



Community Connection

As we embark on a new academic year, the Office of Residence Life is excited to extend a warm welcome as we begin this journey of learning, growth, and discovery together. A new semester signifies a fresh start, a chance to set new goals, and an opportunity to build upon previously gained knowledge and experiences. Whether you are a returning resident or new to our campus, you are an integral part of our residential community. Our facilities, operations, and staff are committed to providing you with a safe and comfortable home.

This newsletter, Community Connection, is part of our service to you, offering information about resources and policies while providing you with important information about the community within the Office of Residence Life. What else to expect: Campus Resources, Work Order Submission, Mailroom Hours, and much more!



Hello
September

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Res Life Office: 908-737-1700

reslife@kean.edu

Campus Police: 908-737-4800

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@keanreslife



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CAMPUS Resources

FINANCIAL AID

The Office of Financial Aid & Scholarship Services is dedicated to educating students regarding the various aid programs that make attending college affordable for all.

Administration Building, First Floor

Phone: (908) 737-3190

Email: finaid@kean.edu

CAREER SERVICES

At Kean, we believe in helping all students find an internship or job to launch their careers. Our mission is to assist students and alumni in identifying their career goals and securing employment that fulfills them.

CAS Room 201

Phone: (908) 737-0320

Email: career@kean.edu

TUTORING SERVICES

ACCESS provides academic support for all residents living on campus at Kean University from the comfort and convenience of the residence halls. ACCESS Tutoring is held on Sundays, Mondays, and Wednesdays in the Freshman Hall Learning Center beginning September 24, 2023.

KEAN WELLNESS CENTER

The Kean Wellness Center provides holistic, integrated health and wellness services for the entire campus community. The Center's interdisciplinary, student-centered and culturally-inclusive approach is designed to educate and empower students, faculty and staff to make informed lifestyle choices. The Wellness Center includes Health Services, The Counseling Center, Alcohol and Other Drug Resources, Accessibility Services, and the Cougar Pantry.

Health Services Phone: (908) 737-4880

Email: studenthealthservices@kean.edu

Counseling Center Phone: (908) 737-4850

Email: counseling@kean.edu

**Alcohol and Other Drug Resources Phone:
(908) 737-4850**

Email: aod@kean.edu

Accessibility Services Phone: (908) 737-4910

Email: accessibilityservices@kean.edu

Cougar Pantry: (908) 737-4851

Email: cougarpantry@kean.edu

*For more resources,
visit www.kean.edu*

FAQ

ENTRY PROTOCOL & GUEST POLICY

- 1** When entering the residence hall, residential students are required to present their Kean ID card to student staff and/or professional security when present behind the desk. When in self entry period and staff is not present, residential students must scan their Kean ID card at the front entry scanner. Residents who have misplaced their Kean ID card must obtain a new one by visiting Student Accounting on the third floor of the Administration Building.
- 2** Beginning September 18, 2023, residential students are permitted to invite outside guests such as commuter students or family and friends to visit them on campus. All non-residential students are required to show a valid state ID with a photo and home address on it (all international guests must present a passport at the time of arrival). Minors will not be permitted into the residence halls.

FIRE SAFETY GUIDELINES

Evacuation Procedure

Residents should expect at least two evacuation drills per semester. Each student is expected to cooperate with the staff and campus police in all phases of the evacuation procedures. Students must evacuate their buildings completely during the alarm.

Emergency Exit Doors

All residents and guests must enter and exit the building via the front door only. Side exits are for emergency use only, and are wired into the fire alarm system. Residents permitting persons to enter or leave the building through windows or emergency exits will be subject to disciplinary action. The same applies to residents and/or guests found propping open doors and any resident or guest entering the building in this manner.

Prohibited Activities

Residents are not anything that damages, misuses, or otherwise interferes with the proper operation of any fire safety equipment or signs. **This includes, but is not limited to:** Covering smoke detectors or any action that interferes with the building fire detection system and attaching or hanging anything on or from sprinkler heads.

Work ORDER SUBMISSION

If issues arise within your room, a work order can be submitted!



1. Fill in your contact information.
2. Click on the drop-down menu next to the location and make your selection.
3. Select the icon that best describes the issue you are reporting.
4. Type in your description of the problem.
5. Password (please type password).
6. Submit (please click "Save" to submit your request).

Eateries

STARBUCKS

The Learning Commons
Monday- Thursday
8:00 AM- 8:00 PM
Friday
8:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
10:00 AM- 6:00 PM

JERSEY MIKE'S

Miron Student Center
Monday- Wednesday
11:00 AM- 7:00 PM
Thursday- Friday
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

SMASHBURGER

Miron Student Center
Monday- Friday
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

OUTTAKES

Miron Student Center
Monday- Friday
9:00 AM- 9:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
12:00 PM- 6:00 PM

SONO & KNEAD PIZZA

Miron Student Center
Monday- Wednesday
11:00 AM- 7:00 PM
Thursday- Friday
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

KEANU'S KITCHEN

Upperclassman Residence Hall
Monday- Sunday
7:00 AM- 12:00 AM

BAMBOO

Miron Student Center
Monday- Wednesday
11:00 AM- 7:00 PM
Thursday- Friday
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

COUGAR'S DEN

Miron Student Center
Monday- Friday
8:00 AM- 7:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

AUNTIE ANNE'S

Miron Student Center
Monday- Friday
11:00 AM- 4:00 PM
Saturday- Sunday
CLOSED

RESIDENTIAL MAILROOM HOURS

*When you receive a package pick-up email from reslifemail@kean.edu, visit **Whiteman Hall** to retrieve your mail.*

Monday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Tuesday

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Wednesday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Thursday

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Friday

9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday

CLOSED



THE CARDIO ROOM

HOURS OF OPERATION

MONDAY-FRIDAY

9:00 AM- 8:00 PM

SATURDAY- SUNDAY

12:00 PM-8:00 PM

Located in Dougall Hall

HALL COUNCIL

INTEREST

Hall Council is a student-run organization dedicated to advocating for the interests and welfare of residence hall students, while also providing opportunities for their personal growth and development.

Open Positions

President
Vice-President
Secretary
Treasurer
Marketing & Public Relations

**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING HALL COUNCIL? PLEASE CONTACT YOUR
RESPECTIVE RESIDENCE HALL DIRECTOR TO JOIN!**