Off-Campus Housing FAQs

Where do I start with my off-campus housing search?

We encourage students to start their off-campus housing search by visiting our Off-Campus Housing website, offcampushousing.auburn.edu. This site provides students with a one-stop shop to view property listings, filter housing search results to meet desired housing needs, and even search for roommates. This site allows you to connect directly with properties from the listing itself.

I am worried about my student living off campus.*

Auburn's off-campus rental market is tailored for Auburn University students. Many properties are considered purpose-built student housing. This means these properties operate much like a traditional residence hall. The list below includes some of the student-centered services provided for residents living in these communities.

- Individual, per bed leasing
- Community Assistant student staff (similar to a RA!)
- Community social events
- Roommate matching
- Utilities included or a utility package provided
- Computer labs/study lounges with free printing
- On-site maintenance
- Tiger Transit bus stop located onsite
- Much more!

How does my student get to campus if they live off campus?*

Many off campus properties have a Tiger Transit stop located onsite. Visit our Tiger Transit page to view off-campus bus routes. In addition to taking the Tiger Transit, students living off campus have the option to purchase commuter parking permits. Visit our Parking Services page to view commuter parking options and registration information.

What about a meal plan if my student lives off campus?

Students living off campus have a required meal plan depending on the student’s classification. All first-time, first-year (FTFY) students are enrolled in the Orange Plan (5 meals per week with $450 dining dollars). Returning students (non-FTFY) living off campus are enrolled in the White Plan ($425 dining dollars). Visit Tiger Dining to view all meal plan options and dining locations.

How will my student get connected if they live off campus?

There are many opportunities for students to get connected on campus! Auburn has over 550 student-led organizations that meet a wide variety of interests. Auburn's Student Involvement Office is a great place to start. Search for organizations to get involved, chat with an Involvement Ambassador, or view upcoming events happening on campus. Additionally, many schools and colleges have opportunities for students to get involved with academic organizations. Students should connect with their school or college to discover what academic opportunities are available for them.

*Services mentioned differ from community to community. It is important to confirm that your desired amenities and services are provided by the said community prior to signing a lease agreement off campus.