



# Frequently Asked Questions

## What should I bring?

- Cell phone with charger
- Writing supplies (pens, pencils, notebooks, paper, etc.)
- Backpack
- Beach towel
- Umbrella
- Reusable water bottle
- Shampoo, soap, and other personal toiletries
- Laptop (optional)
- Additional bedding (optional)
- Power strip for additional electronics (optional)
- Clothing hangers (optional)
- Robe (optional)

## What should I not bring?

- Alcohol
- Candles or incense
- Hot plates
- Laundry bags (we will provide one for you)
- Extension cords and outlet splitters

### For a complete list of what not to bring:

<http://web.iit.edu/housing/what-bring-and-what-not-bring>

## What clothing should I bring?

- Clothing for a variety of weather conditions
- Swimsuit
- Workout clothes
- Rain gear
- Three “nice” outfits
  - Business casual is preferred such as: dark non-ripped jeans and a polo are acceptable
- Comfy shoes
- Shower shoes
- Sleepwear
- Extra undergarments and socks
- A set of clothes that you don’t mind getting dirty!

## How much spending money do I need during the program?

You should plan to have spending money for souvenirs, additional snacks, entertainment, or extra things you wish to purchase.

## Can I visit off campus with parents, relatives or friends during the program?

Yes, you may visit with family and friends off campus during the program. We would like you to limit these visits to after-program hours and weekends. College- and high-school-age family and friends of participants are allowed on campus after program hours but not allowed in overnight stay in the dorms.

## What sort of supervision will I have?

While Exelon Summer Institute is designed to give incoming students a taste of college life, please understand that this is a new environment and required supervision will be provided. Four program resident advisors and the program managers will be in the residential halls and available to assist new students, and Exelon Summer Institute staff will be on-site during the day.

## Will I be safe?

IIT Public Safety patrols our campus 24 hours a day! The campus has several emergency phones to provide additional student safety and comfort. Students are also asked to sign up for IIT Alerts

### For more information on IIT Public Safety:

<http://web.iit.edu/public-safety>

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<https://www.iit.edu/iitalert>