

Rules and Regulations of the Students Hostel
Section A: Offence and Discipline related to Accommodation

	Offence	Penalty
1.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Resident students who allow students of the opposite sex to their room or to be at the corridor b) Close proximity among unmarried couples 	To be sent to the Students Affairs and Development Division
2.	Students who obstruct/ prevent an officer, worker or any person authorised by the university from entering their rooms	RM50
3.	Resident students who are not at their hostels between 12 midnight and 5 a.m.	RM50
4.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Non-resident students who remain inside the campus between 12 midnight and 5 a.m. b) Squatting between 12 midnight and 5 a.m. c) Students who allow other students to squat in their rooms 	RM50
5.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Damaging/ vandalising any fixtures in the hostel b) Disturbing or bothering others while using the Facilities in the hostel c) vandalising or removing hostel/ university property 	To pay compensation according to the damage
6.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Changing hostels without permission b) Changing rooms without permission c) Renting out their rooms to others d) Students who rent the rooms (c) 	RM 50.00 and returning to the original hostel/ room To pay the daily rental according to the period of tenancy
7.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Failure to vacate the room or move from the room and failure to hand over the key within the stipulated period b) Failure to vacate the room at the end of the period of tenancy 	To pay compensation based on the number of days overstayed
8.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Bringing in perishable/ prohibited food items b) possessing or drinking alcohol/ liquor in the rooms/ hostel c) Possessing or distributing drugs d) Possessing pornography, prohibited reading materials or audio visuals e) Possessing or using hazardous chemical substances or medications 	RM 50.00 To be sent to the Student Affairs and Development Division
9.	Keeping pet	RM 50.00

10.	Committing dangerous acts such as climbing on the roof/ window ledges	RM 50.00
11.	Failure to switch off lights/ fans before leaving the room	RM 50.00
12.	Failure to use bed sheets/ pillow cases or clean bed sheets/ pillow cases at all times	RM 50.00
13.	Gambling/ gaming which involves betting	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
14.	Performing acts of idolatry in the room	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
15.	Ragging (during orientation week) or causing physical or mental abuse at any time	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
16.	Providing false information about oneself or failure to provide information required by the warden or his representative	RM 50.00
17.	Possessing or publishing printed materials prohibited by the law or that can create racial tension	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
18.	Stealing/ blackmailing/ sexual harassment	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
19.	Causing injury to others without valid reason	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
20.	Fighting, punching or being a member of banned groups	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
21.	Failure or refusal to provide information on any crime or being involved in any criminal activity	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
22.	Spying or acting suspiciously in areas designated for the opposite sex	To be sent to Students Affairs and Development Division
23.	a) Parking vehicles in unauthorised places or where it causes obstruction b) Using vehicles which do not comply with the provisions of the Road Transport Act 1987	RM 50.00
24.	Playing music/ disturbing the peace between midnight and 6 a.m.	RM 50.00
25.	Organising social activities in the hostel without Approval	RM 50.00

26.	a) Cooking in the room or anywhere in the hostel b) Using naked flames in the building c) Carrying out experiments with hazardous/ flammable chemicals in the room or hostel	RM 50.00
27.	Failure to keep the room neat and tidy	RM 50.00
28.	Smoking within the hostel area	RM50.00 and send to the Anti-smoking clinic
29.	Disobeying valid directives/ requests made by any officer/ staff of USM authorized to do so within the campus	Advice/ warning/ RM50 fine