



FINANCIAL HARDSHIP ADDENDUM

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Although the University feels that students will have their best opportunities for a well-rounded educational experience living in a supervised residence hall designed for student living, there are some circumstances under which a student may be approved to live off campus. In the event a student presents sufficient evidence of an extreme financial hardship which precludes his/her enrollment at Texas Tech; the student may receive approval to live off campus. However, costs of on-campus room and board will usually be found comparable to those off campus after all necessary living expenses have been accounted for. **Students requesting permission to live off campus due to a financial hardship must provide University Student Housing with the following documents:**

- This form with all sections completed.
- The Application for Exemption from On-Campus Housing Requirement.
- A personal statement explaining the student's reasoning for the request.

I hereby give permission for Texas Tech University's Financial Aid department to provide my FAFSA information to University Student Housing for use in determining financial need.

(Student's Name, Printed)

(Student ID Number)

(Student's Signature)

(Date)

<i>MONTHLY ON-CAMPUS EXPENSES*</i>		<i>OFFERED FINANCIAL AID PACKAGE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR</i>	
Room:	\$486.67	EFC**:	\$ _____
Utilities:	Included	Scholarships:	\$ _____
Cable Service:	Included	Grants:	\$ _____
Internet Service:	Included	Federal Direct Loans:	\$ _____
Transportation:	Included	Total:	\$ _____
Food:	\$382.78		
Total:	\$869.45	Estimated Undergraduate cost to attend Texas Tech University:	\$24,612

* Monthly expenses based 2013/2014 Housing rates for double occupancy in a traditional hall with a Matador meal plan.

** EFC = Effective Family Contribution. This number is determined by the U.S. Department of Education through completion of the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid).