### **Special Services, Important Information**

Computer Labs: Computer labs in Blazer, Camp, Denman, and Rast halls are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week. PCs feature Internet access and are connected to printers. Residents provide their own paper.

Costs: Housing fees vary depending on hall and living option (single, double, efficiency, etc.). Visit our website at www.uab.edu/housing for specific costs. All rates include utilities, cable and high speed internet/Wi-Fi. You pay housing fees one time each semester. Residents of Blazer must sign a nine-month contract and are required to move out at the end of the spring semester.

Housing Staff: If you have a question or problem, there's always someone to turn to just down the hall. Staff members live in each housing community to provide immediate personal service. A residence life coordinator oversees the operation of each hall or area, and throughout each facility, student staff members known as resident assistants manage floor administration, developmental programming, peer mentoring, resource information, and enforcement of student housing policies.

Meal Plans: Residents are required to purchase a meal plan. UAB Campus Restaurants offers meal card plans accepted at four dining locations plus the campus convenience store. For costs and more information, call (205) 934-8045 or visit www.uabdining.com.

THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM

Roommates: Roommate requests must be mutual. Applications should be mailed at approximately the same time. Although every effort will be made to place you with the roommate of your choice, roommate requests cannot be guaranteed. Student Housing and Residential Life reserves the right to assign any applicant to any available space.

**Smoking:** Smoking is not permitted in student housing.

Students with Disabilities: Students who may require special accommodations should contact Student Housing and Residential Life at (205) 934-2092 prior to any hall assignment and register with UAB Disability Support Services at (205) 934-4205.

#### Summer Camps/Conferences:

Residents should be aware that camps and conferences are housed in residence halls during the summer term.

Telephones: Each room and apartment is equipped for local telephone service. Telephone service is not included in housing fees. Residents wanting long-distance service should complete the necessary forms at the UAB Department of Communication Services, located in the Rust Research Center at 1801 University Boulevard. Long-distance charges for each month will be billed to the resident. For questions, call (205) 934-0000.

UAB is an equal education opportunity institution. his brochure is based upon spring 2005 facts and figure

### Find Out If You're Eligible for Housing

- To live in student housing, you must be admitted to UAB and be in good standing. "Good standing" means you are not on academic or disciplinary suspension.
- You must also be enrolled for 12 credit hours as an undergraduate or 9 credit hours as a graduate each semester. (Summer semester is treated differently.)
- To be eligible for student housing, professional students, interns, residents, and postdoctoral fellows must be verified by their departments. Postdoctoral fellows must have a UAB classification of 20.
- You will be required to satisfy these eligibility standards throughout the term of your student housing contract, and you must inform UAB Student Housing and Residential Life if your status changes.

## A Sense of Security

In UAB housing communities, you should feel at home—and you should feel secure. Here are just two ways UAB helps you stay safe:

- Student Housing Police Precinct—A police supervisor and five officers routinely patrol the residence halls and parking areas on both foot and bicycle. Officers interact with students and conduct activities that help residents prevent crime.
- UAB Escort Service—After dark, call 934-8772 or use the white phones across campus. A designated UAB escort will meet you and accompany you to your on-campus destination by foot or in a marked vehicle.

# Welcome to UAB's Communities of Opportunities

Don't wait. Apply for housing today. It's the perfect spot to start exploring all the possibilities waiting for you at UAB. If you have questions or need more information, contact Student Housing and Residential Life at any time.

Call: (205) 934-2092

E-Mail: StudentHousing@uab.edu

Web: www.uab.edu/housing

Visit: Room G101, Denman Hall, 1604 9th Avenue South

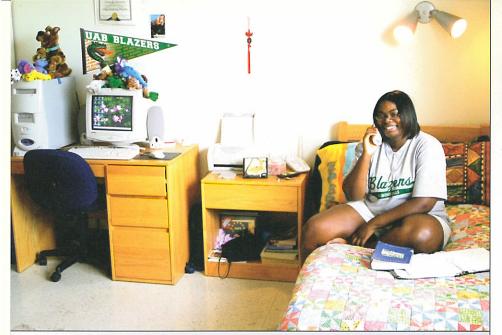
Hours: 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Mon.-Fri.

NON PROFIT ORG.
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
PERMIT NO. 3246
BIRMINGHAM, AL

Student Housing and **Residential Life** 

**UAB STUDENT HOUSING AND RESIDENTIAL LIFE** 

DNMH 101 • 1604 9th Avenue South 1530 3RD AVE S BIRMINGHAM AL 35294-1230



# Get ready to move closer to your goals.

Because you'll find more than a home in UAB student housing. You'll discover an exciting environment that places all the advantages of a dynamic university right at your doorstep.

put you within a convenient walking distance of the new Campus Green which includes the Dining

Commons and Campus Diner, the Campus Recreation Center, the library and classroom buildings. Enjoy food, entertainment, outdoor fun, fitness, athletics events, and the ease of walking a short distance to class.

New Friends: In every hall, you'll meet fascinating and diverse people from around Alabama, the nation, and the world studying a mix of majors. So you're bound to meet friends who share your interests among UAB's 2,100 on-campus residents.

A Sense of Community: Each housing community sponsors exciting activities for residents and provides staff to answer questions, help you get settled, and encourage you to get involved. The Residence Hall Association also brings together residents from each hall to promote interaction and personal development.

