



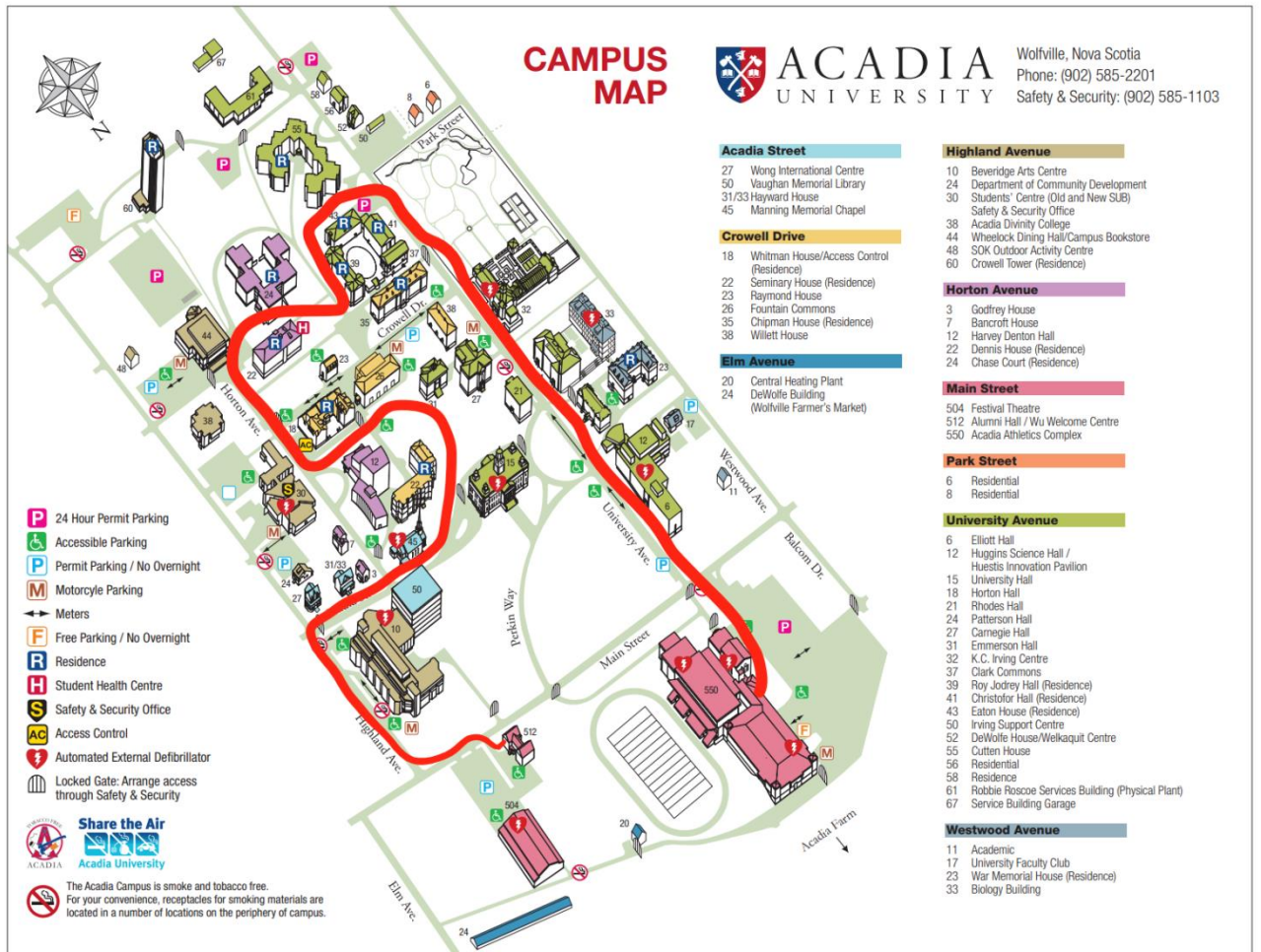
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## Self-Guided Campus Tour

This self-guided campus tour is designed to help you explore Acadia University at your own pace. Whether you're a prospective student, visitor, or just curious about our beautiful campus, this guide will lead you through key locations, offer insights into the history and culture of Acadia, and provide helpful tips to enhance your experience. Enjoy discovering all that our university has to offer!

