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## Housing Applications Open for Next Year!

Opportunities to secure on-campus housing for the fall 2026 and spring 2027 semesters are now open. Current students can log in to **GoPFW** to submit their application via the housing portal. To guarantee a space, be sure to apply by the end of March.

Purdue Fort Wayne will also be opening a brand-new apartment complex this fall on the North Campus called **Trace**. The 600-bed facility offers 1 person studios, 2 bedroom/1 bath, and 4 bedroom/2 bath units and features amenities including a fitness center, C-Store, on-site laundry, and a package room. In addition, the complex will feature outdoor amenities such as basketball and volleyball courts, hammock farms, firepits, and grills.

Students who wish to live at Trace should submit an application today, pay the housing application fee, and then email **housing@pfw.edu** with a room-type preference. They will then be assigned to be one of the first residents to live at the complex.

Everyone who signs a PFW housing 2026–27 contract at Trace during this promotion will automatically be entered to win a **\$500 gift bundle**, including:

- Apple AirPods
- Apple keyboard
- Gaming chair
- Free Netflix for one full year

**Refer a friend to live in Trace and receive a \$50 Visa gift card:**

- Pay the application fee.
- Book with Trace by emailing a room type.
- Sign a Trace contract.
- Have the friend pay the 2026–27 application fee and email housing with the following:
  - Referrer’s first and last name
  - The room type they want to book:
    - 4 bed/2 bath or
    - 2 bed/1 bath
- Once the friend is booked and signs their Trace contract, referrers will receive a \$50 gift card.
- **There’s no limit**—refer multiple friends and earn multiple cards.

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