RESIDENCE LIFE & STUDENT HOUSING

WHAT ARE MY OPTIONS FOR RENEWING?
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

OPTION 1: Remain in My Current Room

The quickest option! If you are happy as can be in your current space, you will select this option and you will have nothing else to do until you move back in August.

**WHO CAN'T PICK THIS OPTION:** If you currently live in a living learning community you should not select this option; you will need to first confirm that you want to remain in your Living Learning Community before you can indicate you want to remain in your current space.

**WHAT DO I LOSE BY PICKING THIS OPTION:** You will not be able to pick a roommate or create an apartment-mate group if you pick this option. If there are specific people who you want to live with and you select this option, it is possible that someone else would pick the remaining available space in your room/apartment before the person you were planning to live with. If you who live with is more important to you than where you live, we recommend selecting another option instead of this option.

OPTION 2: Remain in My Living Learning Community & Room

For those residents who currently live in a Living Learning Community and want to stay in the exact same room, this option will take care of what you want.

**WHO CAN'T PICK THIS OPTION:** Anyone who does not currently live in an LLC, and anyone who wants to change rooms within the LLC they currently live in.

**WHAT DO I LOSE BY PICKING THIS OPTION:** You will not be able to pick a roommate or create an apartment-mate group if you pick this option. If there are specific people who you want to live with and you select this option, it is possible that someone else would pick the remaining available space in your room/apartment before the person you were planning to live with. If you who live with is more important to you than where you live, we recommend selecting Option 3: Move Into a Living Learning Community instead of this option. Please note, everyone would have to indicate the desire to live in that same Living Learning Community to be able to select one another as well.
OPTION 3: Move into a Living Learning Community OR Change Rooms within my Living Learning Community

If you would like to become a part of the robust Living Learning Program, this is the option for you. Learn more about the communities available within the Living Learning Program.

**WHO CAN’T PICK THIS OPTION:** Students who do not want to live in a Living Learning Community

**WHAT DO I LOSE BY PICKING THIS OPTION:** You will not be able to indicate any building preferences by selecting this option. Our LLCs are all located within specific areas of specific buildings, so your choices are completed by selecting the community you want to be a part of.

OPTION 4: Main Campus - General

There are several different building types available to students who would like to live on main campus and not participate in the Living Learning Program. Click here to find out more information on our buildings and halls.

**WHO CAN’T PICK THIS OPTION:** Students who would like to live in an LLC should not pick this option, as you will not be able to indicate any LLC preferences through this choice.

**WHAT DO I LOSE BY PICKING THIS OPTION:** You will not be able to pick a room at Lobo Rainforest if you select this housing option; you also will not be able to participate in a Living Learning Community by selecting this option.

OPTION 5: Lobo Rainforest

Living in the Lobo Rainforest puts you in a place where innovation and discovery live side by side. This living learning community is a unique initiative of Innovate ABQ, in partnership with UNM, and is the nucleus of the Innovation Corridor, Albuquerque’s long-term downtown master plan that will connect UNM to a district attracting entrepreneurs, investors and developers from around the country. Click here to find out more about Lobo Rainforest.

Also available at Lobo Rainforest is the Navajo Nation Student Housing. This community is a partnership between UNM and the Navajo Nation to support Navajo students at UNM. To find out more about the eligibility requirements, please visit us at our Navajo Nation Student Housing page.

**WHO CAN’T PICK THIS OPTION:** Students who want to reside on main campus or at Student Family Housing.
**WHAT DO I loose BY PICKING THIS OPTION:** You will not be able to select a room on Main Campus or Student Family Housing by selecting this option; you also will not be able to participate in the main campus Living Learning Communities if you pick this option.

**OPTION 6: Student Family Housing**

UNM Student Family Housing (SFH) is designed for UNM students, both undergraduate and graduate, with spouses, domestic partners or families. The SFH Complex consists of 200 apartments located in the 900 block of Buena Vista SE, a 12 acre site just a three-minute drive south of main campus. Click here to find out more about Student Family Housing

**WHO CAN’T PICK THIS OPTION:** Single students who do not meet the eligibility requirements for Student Family Housing.

**Other Frequently Asked Questions**

1. **When do I select my roommate?**

   Roommate selection will occur MARCH 12-MARCH 15.
   - Log into your Residence Dashboard.
   - Know who your roommate will be? Enter their roommate code.
   - Shopping around? Complete the roommate match process.

2. **When do I select my actual space?**

   Space Selection will occur MARCH 27-APRIL 15. Return to your Residence Dashboard during your designated space selection period and select your space. Space selection is determined by your class standing as of spring 2018.
   - Grads/Seniors March 27-28
   - Juniors March 29- April 1
   - Sophomores April 2-5
   - Freshmen April 6-10
   - Non-degree/ACC April 11-13

   **SPACE SELECTION ENDS APRIL 15, 2018**

**Not ready to decide?**

We would love to talk to you more about our housing options. If you can come visit us, we offer tours of our halls on a regular basis and would encourage you to take advantage of those. You can email us at mail to: housing@unm.edu, call us at 505-277-2606, or just come by the UNM SRC Commons.