

Your first week at university

This will be a very exciting time for you. You've got the (1)_____ you needed and you're off to university. For many of you this will be the first time away from home. Write a list of things you should take with you, for example, your (2)_____ if you're planning to go travelling. You'll certainly need all the (3)_____ the university has sent you about your (4)_____ or accommodation. Don't bring too many household items with you. You'll be able to buy a lot of things at university.

When you arrive and go to your room, check that everything is as it should be and in (5)_____. Report anything that looks damaged. You don't want to be blamed for this and be asked to pay any costs involved. This is also the time to get to meet new people. Don't (6)_____ in your room, but go to the kitchen as this is always the first place to introduce yourself to other students.

During your first week you can enjoy Freshers' Week. This is the time to find out about all the clubs and (7)_____ you can join at university. These are great ways to get to know students doing different subjects. These people will help you forget about your studies when you need to relax and not talk about work. It's sensible to limit yourself to signing up to a (8)_____ of five groups or you'll be receiving emails for weeks to come.

Don't forget the important things like registering with the local doctor as soon as you can. And think about your (9)_____. Don't spend too much but at the same time make sure you don't go hungry. And remember to put your name on your food. A shared fridge sometimes leads (10)_____!