

Hey there, Andrews Ladies!

My name is Kayla Dishman and I will be your resident assistant (RA). I am from Eureka, Illinois and transferred to EIU after 3 years at a community college. My major is business management with a minor in Spanish. Some of my favorite activities are playing video games, watching TV shows and movies, hanging out with friends, and reading.

The resident assistant is defined as a student whose primary concern is the resident population on their floor. As your RA, I'll be there personally for you with answers to questions you may have and will be a friend to help guide you through this college year. I cannot wait to meet you and begin our exciting adventures on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor!

Just in case you are wondering, I have some information about Andrews Hall. There are nine floors in Andrews Hall and each floor has its own laundry facility with two washers and two dryers. It costs \$1.25 to use the washers and the dryers are free. Each floor also has a kitchenette complete with an oven and microwave. Andrews has a front desk where you can rent kitchen utensils, games, a DVD player, and much more. There is also an elevator in Andrews Hall along with some vending machines in the basement and a common area.

Contacting your roommate is an excellent idea if you have not done so already. It is a good way for you to split up some of the bigger things so you do not end up with two TVs, multiple microwaves, etc. Throughout the school year we will have floor meetings, programs, and events that will bring everyone on the floor closer together.

Do not be afraid to get involved with the numerous activities offered in Andrews and all over campus. I hope all of you are having a fantastic summer! I am very excited to meet you and start a brand new year together!

Sincerely,  
Kayla Dishman