

Hello Taylor Hall One North Residents!

My name is Jessy Shetler, and I'll be your Resident Assistant for the upcoming Fall 2011 semester. I hope everyone is enjoying summer to the fullest! I'm looking forward to the upcoming semester just as much as you are, as this will be my first semester as an RA. I am from Marshall, Illinois, and will be a senior at EIU this year. I am an English major and recently added a Creative Writing minor. I love to read, write, and study fiction. Music and film are my hobbies and a huge part of my life, but literature is my passion. I make it my goal to experience something new every day, and hope everyone is looking to do the same in the upcoming next semester.

My role as your RA next semester is to provide you with answers to any questions you have concerning your upcoming stay in Taylor Hall. My overall goal is to help you make the most of your experience at EIU, and building a strong community is the first step toward that. I encourage everyone to take risks and get involved on campus as much as possible. It will definitely make your experience more memorable. I also hope to assist everyone in forging a good work ethic, as I know (from experience) how difficult balancing multiple responsibilities (school, work, socializing, relationships, etc.) can be.

Feel free to contact me over the summer! I rarely venture too far from my computer or *somewhere* with Internet access, so I'm easy to find online, and I'd love to get to know some of my residents before move-in! My contact information is as follows:

E-mail:

jashetler@eiu.edu

Facebook:

My name, of course!

I encourage you to contact your roommate prior to moving in, as this typically makes the process that much smoother.

Move-in officially begins on Thursday, August 18th at 9:00am.

Feel free to contact me at any time; I'm fairly quick to respond unless I'm out exploring!

Jessy Shetler