

Do you want to be Accredited?  
*Consult NMMU Off-campus  
Housing Office (OCHO)*

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## **Off-campus accomodation: Accreditation criteria**





## Accreditation procedure

- ▶ Send a written accreditation request to the accreditation manager
- ▶ Complete the accreditation form
- ▶ The accreditation evaluation team will inspect the property
- ▶ Accreditation notification will be sent
- ▶ Successful applicants will sign the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA)
- ▶ Accreditation is done annually

## Duration

### **Bigger properties:**

- ▶ 1st Semester  
1 February to 30 June
- ▶ 2nd Semester  
1 July to 30 November

### **Smaller properties:**

- ▶ 15 January to 30 November

## Services

### **Provided by NMMU:**

- ▶ Living and Learning Programmes
- ▶ Health Services and medical emergencies
- ▶ Appoint House Committee, Mentors and Residence Student Assistant (RSA)
- ▶ Providing citizenship, SHE and First Aid training
- ▶ Student data is captured on the NMMU ITS system
- ▶ Student Housing Disciplinary



## Accommodation criteria (bigger properties)

- ▶ One or two single beds, mattresses and lockup cupboards for each student.
- ▶ A desk with a light, comfortable chair and bookshelf will be provided for each student.

### **Exclusive use for the STUDENTS:**

#### *One kitchenette per 10 students containing:*

- ▶ A single bowl sink – 1 per 15 students.
- ▶ A broom and mop per house committee member.
- ▶ A minimum of three/four plate stove – 1 per 6 students.
- ▶ Working top with cupboard sufficient for 15 students.

#### *Bathrooms:*

- ▶ Common bathroom with shower curtains for each cubicle – 1 per 7 students,
- ▶ Lockable toilets – 1 per 5 students
- ▶ Wash basins – 1 per 4 students.

#### *Security:*

- ▶ Professionally trained security guards on duty 24/7 at entrances to the building.
- ▶ Access control by means of a turnstile operated electronically by identifying a student.

#### *Transport*

- ▶ Transportation for STUDENTS if 3km away from NMMU (any campus).

#### *Other:*

- ▶ Recreational area
- ▶ Computer area (not compulsory)
- ▶ WiFi
- ▶ Laundry facilities
- ▶ Sanitation, fire, health and safety
- ▶ Cleaning of common areas everyday on bigger properties, and for smaller properties shall be guided by the accommodation grading.



## Accommodation criteria (smaller properties)

### **Grading criteria: A, B & C**

#### *Services:*

- ▶ Pre-paid electricity
- ▶ Cleaning services
- ▶ DSTV
- ▶ Free uncapped Internet

#### *Each Lockable Bedroom:*

- ▶ Single bed ▶ desk ▶ lamp ▶ chair ▶ bookshelf
- ▶ lockable wardrobe ▶ wall mounted towel rack ▶ mirror

#### *Bathroom:*

- ▶ All convenient sanitation facilities

#### *Lounge:*

- ▶ A lounge suite and coffee table
- ▶ 1 TV set

#### *Kitchen:*

- ▶ Stove ▶ refrigerator ▶ toaster
- ▶ Kettle ▶ iron & ironing board ▶ microwave
- ▶ crockery, glasses, plastic containers and cutlery
- ▶ cooking pots

#### *Building & outside:*

- ▶ A regular size refuse bin capable of taking refuse bags
- ▶ Lockable gates & post box
- ▶ Burglar proofing on all window and door openings to the outside & audio burglar alarm system