

Welcome to the Student House



Hey there, future genius!

Did you know that real student life only starts when you open the doors of the Student House?

Get ready for fun moments with new friendships and accept that late study sessions will become a regular thing. You'll finally get a real taste of university life!

From movie marathons and impromptu charade parties to deep conversations that last into the wee hours of the morning, Student House is a place that will become the center of many memories. Here you will find your second family who will support each other through the challenges of exams and then celebrate every little success.

Welcome to your new home away from home!

Every day as a student is an adventure, full of opportunities to learn, make lifelong connections and discover yourself. So, are you ready to face this exciting phase of your life? Welcome to the start of your life journey!





Why a Student House?

A safe and peaceful environment for your studies and relaxation. Convenient location - close to the place of learning.

Internet connection.

Affordable rent.

When can I make a reservation?

To reserve a place in the Student House, you need to create an MRU student e-mail account. Once your details have been entered into the University's database, you will receive an e-mail from the University with the information. When filling in, use the e-mail part only up to @.

Click on the "Room reservation" link and fill in the required fields. Please note that the reservation will only be finalised once you have paid the reservation fee of EUR 100.

Want to make a reservation?



Click here

You can choose:

single room | place in double room | place in larger double room | place in triple room | single individual room

When choosing a room, please note that preferences are only indicative. We will do our best to accommodate your preferences, but we cannot guarantee a specific room type.

The price depends on the type of room you choose.



You can find out more about the prices here

Reservation fee

The reservation fee depends entirely/partially on the type of room you choose. It covers the first month's payment for living in the Student House. The fee is calculated from your selected arrival date and is non-refundable if you cancel the room less than two weeks before your scheduled arrival date chosen during the room reservation process.

If you want the reservation fee to be refunded, please fill out application form and send it via e-mail to studentunamai@mruni.eu no later than two weeks before the arrival date chosen in your reservation.

Upon confirmation that the reservation has been canceled, the reservation fee will be refunded.

The reserved spot is held for 15 business days from the selected arrival date. If you wish to arrive later, please inform us; otherwise, the reservation will be canceled and the reservation fee will not be refunded.



Fees

Fees will be calculated from your arrival date as indicated in the reservation.

Before making a reservation, please consider whether your plans might change. Payment for accommodation must be made by the 15th of each month. For example, payment for September should be made between September 1st and 15th.



Arrival at the Student House

You can choose your desired arrival and departure dates yourself. Please note that the fall semester ends on January 31st, and the spring semester ends on June 30th.

Upon arrival, please contact the security guard who will direct you to the Student House Manager. After signing the accommodation agreement, you will be issued an entry card to the Student House. Please bring your ID card or passport with you upon arrival.

The security guard will provide you with the room keys and a room condition report, which includes the inventory of the room, the condition of the furniture and walls, any notes, and recorded damages. Return the completed room inventory report to the manager.

After making a reservation through the reservation system, you can arrive 24/7. If you arrive outside of working hours, the security guard will provide you with the room keys, but you must visit the manager on the next working day to sign the accommodation agreement.

What will you find in the room?

In the room, you will find a bed, a desk, a chair, and a wardrobe. If you wish to bring your own furniture or refrigerator, you should send an informal request to studentunamai@mruni.eu, specifying the items you wish to bring. The items you bring must not disturb other residents in the room, and the refrigerator must be clean and in good working condition. There cannot be more than one refrigerator in the room. The items you bring must be inspected by the administration staff: the security guard, administrator, or manager.

The rooms have free Wi-Fi access, with MRU and eduroam networks available. You can connect by entering your student e-mail address and password.

If you encounter any issues, please contact

→ IT Department



Learning space

Make use of the study rooms, and you'll be able to study without interruptions. Study spaces are available on every floor.

To use a study room, please request a key from the first-floor security guard and follow these rules:

- 1. Present your student ID to the security guard.
- 2. Provide your name, surname, phone number or room number.
- 3. The key must be returned within 12 hours



Common spaces

Student houses have common rooms where you can change your environment and relax. In one of the common areas, you can play table tennis. The other space, equipped with several tables and chairs, is well-suited for collaborative work, making it a comfortable place for working on group projects.



Hungry? To avoid disturbing others, please choose a different area for eating.

Let this space remain clean and enjoyable for everyone.

Common kitchen

Don't forget, cooking brings people closer, and sharing a meal always lifts the spirits!