### Wu Welcome Centre

512 Main Street, Wolfville



Also known as Alumni Hall, the Wu Welcome Centre will serve as an entry point to campus, meeting the needs of prospective students and families, visiting alumni, special guests, and the Acadia campus community. The multi-purpose building is used as a venue for events such as faculty meetings,

alumni reunions, and campus presentations as well as housing several offices and workspaces for campus support staff such as Domestic Student Recruitment. Historically, this building used to serve as the university President's house.

### Festival Theatre

504 Main Street, Wolfville

The Festival Theatre presents a "broad range of critically acclaimed theatre classics" during the school semester and summers in Wolfville. The former town hockey arena was converted into a 504 seat, thrust stage theatre and professional production facility by the Atlantic Theatre Festival Society (a non-profit charity). The local, Nova Scotian, and Canadian Government contributed over two-million dollars to create the Festival Theatre. The space is also an extension of the School of Music, often used for classes and as a studio space.



**Beveridge Arts Centre (BAC)**  
10 Highland Avenue, Wolfville



The Beveridge Arts Centre also known as the BAC, is the main arts building on campus that hosts many first-year lectures, as the classrooms have larger occupancy than others. The Faculty of Arts is also housed in this building. Many professors have their office space within the upper portion of this building and is where many office hours for the department will take place.

Attached to this building, you will also find the Vaughan Memorial Library (50 Acadia Street). The library has four floors and noise levels decrease as you go up the floors. The first floor houses many group study spaces, which allows for a louder library experience, whereas the fourth floor is all independent study spaces, making it the quietest floor in the library.



On the main floor of the library, there are many resources available to students. It is encouraged that students explore and utilize these resources to enhance their academic experience. These resources are free to students and include, but are not limited to:

- Writing Centre,
- Faculty librarians for specialized research help
- Inter-library loans
- Single/group study rooms & reservations of those spaces
- Online resources
- A sound lab

During high-stress periods, the library also likes to host destressing events, such as puppy visits, video games available in the main lobby and many other activities.

The library is open 8 AM-1 AM on weekdays and 11 AM-1 AM on weekends.



### The Wong International Centre

27 Acadia Street, Wolfville



The Wong International Centre is a space created for international students but welcome to all students and community members. The International Student Advising Coordinator is in this building so a wonderful resource for international students. Events coordinated by the Wong or students are held in this building creating many opportunities to learn and experience other cultures.

### Bancroft House

7 Horton Avenue, Wolfville



This is home to Acadia's Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Officer. The Equity Officer is available to students, staff, and faculty. The fundamental objective of the Equity Office is to prevent discrimination, sexual harassment, and personal harassment from occurring. The Equity Officer's Roles and Responsibilities are:

- Take reasonable steps to protect the health, safety, and security of any member of the University community in relation to the

Harassment & Discrimination Policy.

- Receive, investigate, and resolve complaints by informal resolution, mediation, or formal complaint.
- Provide and promote programs that raise campus awareness of the nature of, and problems associated with, discrimination, sexual harassment, and personal harassment and educate those in positions of responsibility in the objectives and implementation of the policy.

### Manning Memorial Chapel

45 Acadia Street, Wolfville



Place for spirituality and wellness more broadly. The chapel itself is open for services every day of the week, as well as a Roman Catholic mass on Saturdays and a University service on Sundays. There have been Passion Plays in which many students take part as well as Reader's Theaters and short skits. There are also bible studies, meditation courses, banquets, and of course concerts.

