

Living Learning Communities Student Housing & Residence Life



LLC Overview & Goals

Living Learning Communities (LLCs) are designed to connect students living in residence who share common interests and to extend opportunities for learning beyond the classroom. LLCs provide opportunities for students to get involved within their residence community, while connecting with peers, faculty and staff.

Living Learning Communities:

- Health & Wellbeing
- Sustainability
- Creative Expression

Goals:

- Academic success
- Find a sense of belonging
- Personal development

LLC Communities

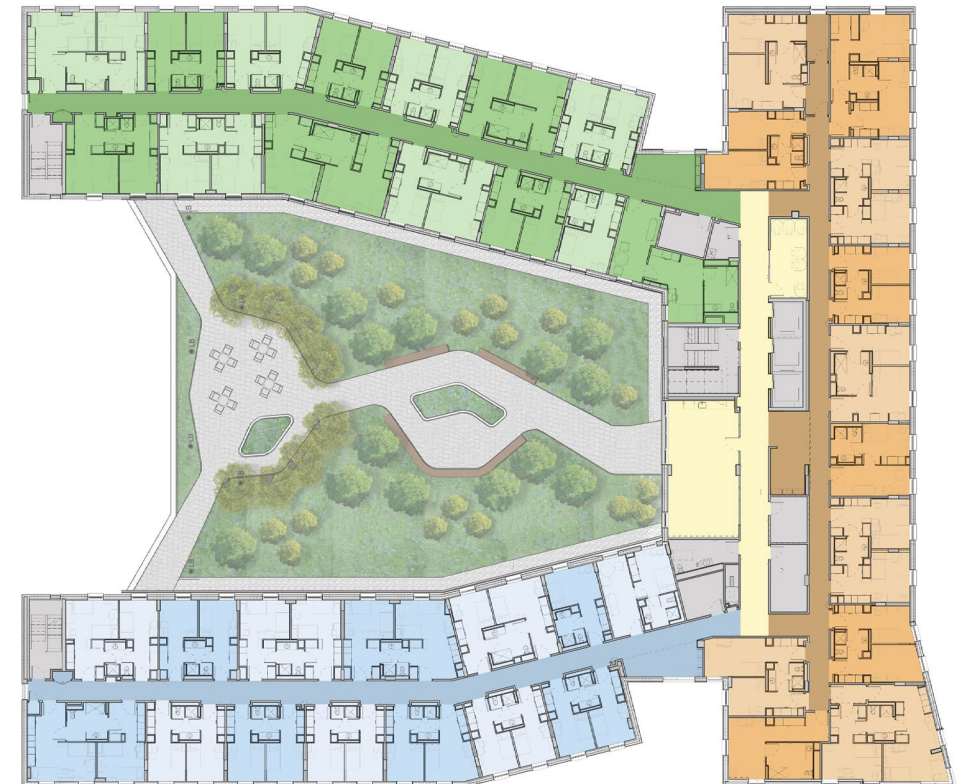
LLC Community Size: 32 students per community

Location:

- 3rd floor New Residence
 - East, West, South wings

Applications:

- 350 overall applicants
 - Most applications- creative expression
 - Least applications – sustainability



Co-Curricular Record

During the academic term, your residents will have the opportunity to engage in programming tailored to their specific living learning community. The programs will focus on any of our 5 learning goals:

- Personal Wellness
- Life skills
- Community Engagement
- Social Responsibility
- Academic Achievement

To earn full credits towards their CCR, student must complete a final cumulative project and earn 12 points simply by attending 12 programs in total with a minimum of 2 points from each learning goal.

First 6 Weeks

- Workshop series for all 3 LLCs
- Supports transition into post-secondary
- Facilitated by the embedded Academic Learning Strategist

Topics	Dates	Learning Goal
Just Enough, Just In Time	Sept 7	Life Skills
Committing to Your Goals	Sept 12	Academic Achievement
Build Resiliency & Overcome Obstacles	Sept 18	Personal Wellness
How to maximize your learning	Sept 27	Academic Achievement
How to get ready for tests	Oct 3	Academic Achievement
Stay motivated & Build Healthy Habits	Oct 19	Personal Wellness
Recognize & Leverage on your Strengths	Oct 24	Life Skills

Fall Programming

Date	Activity	Learning Goal	LLC	Attendance
September	Valley Walk & Paint	Personal Wellness	Sustainability & Creative Expressions	29
	Nuit Blanche	Community Engagement	Creative Expressions	22
	Navigating Safe Substance Consumption	Life Skill	Health & Well-Being	27
October	Halloween Fest (Movies & Trick-a-Treating)	Community Engagement	All three LLCs	30
	Self-Care Workshop	Personal Wellness	Health & Well-Being	22
	Ukulele Play Along	Creative Expressions	Community Engagement	15

LLC Programming



Winter Programming

- Campus Litter Clean-up
- SafeTALK – suicide alertness training
- Doris McCarthy Gallery
- Capstone Project
- LLC Reception
- Nurse Talk
- Community Games Night
- Collaborative Programming with Faculty
 - Art, Culture & Media
 - Psychology
 - Biology

What's Next

- Address Program Challenges
- Resident Feedback
- Increasing Faculty Participation