Our shared kitchen is equipped with a variety of appliances, so you'll have plenty of options for cooking fresh and delicious meals. You'll find a refrigerator, microwave, electric stove, and oven here.

Don't forget to bring your own pots, utensils, and other small kitchen tools, as the Student House does not provide these.

The kitchen and corridors are cleaned daily from Monday to Friday.

There is a saying: leave things cleaner than you found them.
Admit it, cooking in a tidy kitchen is much more enjoyable



Laundry room



The days of hand-washing are behind us, so you won't need to do your laundry by hand to have something to wear. For your convenience, there are washing machines and dryers on the first floor.

Using the washing machines in the Student House is convenient and affordable!

Remember, the timers on the washing machines are not as precise as Swiss watches! The timers might show 40 minutes remaining, but the actual time can be up to 90 minutes, so avoid starting a load just 5 minutes before an exam... or a date.

If the washing machines are occupied, don't worry - there are several public laundromats not far from the Student House.

Change of bedding

You can receive a clean set of bedding (sheet, pillowcase, and duvet cover) twice a month. The bedding change schedule is posted on the bulletin board on the first floor. If you can't find it, ask the security guard and he will be happy to help you.

Please note that if the scheduled bedding change day falls on a non-working day, you should come the next working day.

Tool rental



You don't need to own and store all the household appliances you might need. You can easily and quickly manage your living space by borrowing appliances such as a vacuum cleaner, ironing board, iron, or broom.

Have fun tidying up!

You can borrow these appliances daily for one hour. How to do it? It's very simple - just have your student ID with you and contact the duty staff.

Equipment issues?

Let us know if something is broken in your room. Our maintenance staff is ready to assist you and resolve the issue as quickly as possible.

To report a problem, leave a note in the book located on the first floor. Depending on the type of issue, specify whether it's for the plumber, carpenter, or electrician.

Lost & found box!

Lost something? Don't worry! First, check the lost and found box at the security post on the first floor. You might find your missing items waiting for you!

If you find something that doesn't belong to you, please bring it in. Whether it's someone's phone charger, dorm card, or something else, your dorm mates will be very grateful! Let's take care of each other together!

Let's be ECO-friendly

Grab your trash bags and join the sorting fun!

Waste sorting helps reduce pollution and ensures that recyclable materials are properly processed.

Together, let's conserve natural resources, reduce landfill waste, protect public health, and ensure the sustainability of our ecosystems.

If you've never sorted waste before, now is the perfect time to start! Confidently separate your trash into general waste, plastic, glass, and paper/cardboard. Dispose of sorted waste in the appropriate containers and become an ecofriendly hero contributing to saving our planet. You'll find the containers across from the Student House, on the other side of the street.



And hey, want to turn those clean plastic or glass bottles into cash? Bring them to the supermarket and get money back for your bottles!



Swap room

You don't have to buy new—second-hand items come with their own stories.

Our university community values sustainability, so when students move out of the Student House, they can leave unneeded but still usable items in the exchange room. Swap room, not a dumpster, so items must be clean and unbroken.

Before rushing to buy new items, check the exchange room first—you might find what you're looking for! And when you move out, continue this great tradition of sustainability by leaving any items you no longer need. Ask the security guard where the exchange room is.

Central heating

Despite the harsh winter weather, we invite you to enjoy its pleasures and offer unique experiences, such as sledding, skiing and observing snow-covered landscapes during a walk.

If the temperature drops below 10 degrees for a few days, the central heating will automatically switch on. Normally, central heating runs from around October to April.

For your safety

When the fire alarm rings, it's not the time to be an action movie hero! Don't worry, make sure the danger is real first and then call 112 immediately.

If you hear the fire alarm, go down the stairs to the ground floor as quickly as possible, exit the building and wait outside the building near the main entrance. There are evacuation plans on each floor showing the emergency exits. Look out for emergency exit signs!

Please note that you cannot use the lift during an evacuation. If the corridors and stairs are full of smoke and you can't get out of your room, stay inside and wait for help. Your safety is our priority!



In case of fire:

Call the general emergency number 112 immediately.

Report the fire to security staff: Didlaukio str. 57: + 370 5 271 4562 Didlaukio str. 86: + 370 5 276 1653

Expecting guests?

"Mi casa Tu casa". To be admitted, guests will need to check in with the duty manager and leave before 10 pm. On Friday and Saturday, guests can stay until 12 am. Make sure the guest knows your room number - you will need to give this information to the duty manager. Enjoy your time together!

