Read and complete each item. Your Resident Advisor is available to assist you in compromising on any topics that you are unable to resolve. A copy of this agreement will be kept on file with your resident director.

**Rights of All Residents:** Each resident should initial next to each right as an acceptance of responsibility for living with a roommate. Each resident is entitled to reside in an environment which includes but is not limited to:

- The right to sleep and study without undue disturbance.

- The right to reasonable quietness.

- The right to live in a clean environment.

- The right to free access to the suite without pressure or intimidation from suitemate(s).

- The right to be independent.

- The right to have opinions, feelings, and needs be given respect and consideration.

- The right to personal privacy.

- The right to refuse requests without guilt.

- The right to expect each resident will respect one another’s personal belongings.

- The right to host guests as long as this does not interfere with the rights of others and does not conflict with GMU or OHRL policy

- The right to discuss any and all disagreements when a suitemate or staff member finds it necessary.

- The right to expect one’s roommate will not violate the current Housing Terms and Conditions

- The right to expect that any and all disagreements will be discussed in an atmosphere of openness and mutual respect, and that it is acceptable to confront one’s roommate when the roommate is not fulfilling mutual agreement.

**Communication:**

How will we communicate with each other during conflict?
- Verbally/Face-to-face
- In writing
- Both
- Other

We agree to relay messages to one another:
- Within 24 hours
- Within 48 hours
- Other:

**Academically- Focused Courtesy Hours:**

We expect to get the following hours of sleep each night
- Less than 5
- 6-9 hours
- 10+ hours
When one of us is sleeping it is

Okay □ Not Okay □
- Watch television
- Listen to music
- Use Computer
- Use Hairdryer
- Have guests over
- Have lights on
- Talk on phone

Using the following personal belongings is:

Okay □ Not Okay □
- Television
- Stereo
- Microwave/Fridge
- Cleaning Supplies
- Food/Drink
- Computer
- Game System
- Clothes
- Personal Items
- Fans/Humidifier

Cleaning and Cleanliness:

Our space will be kept:
- Neat
- In Between
- Messy

How often will we clean the entire room? (Including bathroom(s) and kitchen, if applicable)
- Every 3 days
- Weekly
- Bi-weekly
- Other ____________________________

How often will we clean our individual areas?
- Daily
- Every 3 days
- Weekly
- Other ____________________________

How often will we remove trash from the room?
- When full
- Every 3 days
- Weekly
- Other ____________________________

We prefer windows to be:
- Open
- Closed
- Depends on weather
- Depends on time of day
- No preference

Guests/Visitors:

Are friends are allowed to visit when one of you are studying
- yes □ no □

If one of you is away for the weekend, may a guest use your bed?
- yes □ no □

I prefer guests to visit
- Before 12 pm
- After 12 pm

Guests of a different gender are:
- Okay at anytime
- Okay when I’m not sleeping
- Okay at certain times:
- Not Okay

I prefer guests to leave
- Before 10 pm
- Before 12 am
- During personal grooming
- During study times
- During sleep times

We agree to the following limitations on guests:
__________________________________________________________________________
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**Personality Style:** This worksheet is designed to help residents living in the same space get to know each other and discuss issues that may come up while living together.

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Additional Comments:
Use this space for any additional comments or issues that were not otherwise covered in this agreement. You may also use this space to add further comments about issues that have already been discussed.