

Hatter Cribs Room Decorating Contest

Rules & Terms of Entry

By entering the Hatter Cribs Room Decorating Contest, you acknowledge and agree to the following rules and terms:

1. **Eligibility:** The contest is open to current Stetson University residential students only. Only one entry per room will be accepted. Roommates may enter together as a team, but prizes will be split between them. To be eligible to win, entrants (resident and roommate, if participating) must follow Residential Living and Learning on Instagram (@stetsonu.rll).
2. **Entry Requirements:**
 1. Follow Residential Living & Learning on Instagram (@stetsonu.rll).
 2. Decorate your room and take a minimum of four (4) photos that clearly showcase the space.
 3. Complete the official entry form, and upload your photos via the provided link.
 4. For entries into the Best Tour Room Video category, videos must be no longer than two (2) minutes and must include your first name, hall name, room theme, and at least one item in the room you couldn't live without. No personal information, such as room numbers, should be shared in the video.
 5. If you live in a shared bedroom and your roommate is not participating, videos and photos should only showcase your side of the room (to the best of your ability).
3. **Submission Deadline:** All entries must be submitted by **November 1st at 11:59 pm**. Late submissions will not be considered.
4. **Selection Process:**
 1. **People's Choice Award:** Top 10 rooms will be featured on Instagram, and the winner will be determined by audience likes.
 2. **Director's Choice Award, Spirit Award, and Tour Room Video Award:** Winners will be selected by Stetson staff, including the Residential Living & Learning Executive Director, Division of Campus Life and Student Success, and the Stetson Marketing Team.
5. **Prizes:** Prizes will be awarded to the winners of the People's Choice, Director's Choice, Spirit, and Tour Room Video categories. Prize values range from \$50 to \$150, and winners will receive a combination of merchandise and/or gift cards. Tour Room Video winners may also be featured in a professionally produced video on the Stetson website.
6. **Disqualification:** Entries that violate any Residential Living & Learning or Community Standards policies will be disqualified. All entries must comply with Stetson University's housing guidelines, including the acceptable use of decorations. Check with your Residential Life Coordinator if you're unsure about the rules.

7. **Privacy and Safety:** Please do not share any personal identifying information in your video (such as your room number or sensitive personal details). Submissions with inappropriate content, violations of university policies, or content that may jeopardize personal safety will be removed from the contest.
8. **Agreement to Use Photos/Videos:** By entering the contest, you grant Stetson University permission to use your photos and/or videos for promotional purposes, including social media and website features. Stetson University reserves the right to use, edit, and display content in any of its promotional materials.
9. **Contact Information:** If you have any questions or issues submitting your form/uploading your photos and/or video, please contact Beth Eaton at BEaton@stetson.edu for assistance.

By submitting an entry, you agree to all the terms and rules listed above.