

Campus Living

Resident Assistant Application

(Please Type or Print in Blue or Black Ink)

I. COMMUNITY LIVING EXPERIENCE

Building/Area _____ Location/Organization _____ Dates _____

II. SPECIAL INTEREST POPULATIONS AND AREA PREFERENCE

To assist in our planning, please indicate any initial interest in our special interest populations.

Please rank your preference from 1 (first choice) to 4 (last choice). Final placement is determined using a variety of factors, including: fit with a specific area, floor or staff; vacancies at the time of hire, balance of experience and skill levels among all areas; personal preferences.

Area Preference: _____ MRC _____ WRC _____ Lake House _____ Husky Village

III. ESSAYS

In order for the Resident Assistant Selection Committee to learn as much as possible about you, please respond to the following questions in essay format. Please write thoughtful and thorough responses. However, limit your essays to no more than one page each (double spaced, 12 point font).

Note: Keep in mind that the essays will be evaluated and that no application is considered complete without them.

- 1.) What does “building a sense of community” mean to you? What role does community play in the Christian’s life? (Please include your thoughts on the following: accountability, discipleship, and relationship)
- 2.) Write about a situation where you had to handle conflict or about a past reaction/response to injustice.
- 3.) What do you feel are some of the issues new students face with their transition into the residence halls? Current students? How would you plan to help ease their transition?

IV: REFERENCES

Three (3) references are required to apply for the position of Resident Assistant. We do not need a letter, but please include your reference’s name, job title, and contact information with your essay questions.

Each reference should be from one of the following

- An **HBU faculty or professional staff employee, a mentor or previous employer** (family and peers excluded)
- If you live on campus one must also be completed by your current **Resident Director**, or other qualified reference.

It is your responsibility to make sure your application and references are turned in by the deadline (Jan. 29).

WAIVER OF RIGHT TO ACCESS & VERIFICATION

My signature below indicates that I have read and understand the information presented in this packet. All the information included in this application and my written responses are true to the best of my knowledge. Additionally by signing below, I am giving the administrators of Campus Living permission to verify my grade point average and convey whether or not I meet the qualifications for the position.

Signed _____ Date _____