

## **Lofts and Bunk Beds**

**Summary/Purpose:** This policy explains Student Housing and Residence Life's expectations for beds with regard to bunking beds and using lofts. In addition, this policy provides information for ordering lofts through the University's only approved loft vendor.

The beds in all residence hall rooms are designed for bunking. These beds also are adjustable providing up to 34" of clearance. Students are responsible for bunking and un-bunking their beds. Bunking pins are available at the front desk of each residence hall. Due to the quick turn around and getting rooms ready for Summer term, students are expected to return their beds to the original position at the end of the Spring semester. Only students who are continuing in the same room for Summer term are exempt for this mandate. Students failing to return their beds to the original position will be billed.

Cinder blocks and homemade lofts are not permitted in the residence halls for safety and liability reasons. Lofts, specifically designed for the beds in the residence halls, are available for rent from Lofts, Inc. These are the only lofts that will be permitted in the residence halls. These lofts are easily assembled and less expensive than purchasing your own loft. In addition, a percentage of the rental fee is contributed annually to the Residential Scholar Scholarship Fund. For more information or an order form, contact Lofts, Inc. at Britco Commercial Furniture and Interiors, (662) 561-1050 or visit <http://www.loftsinc.com>.