

# Clark University

GRADUATE STUDIES

## Your home away from home!



Welcome to Clark University in Worcester — our exciting city at the heart of New England. Worcester is a midsize city with big-city rhythms and spirit. The city’s diverse cultural landscape — more than 20 percent of the population is comprised of immigrants — continues to shape Worcester’s identity into a colorful and vibrant place to live and learn.

When it comes to finding a place to live, most of our graduate students choose to live off-campus with roommates. You’ll find a variety of affordable, off-campus housing options located near campus, as well as in downtown Worcester and the surrounding areas. We’re here to help you in your housing search!

### Here are some resources to assist you:

- Clark’s [apartment listing service](#), Jump-Off Campus, lists plenty of great options as they become available. Listings are viewable online with a map which lets users click on a given property to view details, email the landlord, and see distances. Postings are priced per month and include photos. **The apartments on Jump Off Campus are not owned by**

**Clark University and housing complaints are dealt with by the landlord.** Visit [Jump Off Campus here](#) to watch instructional videos on how to operate the site. We recommend watching all of their videos to become familiar with apartment hunting in Worcester. This [video](#) is especially helpful.

- Clark University has worked with [Hampton Properties](#); many of their apartments are within walking distance to campus.
- Directly contact apartment complexes throughout the area for availability. Many offer shuttles and other desired amenities. Some Clark students have found housing in nearby properties like these: [Edge at Union Station](#), [The Grid](#), [Royal Worcester Apartments](#), and [Junction Shop Lofts](#).
- There are a variety of websites and posting areas where you can find off campus apartments for rent including: [Worcester Telegram](#), [Zillow.com](#), [Apartments.com](#), [Trulia.com](#), [Hotpads.com](#), [realtor.com](#), and [Craigslist](#).
- Join our Facebook group, [Clark University Accepted Graduate Students](#), to get in touch with other graduate students and look for roommates and housing.

#### **Other Resources for Renters:**

- Here are [sample documents](#) that may come in handy when communicating with your landlord.
- [Rental Agreements and Lease Information](#) (PDF) – it is very important to read your entire lease carefully before you sign anything.
- [Lease Termination and Evictions](#) (PDF)
- [Maintenance and Repairs](#) (PDF)
- [Massachusetts State Resources](#)
- Visit <https://www.inmyarea.com/> for information on the best providers for Utilities, Home Security, Cable TV and Internet available in the area.

Whatever your passion – Worcester delivers with more than enough to keep your weekends booked:

- Like nature? There are over 1,200 acres of parkland across the city.
- Like food? There's something for everyone with a wide variety of [restaurants](#) – Shrewsbury Street is a particular favorite for breakfast, lunch, and dinner!
- Arts aficionado? We have art museums, galleries, and festivals year round.