The Neighborhood: Since the housing communities are in the heart of UAB and UAB is in the heart of Birmingham, you're conveniently located near all the attractions of Alabama's largest city.

Just a few streets away, the coffee-

houses, shops, and restaurants of Five Points South are favorite student hangouts. If you're hunting for a job, internship, or career experience, the downtown

career experience, the downtown district is nearby. Plus you're minutes from museums, malls, festivals, sports, parks, the great outdoors, the airport, and much more.

# **Explore Your Housing Options**



BLAZER HALL (FIRST TIME FRESHMEN)

**Layout:** eight-story hall with two-and three-bedroom suites for 720 residents

**Each Suite:** includes twin bed, chest, desk, and chair for each resident; small pantry area with cabinets and refrigerator in common area

Bedroom Size 12' x 12' Bedroom Window 5' x 5'

Hall Features: alcohol- and tobacco-free environment, computer network connections in each bedroom, computer lab, community room, basic cable TV service, USA Today Readership Program and FOCUS Program.







CAMP HALL (SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS, SENIORS)

**Layout:** 11-story hall with one-bedroom apartments (two residents per apartment) for 370 residents

One-Bedroom Apartments: include twin bed for each resident, dresser or chest, desk, night table, sofa, end table, living room chair, dining table with four chairs, refrigerator, no lamps

Bedroom Size 10' x 12' Bedroom Window 29" x 77"

**Efficiencies:** include twin bed, chest, living room chair, end table, desk, dining table with four chairs, stove, refrigerator, no lamps

Hall Features: alcohol- and tobacco-free environment, computer network connections in each bedroom and living area, computer lab, coin-operated washers and dryers, basic cable TV service, vending machines, *USA Today* Readership Program

## RAST HALL



(SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS, SENIORS, GRADUATE STUDENTS)

Layout: six-story hall (four residents per apartment) for 400 residents

**Each Apartment:** includes twin bed, wardrobe, chest, desk, and chair in each bedroom; two lounge chairs, sofa, end table, dining room table with four chairs, oven, and refrigerator in common area

Bedroom Size 8'8" x 10' Bedroom Window 46" x 58"

#### **DENMAN HALL**

#### (SENIORS AND GRADUATE STUDENTS)



Layout: 10-story hall with one-bedroom

apartments (up to two residents) and efficiencies (one resident) for 150 residents

One-Bedroom Apartments: include twin bed for each resident, dresser or chest, desk, night table, sofa, end table, living room chair, dining table with four chairs, oven, refrigerator, no lamps

Bedroom Size 10' x 12' Bedroom Window 29" x 77"

**Efficiencies:** include twin bed, chest, living room chair, end table, desk, dining table with four chairs, stove, refrigerator, no lamps

Room Size 12' x 16' Window 29" x 77"

**Hall Features:** computer network connections in each bedroom and living area, computer lab, coin-operated washers and dryers, basic cable TV service, and vending machines.



Camp Hall & Denman Hall One Bedroom Approx. 525 SQ. FT.



Camp Hall & Denman Hall Efficiency Approx. 312 SQ. FT.

Hall Features: campus computer network connection in each bedroom, computer lab, fitness center, atrium study room, coin-operated washers and dryers, basic cable TV service, vending machines, *USA Today* Readership Program



Rast Hall Approx. 990 SQ. FT.

# **BLOUNT HALL** (SOPHOMORES, JUNIORS, SENIORS, GRADUATE STUDENTS)



**Layout:** eight-story hall with two- and four-bedroom apartments for 500 residents

**Each Apartment:** includes twin bed, chest, desk, and chair in each bedroom; one lounge chair, sofa, end table, dining room table with four chairs, microwave, dishwasher, oven, and refrigerator in common area

#### 2 BR Apartments

Bedroom Size 9' x 12'9" Bedroom Window 46" x 47"

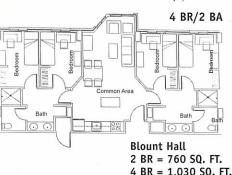
#### 4 BR Apartments

Bedroom Size 8'7" x 11'3"

Bedroom Window 46" x 47"

Hall Features: parking deck, fitness room, computer network connections in each bedroom, laundry rooms on every other floor, large multipurpose room, basic cable TV service, vending machines





# **Apply for Housing**

Apply for student housing as early as possible—even as soon as the fall of the year before you attend UAB. This helps improve your chances of getting the housing options you want.

- 1. Review the housing options listed in this brochure. Check the housing fees online at www.uab.edu/housing and make sure you are eligible to live in the hall of your choice. (Some are reserved for freshmen only, seniors and higher, etc.)
- 2. Apply online at www.uab.edu/housing. You must submit a \$25 nonrefundable fee with your application. If you request a specific roommate, that person must also request you as a roommate on his or her application. It's a good idea to submit both housing applications together. Requests will be honored whenever possible, but they are not guaranteed.
- 3. Your application will be processed based on the date you apply for housing or the date you are admitted to UAB, whichever is later. UAB will then assign you a space and mail you a housing contract (beginning in late spring for fall term). If your housing preferences are not available, you will be assigned to an available space.
- 4. You must read, initial, and sign your student housing contract and return it with a \$250 housing fee prepayment within two weeks of receiving it. The prepayment will apply toward your fall housing balance. If you plan to live in Camp, Denman, or Rast halls, make the \$250 prepayment payable to UAB. For Blazer Hall, make the prepayment payable to Blazer Hall. For Blount Hall, make it payable to CHF.