

Moving to Madison?

Finding housing in a new area can be a challenge. Distance and lack of familiarity often lead to confusion about areas in which to live, proximity to resources and safety .

MATC's Student Life Office has designed this guide to assist you in finding a place to call home in Madison. Helping connect the community and the college...this is *Your* new Community's college.

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A GUIDE TO FINDING HOUSING IN MADISON



A Little Bit About Madison

Madison is a bustling urban area of more than 200,000 residents. From MATC to UW-Madison the community is home to thousands of college students.

This makes Madison an intellectually and culturally diverse city.

From local theaters, such as the Broom Street Theatre, to Concerts on the Square in the summer, there is always something to be enjoyed in Madison.

Located close to MATC are shopping areas, such as the East Towne Mall, and numerous restaurants. Grocery stores, gas stations, department stores and even a bakery are just minutes from the Truax campus. Near the Downtown Education Center there is a more diverse selection of stores, eateries and coffeehouses located one block off of historic State Street.

From sublets to leases, from efficiencies to five bedrooms, housing can be found in close proximity to all of MATC's campuses. Here are a few select resources to help you find that perfect place to call home.



ELECTRONIC RESOURCES FOR FINDING A HOME

General Madison Resources

- **Madison.com:** www.madison.com
- **Tenant Resource Center:** <http://trc.studentorg.wisc.edu>
- **Campus Bulletin Board:** www.campusbb.com/wisc
- **Madison Community Co-Op:** www.madisoncommunity.coop

Sublet Resources

- **Madison Sublets:** www.madisonsublets.com and Madbook.com

UW Madison Affiliated Housing (open to all students of Madison)

- **Off-Campus Housing Listing Service:** <http://housing.civic.wisc.edu>
- **Private Residence Halls:** www.privatereshalls.com



Roommate Resources

- **Roomster.com:** www.roomster.com
- **Rent.com:** www.rent.com/roommates/wisconsin/madison-and-vicinity/madison/
- **Sublet.com:** www.sublet.com
- **Metroroommates.com:** madi-

PAPER RESOURCES FOR FINDING A HOME

The Capital Times www.captimes.com: A daily paper with numerous classified ads for sublets, roommates and rentals.

The Wisconsin State Journal www.madison.com/wsj/: A daily paper with numerous classified ads for sublets, roommates and rentals.

The Isthmus www.thedailypage.com/: A free weekly paper available in many areas.

The Core Weekly www.coreweekly.com/: A free weekly arts and entertainment paper.

Maximum Ink www.maximumink.com/: A free weekly arts newspaper.

MATC RESOURCES

Bulletin Boards: Within MATC Truax and the Downtown Education Center (DTEC) Campuses are classified bulletin boards. These include sublets, leases and roommate information. The Truax board is located in the Mitby Theatre entrance hallway of the building across from the mailroom.

The DTEC board is located on the first floor of the building next to the Information and Enrollment Counter.

MATC Website: www.matcmadison.edu
Don't forget to visit our home website to find more helpful information, links and resources!