Glasgow School of Art
Housing Information

The Glasgow School of Art guarantees Arcadia University students accommodation in their self-catered flats or in the University of Glasgow self-catered student houses. Glasgow School of Art regulations require that you contract to remain in your assigned housing for the full duration of your program. A meal-plan is not available at the Glasgow School of Art. Students will need to budget for meals separately.

**Housing Preference Form**
Please complete the enclosed housing form and return it to our office as soon as possible.

**Housing Placements**

**Self-catered student flats at Glasgow School of Art.** Almost without exception, all students are placed in the self-catered student accommodation building called Margaret MacDonald House. Accommodation is available for up to 116 students in self-contained flats. Each flat has single-study bedrooms, a communal kitchen, showers and living area. Students prepare their own meals in shared kitchens. Students must supply their own crockery and cutlery, which can be purchased inexpensively in Glasgow. Cigarette smoking is not permitted in any Glasgow School of Art accommodation. Student housing is within easy walking distance of the GSA campus.

In the event that Glasgow School of Art accommodation is over-booked, it is possible that students would be placed in self-catered student houses at University of Glasgow. These accommodations can be either terraced (row) houses or sets of flats (usually on Hillhead Street) which house from eight to 28 students. Both types allow students to prepare their own meals in shared kitchens. Students must supply their own crockery and cutlery, which can be purchased inexpensively in Glasgow. Most rooms are doubles. Student houses are within 25-minute walking distance from Glasgow School of Art. Students may also take a direct bus or underground (subway) ride to and from Glasgow School of Art.

**Linens and Laundry**
Glasgow School of Art supplies you with a pillow and duvet. You must supply your own linens, including sheets, duvet cover, towels and pillowcase. Students can purchase these items inexpensively during orientation or family homestay. Our Edinburgh office staff will be able to answer questions and offer suggestions on the best places to purchase these items. It is suggested that £40-£45 should be enough to cover the cost. Laundry facilities are available at flats on the ground level of Block D. They are token operated washing and drying machines.

**Housing Costs and Housing During Breaks**
If you would like to remain in residence during part or all of a long break (winter break or spring break), the cost will be covered by Arcadia University. Only full year students are eligible for housing over the winter holiday. You will be responsible for making your own arrangements with the accommodations officer and for paying the appropriate fees. You may then submit your receipt to our Edinburgh office for reimbursement. **You may be asked to change rooms.** If you do not wish to remain in residence over break, **you may be asked to store your belongings.** Storage areas will be available to you.
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Please return this form to our office as soon as possible by fax or mail. Our fax number is 215-572-2174.

Last name: ___________________________ First name: ___________________________

Home School: _______________________

Date of Birth: ___________ Age: _____ Sex: ___________ Major _______________

Please circle the program length appropriate to you:

academic year fall semester spring two-terms

Are you prepared to share a Mixed Sex Flat? _______

If you have any allergies, medical conditions or dietary restrictions which may affect your housing assignment, please list them here:

Very Important Note: We cannot guarantee any living requests, including roommates, location, or type of accommodation.

I understand and accept the Arcadia University housing policy.

Signature: ___________________________ Date: __________________

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