

## **ROOMMATE AGREEMENT**

**ROOM NO.:**

<b>Student A (Name):</b>	<b>Student B (Name):</b>
<b>Student A (Batch &amp; Roll No.):</b>	<b>Student B (Batch &amp; Roll No.):</b>

Sharing a common space with your roommate is a learning experience. This agreement helps you negotiate your boundaries and preferences with your roommate amicably without conflict. It will help both roommates become aware of their own and their roommate's living requirements.

**Please note changing of roommates once assigned is a tedious process.** Request students to discuss their living style, limitations with the roommate beforehand.

**Instructions:**

1. Fill out the following questions individually. You can highlight the option, that you think, suits you the best.
2. Once all the questions are completed, discuss them with your roommate and sign the acknowledgement to bring the roommate agreement into effect as per your discussions.

Please Note - This form is compulsory for all students.

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**This section of the form should be filled out independently. After completing the questions, sit down with your roommate to discuss your responses and complete the acknowledgement.**

Roommate A	Roommate B
<p><b><u>ROOM CONDITION</u></b></p> <p>1. Regarding the appearance of the room, I prefer that it be:</p> <p>a. Orderly and Clean b. Messy c. No Preference</p> <p>2. When I am in the room, I prefer:</p> <p>a. Both the fan and the A/C on at all times b. A/C on at all times c. Fan on at all times d. Neither one of them</p> <p>3. At night, I would like the A/C temp to be:</p> <p>a. Cold – 18° – 23° b. Moderate – 24° – 27° c. Warm – 28° – 30° d. No A/C</p>	<p><b><u>ROOM CONDITION</u></b></p> <p>1. Regarding the appearance of the room, I prefer that it be:</p> <p>a. Orderly and Clean b. Messy c. No Preference</p> <p>2. When I am in the room, I prefer:</p> <p>a. Both the fan and the A/C on at all times b. A/C on at all times c. Fan on at all times d. Neither one of them</p> <p>3. At night, I would like the A/C temp to be:</p> <p>a. Cold – 18° – 23° b. Moderate – 24° – 27° c. Warm – 28° – 30° d. No A/C</p>
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<p><b>5. When it comes to Food and Beverages in the room:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. I like the waste to be cleared immediately</li> <li>b. I do not mind cleaning after a while</li> <li>c. I don't mind a dirty room</li> </ul> <p><b>6. When my roommate invites guests to the room, I need</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. No warning</li> <li>b. To be informed</li> <li>c. To be informed and requires my permission</li> <li>d. Other:</li> </ul>	<p><b>5. When it comes to Food and Beverages in the room:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. I like the waste to be cleared immediately</li> <li>b. I do not mind cleaning after a while</li> <li>c. I don't mind a dirty room</li> </ul> <p><b>6. When my roommate invites guests to the room, I need</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. No warning</li> <li>b. To be informed</li> <li>c. To be informed and requires my permission</li> <li>d. Other:</li> </ul>
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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

☐ We have read and discussed each other's preferences for the categories mentioned above and have come to a common understanding. As roommates, we will respect and accommodate each other's preferences and work towards an amicably shared living experience.

**ROOMMATE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES**

The fundamental rights of a roommate include (but are not limited to):

1. The right to access one's room without unnecessary pressure from the roommate.
2. The right to personal privacy in the room.
3. The right to expect that the roommate will not violate national and state laws along with the room's university and residence life policies.
4. The right to expect that all disagreements will be discussed in an atmosphere of openness and mutual respect and that it is acceptable to confront the roommate when they are not fulfilling joint agreements.
5. The right to be free from harassment and discrimination.
6. The right to any additional agreements made by mutual consent. \*

\*The discussion points for other agreements can include laundry arrangement, any specific hygiene concerns, spiritual interests, physical display of affection, offensive and inappropriate language, preferred names and pronouns, cultural traditions etc.

Our signatures below indicate that we have discussed this document and agree to abide by it.

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**Name** (Roommate A)

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**Name** (Roommate B)

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**Batch & Roll No.** (Roommate A)

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**Batch & Roll No.** (Roommate B)

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**Mobile No.** (Roommate A)

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**Mobile No.** (Roommate B)

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**Signature** (Roommate A)

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**Signature** (Roommate B)

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**Date**

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