

## RENTING A ROOM IN A PRIVATE HOUSE



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The tenant is a paying guest if they are living in someone's house.

The tenant needs to realize they are in a family situation and treat it as such.

The landlord is not your mother or father.

She/He is not required to clean up behind you, so remember to:

- a. Wash your dishes
- b. Keep your room clean
- c. Pick up your books or belongings all around the house.

Let the family know if you plan to have a guest or friend over.

No overnight guests unless approved by the landlord.

Remember you can't have family visits unless approved by the landlord/owner of the house.

If you come home late be quiet and try not to disturb the family members. Out of respect let the family members know if you will not be coming home in the evening or if you will be late.

Let the family members know if you are going out of town.

Ask permission to use the phone if they allow it or have a separate line installed.

Do not play loud music. You are sharing living space with others.

Ask permission to use any and all appliances i.e.: irons, vacuum cleaners, etc.