### Seminary House (Residence)

22 Crowell Drive, Wolfville



Whether it's the breathtaking architecture or the long-standing traditions that tip you off – it's hard to spend a day at Seminary House without learning that it is the longest standing residence in Canada. The rich history, stunning views, and musical environment form a backdrop to your studies that is equal parts fascinating and beautiful. Home to the *Music Enthusiasts Living Learning Community*.

**Size:** 90 Residents

**Features:** Heritage property with high ceilings and different room sizes and types. Large common lounge plus games room. Two long

sections of rooms plus three short sections make Seminary a building full of character.

Laundry is located centrally on the main floor.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, closet or armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 38 single rooms (single bed), 2 deluxe single rooms (double bed), 20 double rooms (40 single beds) 6 Shared Singles (12 single rooms with shared lounge).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General and Themed Community



### University Hall

15 University Avenue, Wolfville



A place where a student comes full circle. You start your university degree off with a matriculation ceremony and graduate, all in University Hall's Convocation Hall. This building also features the President's Office and other Senior Management office, and our Finance offices. Students Accounts, Scholarships & Financial Aid, Registrars' Office, and the Admissions office are all located in the basement of this building, and should you need those

services, you can access them through the basement.

This building also features our Study Abroad offices. Acadia University's Exchange Program is available to Acadia students who wish to study abroad during their 3rd year and to students at our partner institutions who wish to spend a semester or a year at Acadia. Countries you can apply to study in include Australia, England, France, Germany, Scotland, Spain, Wales, China, United States, Norway, Sweden, Brazil, and Japan



Fun building fact: the clock on University Hall features two 7's on it because every graduating class donates something to the university, and the class of '77 donated the clock!

### Harvey Denton Hall

12 Horton Avenue, Wolfville



Home to The School of Music and Black Box Theatre, this space offers a comprehensive music curriculum where students develop expertise in a chosen area of specialization while being encouraged to broaden their horizons within our many diverse course offerings. Also, where you can audition for and watch the school musical!



## Students' Union Building (SUB)

30 Highland Avenue, Wolfville



Home to the Acadia Students' Union which is a student governed organization dedicated to serving its members through effective representation and communication. The Students' Union offers innovative and quality services while providing a variety of opportunities which enhance the overall University experience of the students of Acadia. Acadia Students' Union believes in and upholds the values of integrity, excellence, and

respect, while recognizing the importance of fun, community spirit, and the tradition upon which the Union was founded.

The Students' Union Building features many different resources that are available to students of Acadia. These resources include, but are not limited to:

- **Union Market:** The Union Market allows students to pick up the basics without having to head into town! There is a mailbox and parcel pick-up location in this building. Students can also purchase their bus tickets to and from the airport here.
- **Safety & Security:** The Safety & Security office is located on the second floor of the SUB. It is open 24 hours a day. Safety & Security also offers a shuttle to get students home safely at night. Students can purchase parking passes for the year from the office. Student IDs are available from Access Control, located in the bottom of Whitman House, directly across from the SUB.
- **Sexual Health Resource Centre:** Works to facilitate students' advancement, growth, and development of sexual health knowledge and practices. We do that by providing education, resources, support, and access to products for the Acadia community.
- **Food Cupboard:** Developed to fight food insecurities on campus, this student-led initiative provides emergency food and miscellaneous living supplies such as toilet paper and feminine hygiene products to students. The room also provides nutritional information, dietary support, and budgeting tools to all students.
- **Axe Lounge:** It is newly renovated and doesn't fit the stereotypical "student bar" description. It is open to all students until 9PM – bonuses include affordable and tasty food! This is a popular spot for Student and Alumni events.

There are many additional students supports that can be access through Acadia and the ASU.

During Orientation Week, there is an Acadia Clubs and Associations Extravaganza, where all participate and recruit new members to join their teams. This is a great opportunity to meet new people and learn about other interests you may have. We highly recommend getting involved with a club or association!

Attached to this building is the Old Students' Union Building, also known as the Old SUB. This building features the ASU Student Executive offices, Residence Life, and the Counselling Offices.

