

\*\*\*\*THE RESIDENCE\*\*\*\*  
Single Room Proposal  
2011-2012

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Thank you for your interest in The Residence. The Residence is made up of twelve eight-person suites and two one-person rooms. Each eight-person suite in The Residence commits to a yearlong service project, working with a community organization within the Cedar Valley area. The students are expected to spend six to ten hours each month working with this organization.

To maintain this service-focused environment throughout the building, students living in the one-person rooms will be expected to develop bulletin board displays throughout the year. These bulletin board displays will highlight topics related to community service within the Cedar Valley area. These topics can range from a current community issue to a specific community organization, and ultimately are decided by you.

You will be expected to develop two bulletin boards during Fall Term, two bulletin boards during Winter Term, and one bulletin board during May Term - for a yearlong total of five. You will not be expected to financially contribute to the development of these bulletin boards - materials will be provided throughout the entire year.

Students living in the one-person rooms will be expected to meet monthly with the Residence Life Service Coordinator. These meetings will be designed to help you develop a better understanding of how community service fits into your Wartburg experience.

***Proposals are due by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 25th and should be submitted via email to [charity.martsching@wartburg.edu](mailto:charity.martsching@wartburg.edu).*** A committee made up of faculty and staff will evaluate the proposals and determine the selection. You will be notified on Friday, March 18 of the committee's decision through correspondence in your campus mailbox. Individuals not selected will still have the opportunity to go through the regular housing process.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at [charity.martsching@wartburg.edu](mailto:charity.martsching@wartburg.edu) or 319-427-0683. Thanks again for your interest, and good luck!

Graci Martsching  
Residence Life Service Coordinator

# Proposal Guidelines

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Your proposal should be two to three pages in length. Please use each of the following questions as a heading to your response. Don't forget to include your name!

## Proposal

- Why are you interested in living in The Residence?
- How have you included community service within your Wartburg experience thus far?
- Identify two bulletin board topics you might consider using. For each topic discuss the following:
  - Explain why each topic is relevant to the Wartburg / Waverly community.
  - Also explain why other individuals within the building would benefit from this information.

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