

Salem Academy

We would like to suggest that you bring the following items with you:

- **Lamp**
- **Fan**
- **Alarm Clock**
- **Pillow**
- **Towels**
- **Blanket**
- **Mattress Pad** (36"x72" twin)
- **Sheets and pillowcases** (twin size)
- **Laundry basket or bag**
- **Bedsread**
- **Clothing:** casual, dressy, athletic, and swim attire. All students are required to bring tennis shoes.

Optional Items

- Small refrigerator
- Computer and printer

- During the first week of class you will purchase your uniform from the athletic department for approximately \$20.

Boxes marked plainly with the name of the student may be sent in advance. It is requested that each student add only a minimum of extra furnishings to her room. Rooms are approximately 12'x12' and windows are approximately 46" wide and 67" tall inside the window casing. A tension curtain rod or shower rod that expands from 40" to 48" works well in these windows.

Please keep in mind that you can purchase whatever you missed packing in town; it is strongly advised to focus on packing essentials. You may wish to wait and meet your roommate before purchasing shared items, like a refrigerator or curtains.

Miscellaneous Items:

Below you will find some additional suggestions to make your room more comfortable and convenient. You may want to purchase some of these items after you arrive. These are **only** suggestions!

- Clothes hangers
- Sewing kit
- Poster tape (safe for painted walls)
- Under-the-bed storage drawers
- Large plastic storage containers
- Bulletin board or magnetic board
- Message board with markers
- Personal health care items such as Tylenol, Advil, Neosporin, Band-Aids, etc.
- Shower caddy (or other toiletry carrier)

Other

- **Marking Clothing:** You may want to mark all articles of clothing with a laundry marker or other nametag so that they may be easily identified.
- **Laundry:** Washing machines and driers are available for student use at no charge.
- **Valuables:** The school cannot be responsible for valuable jewelry or other valuable possessions, and it is strongly urged that students not bring such belongings to school.
- **Allowance:** The school encourages the girls to spend money wisely and asks the parents and guardians help in this matter. The Dean of Students suggests an allowance between \$25-50 per week to cover incidental expenses and activities. Students may opt to open a personal account at a local bank if desired. Banking services will be available during orientation so that students may open a local account.
- **Health:** The Health Center is well equipped, and the services of a registered nurse are available. A doctor is also on call 24 hours a day. Students should be vaccinated and have all possible dental and medical work completed before leaving home. **All student forms are due on August 1.**
- **School Supplies:** Salem Academy does not have a set list of required school supplies. We recommend buying the basics such as pencils and pens, loose-leaf paper, and binders and then further supplementing those basic supplies once your daughter finds out how each teacher recommends they organize their class materials.