### **Whitman House (Residence)**

18 Crowell Drive, Wolfville



Known around campus as “Tully”, Whitman House is exclusively open to female-identifying students. Equipped with private bathrooms, deep-rooted traditions, and a tight-knit community – this is a great choice for students who prioritize comfort. Home to the Women in Science and Engineering (WISE) Living Learning Community.

**Size:** 98 Residents

**Features:** Residence for women only. Whitman or "Tully" as it is known has modern private bathrooms and other facilities together with a real sense of history. Hardwood floors, two kitchens and lounges on the lower level and one large lounge and a quiet study lounge on the main floor. Laundry is in the basement.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 18 single rooms (single bed), 12 deluxe single rooms (single bed in a larger room), 30 double rooms (60 single beds), 8 single rooms in shared suites (single beds and bathroom and lounge shared with one other suitemate)

**Community Type:** Female-Identifying Only

**Living Environments Available:** General and Themed Community

Whitman House also features our Access Control. This is where students will go to collect their Student ID cards and seek assistance if they are having trouble with their card.



### **Acadia Divinity College (ADC)**

38 Highland Avenue, Wolfville

As the seminary of the Canadian Baptists of Atlantic Canada (CBAC) and the Faculty of Theology for Acadia University, ADC is built on the faith of countless individuals who have worked together to distinguish the college as a diverse, creative, and forward-thinking academic institution.

Offering full-time and part-time degree programs at the bachelor's, master's, and doctoral level, as well as continuing education programs, students are challenged to cultivate their calling – whether in academia or vocational ministry – through rigorous intellectual instruction, meaningful spiritual formation, and practical ministry experience.

Acadia Divinity College is accredited by the Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada.



### **Dennis House (Residence)**

22 Horton Avenue, Wolfville



A population consisting of primarily first-year students makes the building energetic, lively, and fun for all.

**Size:** 100 Residents

**Features:** Large TV lounge, kitchen, and common area on main floor. Lounge on each floor with bay window and view of campus. Kitchenette and laundry on each level.

**Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 6 single rooms (single bed), 8 deluxe single rooms (double bed), 10 shared suite rooms (single bed with a

shared bathroom and lounge with other rooms in the suite), 46 double rooms (120 single beds) 14 Super Singles (double room to one person).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General

The Student Health Centre is also located in this building where students can book appointments and receive services such as:

- Medical diagnosis and treatment of health concerns.

- Women's health, reproductive health: pap tests, birth control, pregnancy tests, etc.
- Men's health
- Transgender and gender non-conforming health.
- Sexual health: confidential testing for all sexually transmitted infections.
- Allergy injections and travel vaccinations
- Emergency contraception

### **Wheelock Dining Hall**

44 Highland Avenue, Wolfville



This is the only dining hall on campus with a gorgeous view of the Minas Basin. Wheelock Dining Hall offers a variety of different meal plans for students to select from. Some of the key features of the Dining Hall include:

- Dining stations
- Pantry
- A kitchen where you can cook your own meal
- Dietary accommodations
- The Acadia Growcer.

Also featured in this building, is the Acadia Bookstore. Students can purchase school supplies here including lab coats, used and new textbooks, printers, Acadia swag, etc.

The Acadia Bookstore also features a great program for first year students called Books on Beds. First year students can order the textbooks they need for their classes online and when they arrive to move into their residence room, their books will already be there, on their bed. This allows first year students to focus on moving in and settling into their new space, without having the pressures of also having to buy their books.

### **Acadia Growcer**

44 Highland Avenue, Wolfville (behind Wheelock Dining Hall)





The Acadia Growcer is a farm inside a box! Acadia partnered with our food service provider, Acadia Dining Services by Chartwells in 2019 to bring the hydroponic, vertical growing system to campus. It is housed inside a repurposed shipping container and produces greens and microgreens year-round. Ten percent of the produce grown is donated to the Acadia Food Cupboard.

