

The RHA Enhancement Contract

This application must be completed in order to check out enhancement items provided by the Residence Hall Association (RHA) free of charge. These items include, but are not limited to: Movies (VHS/DVD), Movie Players, Housekeeping Supplies (Vacuums/ Brooms), Sporting Goods, Games, Cookware, and other miscellaneous items. Upon your agreement to this contract, an enhancement account will be established in your name that will expire at the termination of the school year. Your contract is only valid in the residence hall or community in which you reside. A valid UNC OneCard is required for the checkout of items. You receive a delinquency when an item is returned past its due date. Three delinquencies result in the suspension of enhancement check out privileges.

The Residence Hall Association is an organization that is committed to building communities in the residence halls of UNC. Our mission reads: "We commit to enriching and maintaining a comfortable and supportive living and learning community by representing residents' concerns, offering diverse programming, and providing desirable residence hall enhancements." We provide these enhancements items in order to foster a more comfortable living environment.

I hereby understand that the enhancement items I check out are RHA property. Consequently, I agree to assume full responsibility and liability for any damages that may occur while they are in my possession, or for any infringements upon copyright laws related to these items. I also assume full responsibility for the loss of items due to theft, vandalism, negligence, or irresponsibility, AND agree to replace them by paying the charges appended to my student account at the University Cashier's Office. In addition, I understand that not posting payment to the University Cashier may result in a stop on class registration and/or graduation. I hereby understand that I must adhere to the check-out policies laid out in the RHA Enhancements Protocol, as summarized below:

- **I must be a resident of the community from which I am borrowing.**
- **I must present a valid UNC One Card to check out an item.**
- I must report any previously damaged or broken equipment immediately so that I will not be falsely accused of negligence.
- After three late returns (delinquencies), I acknowledge that my enhancement account will be suspended for the remainder of the school year.
- **I agree to return all items within their allotted checkout time limits:**
 - **VHS, DVD, Players – 48 Hours**
 - **Games (Board, Video) – 48 Hours**
 - **Sporting Goods – 4 Hours**
 - **Cookware – 4 Hours**
 - **Housekeeping Supplies (Vacuums, Brooms, etc.) – 1 Hour**
 - **Misc. Items – Stipulated by your local community governments.**
- I agree to the standardized late item assessment of **\$2.00/day** once past due.
- I agree to the standardized replacement fees as a result of loss, damage, or items excessively past due. This replacement fee is derived from the original purchase price of the item plus a 20% administrative fee (to cover re-purchasing, inventory management for the automated system, re-barcoding, filing, and lost claim / appeal procedures). This information is also available from your community enhancement officer or RHA Governor.
- I understand that I can appeal any charges I incur, and that this appeal process, while automated online, may require my presence at an appeal committee hearing.
- I understand that a breach of contract of this agreement on my part will result in a loss of enhancement privileges for one (1) semester.

I understand the above rules and regulations and agree to abide by the standards of the UNC-CH Honor Code (Section II. D. f – "Damage to, or destruction, theft, or other misuse of University property").

By clicking "I agree" I am hereby electronically signing and agreeing to this contract.