

Questions to Ask about Your New APARTMENT



The Area

When can I move in? _____
How long is the lease? _____
Do you have any noise policies/quiet hours? _____
How safe is the area? _____
Is there a laundromat in the area? _____
Where can I park and what does it cost to park there? _____

Do you have a pet policy? _____
Do you have a guest policy? _____
Are there any restrictions on how I decorate the place? _____
What happens if something breaks down or doesn't work? _____
What kind of shelf space and storage space does the place have? _____

Life Style



Financial

What is the rent and is there a security deposit? _____
How long is the lease? _____
What happens if I am late on rent? _____
Is there a penalty for ending the lease early? _____
Do I need a co-signer? _____
What is included in the rent? _____
What is NOT included in the rent? _____

Does the kitchen include a microwave and/or toaster? _____
Is there a standing shower or bathtub? _____
What kind of heat is used and how is it controlled? _____
Where are the outlets and phone jacks? _____
Are there enough mirrors? _____

Amenities



Necessity Checklist

- Shower curtain
- Silverware, cooking ware, and dishes
- Kettle
- Cutting boards
- Coffee maker
- Sponge, detergent, dish rags
- Oven mitts
- Trash bags and garbage bins

- Plastic containers
- Aluminum foil, baggies, plastic wrap
- Bed sheets, blankets, pillows
- Hamper
- Lamps, matches, candles
- Toilet paper, paper towels