It is the first of its kind for a post-secondary institution in Atlantic Canada. The Acadia Growcer continues the tradition of growing food on campus and is located behind Wheelock Dining Hall, where cows and pigs once roamed the hills as part of the original Acadia Farm.

Quick Facts About the Acadia Growcer:

- Produces up to 230 lbs. of produce per week for the Acadia dining hall and campus catering.
- No pesticides or herbicides are used in the system.
- Uses 99% less water and 97% less land than growing the same amount of produce in a conventional farm.
- Two part-time staff are employed to grow produce and manage the unit.
- Power use is an average of 104-111 kWh/day in the Arctic communities it was originally designed for.
- Built in a recycled shipping container.

In addition to growing greens, it is also used for teaching and research. The Acadia Growcer showcases innovation in food production at a time when there are many food security issues around the world, especially in rural and remote regions. It's designed for cold environments and demonstrates that food production is possible year-round.

### **Chase Court (Residence)**

24 Horton Avenue, Wolfville

An active and connected community that provides a home-like warmth to all who stay there. Chase Court is one of the larger residences on campus, many of whom are upper year students.

**Size:** 250 residents

**Features:** Lounges, kitchenettes, large lounge areas in each section. Main kitchen, TV lounge, and study rooms located close to the main entrance. Laundry machines available in most sections. Storage/trunk room space is available.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 100% single rooms including: 190 Basic Single rooms (private room with a single bed), 47 Deluxe Single Rooms (a larger room with a double bed), 18 rooms in 6 Shared Suites (suites consist of 3 private bedrooms, a lounge, and a washroom).

**Community Type:** All Gender



**Living Environments Available:** General, Quiet, Scent and Substance Free

### Crowell Tower (Residence)

60 Highland Avenue, Wolfville



The largest residence at Acadia provides unrivalled views of the Annapolis Valley, that brings Crowell it's unique character and a bustling community.

**Size:** 260 Residents

**Features:** Each floor has 20 residents and an RA, kitchen/lounge area on each floor. TV lounge, study room, newly renovated main kitchen, and laundry are in a central location on the main level.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, closet, built-in dresser, storage cabinet, desk with shelves, telephone, and desk chair.

**Room Mix:** 140 single rooms (single bed), 60 double rooms (120 single beds) 10 deluxe singles, 5 Super Singles

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General and Quiet sections.

### 55 University (Residence)

55 University Avenue, Wolfville

A balanced culture that provides residents with a quiet place to study on weeknights, and a more colourful scene on the weekend. 55 University Ave. is a great choice for students who want the best of both worlds in their university experience.

**Size:** 250 Residents

**Features:** Larger residence split into smaller sections with lounge and kitchenettes. Large TV lounge, study lounge, and common space on main level. Kitchen and dining area on main level. Laundry is centrally located on each floor.

**Typical Room Includes:** Closet, bed (with storage), dresser, desk (with shelves above), telephone and desk chair.

**Room Mix:** 144 single rooms (single bed), 55 double rooms (110 single beds), 20 Super Singles

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General, Alcohol Free, and Quiet sections.





### Christofor Hall (Residence)

41 University Avenue, Wolfville



Long-standing traditions, large universal common spaces, and a unique comradery with its neighbouring residence buildings all come together to give Christofor Hall a wonderfully unique culture.

**Size:** 70 Residents

**Features:** Smaller size residence, single, double, and deluxe single rooms. Large main lounge, kitchen, and study area. Laundry is located on each floor. Christofor shares a Resident Assistant team with Eaton House

and Roy Jodrey Hall.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 29 single rooms (single bed), 15 deluxe single room (double bed), 15 doubles (30 single beds)

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General

### Eaton House (Residence)

43 University Avenue, Wolfville

Hosting a prideful community known as the “Raiders”, Eaton House is known just as much for its fun and eventful energy as it is for its unique bond to its neighbour Christofor Hall.

