

Portable appliances allowed in students rooms and Kitchen

DESCRIPTION	BEDROOM	KITCHEN/GYP ROOM
700w 1 litre travel kettle	YES	YES
Kettle above 700w	NO	YES
Rice cooker with UK plug fitted (Not with plug adaptor)	NO	YES
Fused adaptors to convert non UK plugs to UK plugs that meet the BS1363 standard	YES	YES
Un-fused adaptor that do not comply with BS1363	NO	NO
Any type of electrical heater	NO	NO
Laptop	YES	YES
Computer	YES	YES
Phone/table/laptop/battery chargers	YES	YES
Fridge (unless previously agreed with college)	NO	NO
Electric toothbrush	YES	NO
Electric shaver/hair trimmer	YES	NO
Alarm clock	YES	NO
Hair dryer/hair care appliances	YES	NO
Electric cooking appliances	NO	NO
Table/desk lamps	YES	NO
Low voltage fairy lights	YES	NO
Desk/portable fans	YES	NO
Extension lead only with UK BS1363 plug fitted	YES	NO
TV/monitor/screen	YES	NO
2/3 block multi socket plug	NO	NO
Games console	YES	NO
Music system/smart speaker	YES	NO
USB power supply	YES	YES
electric vaporizers/cigarettes	NO	NO
batteries for motorized electric vehicles e.g. electric scooters, bikes and skateboards etc	NO	NO

Please note if your portable appliance that you want to use in Homerton Collage is not on the above list please obtain permission from Building Services (via the porter's lodge)

Students Portable Appliances Rules

1. The Health and Safety of our students and staff is of paramount importance to Homerton College. Therefore, we would ask you to take notice of our rules on portable appliances as this is for the safety of yourself and others.
2. All electrical portable equipment must be electrically safe and be to the standard of BS1363 so that the appliance will not cause any harm or electric shock to any person or cause overloading or nuisance tripping of the collage's electrical safety trips.
3. If any student's portable appliance has a non-UK plug fitted to the lead then the student must use an appropriate fused adapter to convert the non UK plug to fit the UK sockets this adapter must comply to BS1363. Any non-conforming adaptors will be confiscated as these are potentially dangerous and may cause electric shock.
4. It is the student's responsibility to make sure that their portable appliances are well maintained and kept in good working order and if they fall into disrepair either arrange for them to be repaired professionally or dispose of them
5. Any electrical appliances that are deemed to be unsafe or not permitted in a student's room will be confiscated by the Porters or Housekeeping Supervisors and returned to the student when they leave the collage

6. If you have any concerns about the electrical safety of any of your portable appliances please feel free to contact Building Services who will help were ever possible