Let's meet on WhatsApp

Each floor has its own WhatsApp group where you can ask questions, share information and connect with other residents. Whether you want to organise an event, borrow something, or just find out the latest news, the chat group is the place to be! Don't forget to check the notice board in front of the lift for more information.

Mailbox

The mailbox is located just outside the lifts on the ground floor. Incoming letters are arranged on a shelf with boxes in alphabetical order. Check to see if you have a letter waiting for you. If a package arrives, the attendant will call you to let you know. And if you're not at home, they'll keep it safe until you get back.

Smoking areas

We have a number of smoking areas which are marked with signs indicating where to smoke.

Suggestions box

We invite you to share your ideas on how to improve the Student House, or to make suggestions about living in the Student House. You can find the suggestion box on the ground floor.

Table tennis

You can play table tennis in the common area on the ground floor of the Student House at Didlaukio 57, Vilnius. You can borrow rackets and balls from the duty officer. Table tennis can be played from 8 am to 10 pm, upon presentation of a student ID to the duty officer.

Outside, enjoy outdoor chess and table tennis.

Have a good game!

Pest control

If students notice pests, please report them immediately to the administrator, who will immediately order disinfection services. Bed bugs are often brought back from travelling to other countries and it is important to report them as early as possible to prevent their spread and to ensure that they are quickly controlled.





Change of room

If you want to move into another room, you need to get permission from our friendly Student House Administration. Send a request by e-mail studentunamai@mruni.eu and you will be provided with all the help you need! When the desired place becomes available and it is your turn, information will be sent to your MRU student e-mail.

Checking out procedure

What you need to do to ensure a smooth departure:

- Pay all fees prior to departure.
- Clean your room, take out the trash and hand over the room to the administrator or the warden.
- Return your room key, access card and bed linen to the supervisor.
- Remember to take all your belongings with you and do not leave food in the fridge.

If you have forgotten your move-out date, you can always check by logging in to "Resident Self Service".

Contract termination

You can cancel your accommodation contract early by giving 10 working days' notice at studentunamai@mruni.eu, stating the date of departure. This deadline is very important for the student to comply with in order to avoid additional penalty charges.

A friendly reminder

Here are a few rules to follow to make sure everyone has a good time at the Student House:

- 10 pm to 6 am is quiet time.
- Don't draw, stick or hang anything on the walls.
- We are very sorry, but we do not allow pets.
- Do not consume alcohol or psychotropic substances in the Student House.
- Do not use electric heaters or unregistered electrical appliances.
- Live in a clean and tidy environment.

Together, let's create a place where everyone feels safe and comfortable!

Please note that by signing the Accommodation Contract, you confirm that you have read and agree to the Student House Rules and must abide by them.



Payments and deadlines

Accommodation fees are payable by the 15th of each month via the "Resident Self Service". It includes all utilities, bed linen and linen change, and internet charges.

Your timely payment helps us all run smoothly!



Cosiness is important

We know that living in a Student House is a completely new and fun experience!



A soft plaid will not only be an accent to decorate your room, but will also come in handy on chilly evenings.



Colour and texture! A rug, cushions or other accents can help brighten up even the cloudiest day.



Need to unwind after a party or a sleepless night at the library?
Curtains will suit both larks and owls.





Make sure you have cosy lighting! When it's gloomy and grey outside, light and playful chandeliers can lift your mood.



Even photos become more beautiful when we see plants in the background. Did you know that living plants are not only a great element of decor, but also an oxygen filter?



One of the most popular items after moving into the Student House are storage boxes! These are extremely functional decor accents!

Important contacts

If you need help, we're here to help. Here are some contacts to help you with your difficulties.

Emotional health

Do you need help with personal experiences, psychological support or just someone to talk to?

Ready to help you:

- Psychological Consulting Department E-mail: pks@mruni.eu
- Youth Line counsellors
 Call 24/7: +370 800 28888
- MRU Chaplain
 E-mail: <u>kapelionas@mruni.eu</u>

Don't hesitate to get in touch, take care of your emotional health and well-being.

Student support and social matters

For questions about social scholarships or student sponsorship, please contact: anzelika.veziene@mruni.eu

Student House matters

If you are having difficulties dealing with roommates or other technical problems in the Student House on your own, feel free to contact the Student House Manager, who will help you find a solution to the situation.

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