycle spaces on campus. Bicycle racks should be used at all times; do not chain bikes to benches, trees, handrails or telephone poles. As with cars, bikes can be impounded if they are parked in violation.

All LexTran and some CATS buses are equipped with bicycle racks for your convenience.