

# A COLLEGE STUDENT'S INDEPENDENCE TIMELINE

From freshman to senior year, how does the college student become a self-reliant adult?

YEAR  
1

FRESHMAN

- The average freshman will live in a **dorm**
- Freshman pay for **1-10%** of their **finances**
- Freshman acquire **laundry and time management** as new **responsibilities**.



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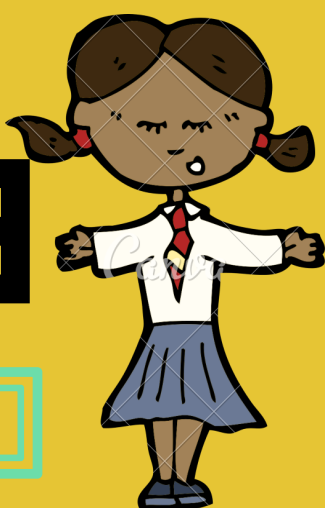
SOPHOMORE

YEAR  
02

- The average sophomore will live in an **apartment or fraternity/sorority**
- Sophomore pay for **21-30%** of their **finance**
- Sophomore acquire **cooking, laundry, and time management** as new **responsibilities**



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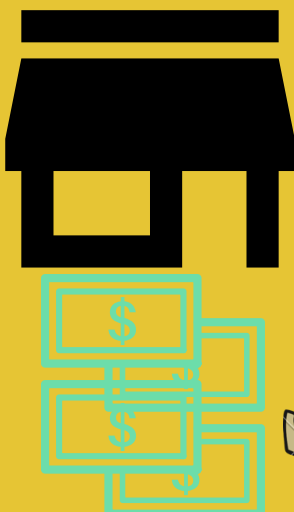
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YEAR  
03

JUNIOR

- The average junior will live in a **house**
- Juniors pay for **21-30%** of their **finances**.
- Juniors acquire **cooking, a job, and time management** as new **responsibilities**
- Juniors involved in **jobs or internships** that take up **11-15 hours per week**



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SENIOR

YEAR  
04

- The average senior will live in a **house**
- Seniors pay for **41-50%** of their **finances**
- Seniors acquire a **job and time management** as new **responsibilities**
- Seniors involved in clubs or extracurriculars and jobs or internships that take up **6-10 hours per week**