**Size:** 70 Residents

**Features:** Smaller size residence, single, double, and deluxe single rooms. Large main lounge, kitchen, and study area. Laundry is located on each floor. Eaton House shares a Resident Assistant team with Christofor and Roy Jodrey Hall.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 37 single rooms (single bed), 16 deluxe single rooms (double bed), 18 double rooms (36 single beds).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General



### Roy Jodrey Hall (Residence)

39 University Avenue, Wolfville



A peaceful and reflective atmosphere – owed in part to its high-percentage of upper year students – helps cultivate a learning-focused community that is ideal for studious residents.

**Size:** 90 Residents

**Features:** All single rooms and suites, all double beds. Roy Jodrey, or RoJo as it is known, is designed for upper-year living. Newest residence on campus with a lounge on each floor and a kitchen/dining room on the lower level. Laundry is located on most floors.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 48 single rooms (double bed), 48 bedrooms in shared suites (single room, double bed with a lounge and bathroom shared by two other suitemates).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General and Quiet sections.

### Chipman House (Residence)

35 Crowell Drive, Wolfville

Well-rounded community that is known for its diversity and inclusivity. It uniquely features four themed communities designed to help students meet others with similar interests.

**Size:** 110 Residents

**Features:** Mix of double and single rooms; lounges, kitchenettes, large lounge areas. Laundry machines located in central room on the first floor. Each residence has a remarkable team of student Resident Assistants who build a sense of community.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed, nightstand, armoire, dresser, desk (with shelves), desk chair, telephone.

**Room Mix:** 52 beds in double rooms (single beds), 38 single rooms (single bed), 4 deluxe single rooms (larger room, double bed).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** Themed Communities



### **Steamspace**

23 Crowell Drive, Wolfville



Acadia's very first Makerspace! A Makerspace is a 21<sup>st</sup> century workshop that operates like a gym. You buy a membership and get to go and use the equipment, but instead of treadmills and dumbbells, they have 3D printers, laser cutters, an audio-visual studio, sewing machines, and more! It's officially launching in Fall 2022 and is open to students, staff, and community members.

### **K.C. Irving Environmental Science Centre & Harriet Irving Botanical Gardens**

32 University Avenue, Wolfville



Proudly located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral territory of the Mi'kmaq People, these unique resources for research, instruction, and community involvement are all aimed at unlocking mysteries of the natural world.

Facilities include:

- Fifty acres of woodlands with trails.
- The Irving Biodiversity Collection, which includes an herbarium, seed bank, and six

acres of botanical gardens.

- Greenhouses, laboratories, and some of the most advanced scientific equipment in North America.
- A 124-seat auditorium, library, classrooms, lecture rooms, meeting spaces, and an elegant boardroom.
- The Garden Room, a comfortable yet inviting gathering space for the entire campus, with quiet but inspiring study nooks.



### Patterson Hall

24 University Avenue, Wolfville



Patterson Hall—known by faculty, staff, and students as “The Old Bio Building”—is a four-story facility that was built in 1928. The complete renovation has seen it completely stripped down to its structural floors, columns and outside walls and included the removal of all materials containing asbestos.

Faculty, students, and staff of the School of Business program will be greeted with a large commons area on the main floor as they enter the facility, with classrooms and break-out rooms comprising the rest of the first and second floors.

### Biology Building

33 Westwood Avenue, Wolfville

Home to the department of biology, Acadia’s newest academic building on campus was created with the environment and an enhanced teaching atmosphere in mind. The building is designed to meet Gold Level Leadership in Energy and Environment Design (LEED) standards set by the Canada Green Building Council – a first for academic science buildings in Atlantic Canada. The building uses geothermal energy, recycled rainwater, automatic lighting, and other environmental innovations.



The 56,000 square foot, state-of-the-art building, yet to be officially named, represents more than just a building; it represents our ability to remain globally competitive by providing students with unparalleled educational opportunities and experiences. It enables us to contribute to the evolving teaching and research activities already underway at the University, and it ensures that we can attract and retain top-caliber students and world-class researchers.

