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Hello Villas Residents,

I hope your finals are going well. While I’m sure your focus is on wrapping up this year, I have some important and exciting news about next year that many students have been asking me about.

MCU WILL offer housing in the fall. We have many different plans in place to help our residents stay healthy. Below are a list of important points for residents to know for next year:

- All rooms will be offered as singles (though you can opt for a double if you prefer).
- **For the 2020-21 academic year, all singles will be the current cost of our doubles!!!**
- We will be reimagining how we do programming to make sure we are still providing opportunities for you while still helping you practice social distancing.
- All Villas will be deep cleaned over the summer.
- If you apply for housing and MCU announces that we will be fully online for the start of the semester, we will refund your application fee and cancel your contract, provided you request a refund within two weeks of the announcement.
- This move will cause an increased demand for space and a decrease in bed spaces available. **We may not be able to accommodate all requests, so you are encouraged to apply early.**
- For those who have already applied for housing, your application will automatically be converted to a single at a double rate. If you requested a roommate, we will be reaching out to ask if you want us to still honor this request or move you to a single.

To apply for housing, go to your student portal and click the link for the new housing contract. If you are having any challenges with completing the application, please feel free to reach out and we can schedule a virtual meeting to help walk you through it.

Stay safe and stay healthy!

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