

# CURTIN UNIVERSITY

## On-campus accommodation

On-campus accommodation is self-catered and fully furnished, and available at the Perth Campus, the Kalgoorlie Campus. It generally comprises:

- single study-bedrooms with a shared facilities such as kitchens and bathrooms
- 6-8 students per unit
- couples options
- fees between AUD\$140-\$345 per week.

Curtin provides 24-hour security seven days a week so you will live in a safe and friendly multicultural environment.

## Off-campus accommodation

There are alternatives if you are unable to secure on-campus housing or prefer the independence and privacy of living off campus.

### Shared housing

Renting a room in a shared house is a popular option.

Curtin Housing Advisory Service keeps a register of people in established households who are looking to share with others. Gumtree's real estate section is another place to search for available rooms or to advertise for housemates.

### Rental properties

Whether you prefer a 3-bedroom house a short walk from campus or a studio apartment midway between Curtin and the city, there is a range of rental options in the suburbs surrounding the Perth Campus. Rental prices vary depending on the type of accommodation and location.

Weekly rental fees do not usually include utility costs. You may need to pay at least two weeks' rent in advance and the equivalent of four weeks' rent as a bond (security deposit).

Rental properties in Perth are usually unfurnished, which means they don't contain furniture, home wares or appliances other than a stove, and you'll need to bring or buy your own household things.

However, some student rentals near the Perth Campus have bedroom, dining and lounge furniture.

You can search for rental properties on the internet. Websites like [realestate.com.au](http://realestate.com.au), [domain.com.au](http://domain.com.au) or [reiwa.com.au](http://reiwa.com.au) are good places to start.

### Homestay

Homestay or full-board is an arrangement where you live with a local family in their own home. Meals are included. Prices vary based on quality and location of the house as well as the services offered with it.