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**Frequently Asked Questions – HLS Residence Hall managed by HGSE (*last updated: April 24, 2023*)**

**What are the dates of the contract?**

Monday, July 31, 2023 at 10 a.m. ET until Friday, May 31, 2024 at 2 p.m. ET

**Can a student move in early/stay past the end of the contract?**

No, the rental term is non-negotiable.

**How much are the room fees?**

Room fees are \$8,400 for the length of the contract.

**How are students expected to pay?**

Room fees will be added to the student's account and will be charged through Student Financial Services. Student will have the opportunity to add these charges to the monthly payment plan.

**What size are the rooms?**

Each room measures approximately 120 square feet.

**Is there a dining hall in the residence hall?**

No, there is no dining hall in the residence hall. The building is not far from Wasserstein Hall on the Law School campus, where there are a few different dining options.

**Is there a meal plan associated with these residence halls?**

No. Students do not have the option of purchasing a meal plan as part of their room fees.

**What about things like laundry, mail rooms, trash services, etc.?**

All of these items will be covered in the HGSE Student Housing Handbook, which is currently in production.

**What if a student indicates that they need accommodations related to housing?**

Any student requesting accommodations should complete the accommodations request process outlined on the Office of Student Affairs website (<https://osa.gse.harvard.edu/student-support-services-1>)

**Is the building fully-accessible?**

The building meets all applicable Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) guidelines for accessibility. Note that the building is not equipped with an elevator.



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**I've completed the application – when can I expect to hear if I have secured a room?**

Results of the lottery for space in the residence hall will be communicated in mid-to-late May. Applicants will be notified if they have been assigned a room or if they have been placed on the waitlist.

**I've completed the application but was not asked to pay the application fee. Did I miss something?**

The application fee that is charged to all applicants will appear as a charge on the students' term bill in the Fall.

**Does completing the application for space in the Harvard Law School residence hall managed by HGSE enter me into the lottery for Harvard Housing and GSAS Housing as well?**

No. Each housing opportunity has its own application process.