

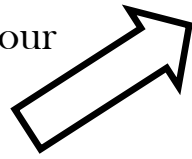
# 101 Things to Do Before You Graduate

- Follow @LCORL and @LCFYE on Twitter for updates on fun things to do**
- Volunteer with the Office of Community Involvement
- Go to a coffee house performance
- Have dinner at the dining hall
- Create a team and play in Turkey Bowl
- Play in the snow on a snow day**
- Check out a book at the Knight Capron Library
- Write a letter to the editor of the Critograph
- Support your upperclass friends at their presentations on Red Letter Day
- Have your picture taken with Elsie the Hornet**
- Have some fun at Amazement Square
- Figure out your own snow day rituals and wish for one
- Study abroad or at least explore Lynchburg
- Climb the rock wall**
- Learn to do your own laundry
- Join a club (There are 45 active clubs on campus!)
- Visit Smith Mountain Lake State Park
- Go hiking on the Blackwater Creek Trail**
- Take the train to a new destination
- Check out the community theatre downtown
- Have coffee with your CL
- Go roller skating or play some laser tag at FunQuest**
- Ride the Lynchburg City bus for free, just flash your LC I.D.
- Watch and support your friends at DanceWorks
- Cheer on your friends at LC Idol
- Rent a bike from Sustain LC's Bike Shop
- Find your favorite local restaurant
- Get a massage from the AT majors on during National Athletic Trainers Month in March
- Go to Late Night Breakfasts**
- Use the gym in Drysdale Student Center
- Collect as many free t-shirts as possible
- Attend a lecture on campus outside of your class time
- Talk to Dean Eccles on the Dell
- Try out snowboarding or skiing at Snowflex
- Go to at least one game of every sport and cheer on all your peers
- Run for a position on the Class Council
- Go downtown and explore (May we suggest the Community Market?!)**
- Play kickball, volleyball, Frisbee, football, or even slack line on the Dell
- Take a chance and step on the seal at Friendship Circle or not to see if you get your diploma senior year
- Go see a show in Dillard (Theatre or Orchestra)
- Check out an Art Gallery Opening at the Daura Gallery
- Get your friends together and play intramurals**
- Go to Get Downtown! In the Fall
- Go ghost hunting at Sandusky
- Check out the local history at the Lynchburg Museum
- Have fun with some doggies at Doggies in the Dell**
- Get your fill of seafood at Crabfest
- Create a Homecoming Team and attend all the events**
- Talk to your Student Government Association representative about any issues you may see on campus
- Eat at the Hornet Shop before class
- Win some free things at a Bingo Night
- Thank the housekeeping staff for all that they do
- See President Garren and his wife do the Hornet Hop**
- Put off studying for finals for a couple hours and head to Finals Blowout**
- Take advantage of the resources in Pete's Place in Drysdale Student Center
- Get your favorite coffee from Brewed Awakenings
- Attend a Student Government Association's (SGA) Open Forum
- Attend Tie Dye Tuesday and tie dye everything
- Go to the dollar theatre**
- Attend Saint Baldrick's and maybe shave your head for the cause
- Pull an all nighter at Relay for Life and donate to support cancer prevention research.
- Watch a Midnight Mile
- Write a thank you note to someone at the Thankful Thursday's table sponsored by Spiritual Life
- Tweet @LCORL and @LCFYE about your favorite experience at LC and get a retweet or favorite from them**
- Join GSA's No H8 Campaign
- Float down the James River with Outdoor Leadership Program
- Congratulate all your friends when you attend the Leadership Awards
- Get an internship to use some skills you have learned in the classroom
- Take a hike at the Claytor Nature Center
- Get a hole in one at the Putt-Putt Fun Center**
- Take advantage of the Anderson Leadership Conference and the Eccles' Leadership Summit
- Sleep on the Dell to support the Bonner Program's Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week
- Take your family to Casino Night during Family and Friends Week-end
- Try some new cuisine at the International Food Festival**
- Train for a Color Run 5k in Charlottesville or Roanoke
- Grab some great food at Elsí in Drysdale Student Center
- Get some help at with your papers at the Writing Center**
- Get a group of friends and study in any of the many study lounges in the residence halls, Schewel or Drysdale Student Center
- Ask your professor to sit out on the Dell for class on the first nice day of Spring**
- Check out LC LEADS
- Sit by the fireplace in Drysdale Student Center**
- See a double feature Drive In movie theatre in Moneta
- Read every Campus Update from Dean Eccles
- Take a picture with all of your friends at the L-O-V-E display at Percival's Island**
- Go to a themed dinner at Burton Dining Hall
- Meet some Alumni at a Hornet 2 Hornet Event
- Attend an RA Interest Event to have fun and learn more about joining Residence Life
- Dress up in your scariest costume for OSA's Monster Bash
- Have fun at the Residential Student Organization's (RSO) "Wet and Wild"**
- Get your favorite special for lunch or dinner in the Westover Room (We suggest the Nolan Wrap!)
- Go on an Alternative Spring Break trip
- Take a selfie on the Dell with all of your closest friends and tweet at @LCORL and @LCFYE
- Go to an LC sponsored tailgate at one of the many sports games**
- Volunteer at a blood drive or donate
- Go see the Peaks of Otter
- Take a class that you're interested in just for fun
- Check out Beaver Point on campus
- Attend a local Hillcats baseball game**
- Attend a Science Gang event (They like explosions)
- Learn the LC Fight Song
- Shake President Garren's hand as you walk across the stage and receive your diploma at Commencement**

