



# STUDENT RESIDENCE PHILADELPHIA

# **International House**



The International House residence in Philadelphia provides a friendly living environment not far from both the Kaplan International Center and the campus of the University of Pennsylvania. Students stay in basic single rooms which include a bed, closet, desks and dressers. International House also provides monthly events, movies, and outings for their residential students.

The International House is approximately 7 minutes from the Kaplan Center by car and 15 minutes away by public transit.



One of Philadelphia's residential areas



Location of Kaplan's Philadelphia Center and International House Residence

International House 3701 Chestnut Street Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104



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International House Common Area



International House Kitchen



International house Bedroom



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International House Bathroom

# **Accommodation details**

# Type of accommodation

Self catering, fully furnished student residence

## Kitchen/cooking facilities

Kitchen facilities are available in each suite. Students are responsible for providing their own dishes and utensils, and maintaining general tidiness. There is plenty of storage space for residents' use.

# Rooms

Single rooms with a bed, closet, desk, and dressers.

#### **Bathrooms**

Dormitory-style shared bathroom and shower facilities. There are four sinks, 2 toilets and 2 showers in each suite, shared by 10 residents.

#### Utilities

Electricity, gas and water are included in the accommodation fee. The electrical current is 110/120 volts. Students from some countries will require a transformer or adaptor.

# Deposit

No deposit required.

# Internet and phone

Suites are equipped with free high speed wireless internet. DSL is available for an extra charge. Students also have access to a fully wired computer center. Only internal phones are located in student rooms. There is a house phone located in each suite. Pay phones can be found on the 1st Floor.

#### Security and keys

The front door has a guard. International House ID cards are used at the front door. One key per student; There is a locked out \$1 fee for the guard to open the door. There is a \$40 lost key fee.

# Bed linens and towels

The residence provides a mattress, bedspread, pillow, pillowcase, bed sheets and blanket. Students are responsible for cleaning. Common areas, kitchens, restrooms are cleaned daily Monday - Friday by the staff. Students' responsibilities are to maintain general tidiness and clean individual rooms.

#### Meals

The residence is self catering with cooking facilities available. Local grocery stores and eateries are nearby.

# **Noise and restrictions**

Students are requested to be considerate of their neighbors and keep noise levels to a minimum especially after 11 pm.

# Laundry

Coin-operated washers and dryers are available in the laundry room. There is also a change machine located in the laundry room. Washing and drying each cost \$2 per load.

#### **Visitors**

Visitors are allowed any time, as long as they are escorted by a resident. However, if a resident wishes to arrange for a guest room, he or she should contact the Admissions Office at 215-895-6540.

## **Availability**

The International House's availability varies between long and short semesters. Minimum age is 18.

Different room types are available and the pictures are examples only. Information is subject to change. Published October 2011.