## Minnesota State University Mankato

## Rights and Responsibilities



To be a successful roommate, you must accept responsibility for the As a member of the Minnesota State University, Mankato Residence Communities, you have the following Rights & Responsibilities:

- 1. The right to read and study in your living unit free from distractions.
- 2. The right to sleep without undue disturbance.
- 3. The right to be treated with respect and civility at all times.
- 4. The right to expect a sense of privacy in your living unit.
- 5. The right to a safe and secure home.
- 6. The right to be free from fear of intimidation, physical harm and/or emotional distress.
- 7. The right to a clean living unit and the responsibility to share equally in the work to keep your living unit clean.
- 8. The responsibility to respect your roommate's rights and personal belongings.
- 9. The responsibility to host guests in a manner that does not

welfare of

yourself

& others.

interfere with the rights of your roommate and other community members.

10. The responsibility to complete and honor your Roommate Agreement.

11. The right and responsibility to speak out when you believe your rights have been violated.

12. The right and responsibility to seek the assistance of others to resolve conflict when individual action has not been successful.

## Only you can ensure that your roommate enjoys these rights.

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