# HELPFUL TIPS TO GUIDE YOU THROUGH YOUR FIRST YEAR

## So you've seen the movie, *The Roommate*, and you're freaking out.

Calm down, it was just a movie. The best way to avoid issues between you and your roommate are to set boundaries from the start. Communicating with your roommate will prevent most problems 90% of the time. It is usually great at first, but once you start living in the room for a couple of weeks you begin to notice little quirks that you didn't know were there. For example, he may like to study late and keep the light on, when you like to go to bed early. Communicate! Another example that comes up often, you may have a boyfriend who you loves to be in the room with you and spend the night. Your roommate may not like that. It may seem like she is jealous but it may just be that she is insecure about her body. Communicate! If problems do arise after you've both communicated, go to your RA and tell them what's going on. We are trained to help and we are there for you!



## An RA, What the Heck is That?

An RA is a resident assistant. We are student who live on the hall with you. We are here as a resource for you. A couple of things we do are:

- We conduct one on ones with each resident. We really want to get to know you as a person and what your interests are.
- We put on programs like; Breast Cancer Awareness, Mock-tails, and Floor Wars
- We make creative door decorations to help you feel at home.
- We have floor meetings to help keep you informed and explain residential policies.
- We conduct roommate agreements and mediations. When you come to us with your problems we are there to help. If you and your roommate are having issues please come see us. We can help.



## Hungry? What are the most popular delivering restaurants?

Dominos (Pizza)	(434) 385-0404
Good Taste (Chinese)	(434) 239-1808
Pizza Hut (Pizza)	(434) 845-1433
Trust (Chinese)	(434) 846-0515
King's Island (Chinese)	(434)-384-0066



## Important Resources and Phone Numbers to keep!

Security (434-544-8100) available for lock outs, escorts, and safety issues.

Office of Residence Life (434-544-8320) or [residencelife@lynchburg.edu](mailto:residencelife@lynchburg.edu)

Emergency Medical Services (434-544-5555) available for medical emergencies at all times.

Counseling Center (434-544-8616) available to give support to all students.

Academic and Career Services (434-544-8339) available for academic advice and support.

Spiritual Life (434-544-8348) available for worship and support .

## After a summer off, ough homework again!

No one really loves homework, but it has to be done. PROCRASTINATION is the enemy! It happens to the best of us, especially with all of these great programs going on. If you need a quiet place to study, head to the study rooms in Tate or to the library. The library hours are catered to students. Are you struggling in some classes, there are PASS leaders, Math and History Tutors, and a MLRC Language Center located on the 2nd floor of Schewel Hall to help! Getting low grades on papers, the Writing Center tutors are a big help! The Writing Center is located on the first floor of Hopwood, tutors are also located in Mont & Tate, and the library, those hours will vary. All these resources are available to students. Check your emails!

## Quick Laundry Tips      Your RA's Name:

- 1.) Empty pockets
- 2.) Clean out dryer filter
- 3.) Promptly empty clothes
- 4.) Use the directed amount of detergent
- 5.) Tide Pods are great!
- 6.) Try not to overfill the washing machine
- 7.) If anything is wrong with the machines, please alert the RA so they can call to get it fixed.

Room #:

Cellphone/Email:



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