

Special Interest Communities

Information about each of our Special Interest Communities is listed below. Residents choose to live in these communities based on their specific interests. The programming model for these communities may differ slightly from the standard Community Development Model in order to target the special needs of these communities. Students that choose to live in these communities agree to abide by the special community standards. These can be found on the Housing webpage under the “About Living on Campus” link.

Intensive Study

The purpose of the Intensive Study Community at FGCU is to create an environment that promotes academic success and enhances the student’s overall academic experience. Students in the Intensive Study Community will have the opportunity to engage and interact with other FGCU students who place a great deal of importance on their academic pursuits. Residents must have and maintain a 3.0 GPA in order to live in this community. Residents in the Intensive Study Community also agree to extended quiet hours. Quiet Hours are established by the community members within the first 2 weeks of classes.

Honors

The Honors Community is an ideal place for students participating in the University Honors Program to share their passion for learning. The Honors Community, in partnership with the University Honors Program, works to integrate the experiences obtained inside of the classroom into the residence hall by offering programs/activities that contribute to the students’ intellectual engagement. Centrally located and lakefront, the Honors Community provides a living environment that allows students to interact, grow, and develop together. Residents in the Honors community must maintain at 3.3 GPA. There are also extended quiet hours for this community.

Wellness

The purpose of the Wellness Community at FGCU is to create a supportive environment where students interested in a substance-free lifestyle can work together to develop habits that promote a lifelong commitment to keep wellness a priority in their lives. Students in the Wellness Community will have the opportunity to work with students and staff to develop/participate in a wide range of programs/activities focused around their wellness interests.