This building features:

Faculty offices, teaching labs, research labs, seminar rooms, community meeting rooms , common areas, internet access, wildlife museum

### War Memorial House (Residence)

23 Westwood Avenue, Wolfville



The War Memorial House's unique location cultivates a tight knit yet inviting community. The fact that it's a downhill walk from the rest of the campus is a welcome cherry on top for the building at the bottom of the hill.

**Size:** 120 Residents

**Features:** Kitchen and lounge on each floor. Large common lounge on lower level. Laundry on lower level.

**Typical Room Includes:** Bed (with storage), closet, dresser, desk with shelves, telephone, and desk chair.

**Room Mix:** 39 basic singles (single bed), 20 deluxe single rooms (single bed in a larger room), 14 premium singles (single bed with private bathroom), 23 shared double room (46 single beds), 2 shared deluxe doubles (4 single beds

and study area), 3 single rooms in a shared suite (single bed with shared lounge and bathroom).

**Community Type:** All Gender

**Living Environments Available:** General and Quiet sections.

### Rhodes Hall

21 University Avenue, Wolfville



**Accessible Learning Office:** As the Accessible Learning Office, they are committed to creating a welcoming and inclusive environment for all students, including those with disabilities. They strive to ensure that all students have equal access to educational opportunities and resources.

A wide range of accommodations and support services to students with disabilities, including, but not limited to:

- Testing and classroom accommodations
- Academic strategy development and workshops
- Assistance with applications for provincial and national funding
- Facilitating communication with

faculty

- Employment-related skills development
- Assistive technology resources
- Coordinating access to accessible text devices.

To access the services of Accessible Learning, students are encouraged to contact the Accessible Learning office and meet with staff to discuss needs and develop an individualized accommodation plan based on your documentation.



**Co-operative Education:** Rhodes Hall is also where the Co-op offices are located. Acadia University's Co-op Program is nationally accredited and has been recognized as one of the best in the country. It integrates study terms with paid, discipline-related work terms allowing student the opportunity to enhance their skills, create contacts in industry, and gain a better understanding of their strengths and interests while exploring different work environments and potential careers.

Acadia's Co-op office is committed to supporting the needs of Co-op students by encouraging an accessible and inclusive environment and experience.

**Welkaqnik ('a place of good feeling'):** This is the Indigenous gathering space at Acadia University. Welkaqnik was created to be a **home away from home for Indigenous students**, a place that fosters a sense of safety and security.

Within Welkaqnik is the Indigenous Student Resource Centre, a welcoming location in the heart of campus where students can meet, plan social activities, or relax between classes. We also offer a computer with access to a colour printer and a library of electronic and hardcopy resource materials.

**Black Student Lounge:** The lounge is a welcoming and safe space for Black students that's available during the day and after-hours. It is equipped with a computer, free printing, microwave, fridge, kettle, and snacks.

### Huggins Science Hall / Huestis Innovation Pavilion

12 University Avenue, Wolfville



Acadia opened the doors to the renewed Science Complex and celebrated the creation of the David Huestis Innovation Pavilion. The pavilion was renovated help Acadia University advance its applied research strength in two priority sectors (agriculture and beverage) and expand technology transfer and commercialization activities.

This is  
also  
home to

many science departments, classrooms, faculty offices and Acadia's Math & Stats Help Centre (known as MASH)! Their goal is to help students with the mathematics and statistics content in their courses. This is a peer-tutoring (free of charge) service.





## Acadia Athletics Complex

550 Main Street, Wolfville



The Acadia Athletics Complex features several facilities for athletic involvement. The facility is equipped with a fitness centre, swimming pool, arena, gym, aerobics studio, as well as outdoor and indoor running/walking tracks. Students have broad access to facilities with the use of their student ID (membership is included in your student fees).

The Athletic Complex is also home to the School of Kinesiology, which is a popular program here at Acadia, our SMILE program, intramurals, squash courts, and fitness clubs and classes.

