# RESIDENTIAL ACCOMMODATION

## **BOARD STATUS:**

All students staying in the residence are on a full board basis. Students will have breakfast, lunch and dinner Monday to Friday and at the weekends, will have breakfast and dinner on campus and will receive a packed lunch. Students staying with Host Families are also on full board basis, however, they will receive a packed lunch daily. There is a supplement for host family students of €50 per week if they wish to have hot lunches in the college Monday to Friday. This request must be made at the time of booking.

#### **TYPE OF ROOM:**

Accommodation in Blackrock College is divided into twin, triple, four and five bedded rooms. Showers and toilets are situated on each floor. Multi-bedded rooms are also available for younger students.

#### WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE ACCOMMODATION:

The castle, which is a listed Georgian property, has undergone extensive refurbishment in the last 3 years and accommodates approximately 100 people. Boys and girls will be accommodated in separate buildings. There is Wi-Fi access on campus.

# **ROOMS INCLUDE:**

- Bed
- Wardrobe
- Linen
- Side locker

#### **LINEN & TOWELS:**

Towels are NOT provided by the college. Bed linen will be changed once a week.

## **CLEANING:**

Bedrooms will be cleaned daily and rubbish removed by the cleaning staff during the week. During occupancy bed linen will be replaced once per week. Rooms will be fully serviced between occupancies.

#### **LAUNDRY:**

Laundry for students staying in the college is included in the package and is done once a week.

# **ACCOMMODATION RULES:**

- Students must keep their room clean and tidy. Rooms should be left in the same condition as when the students arrive.
- Students are not allowed to invite guests into the residence.
- Students who are not residing in the accommodation are not allowed to stay in the rooms.
- Girls are not allowed to stay in the boys' rooms and vice versa.
- Students are responsible for any damage/breakages caused to school/ accommodation property.
- Students who have lost/misplaced room keys must be accompanied by a group leader to gain access to their rooms.



# **SECURITY:**

There are 24 hour security guards monitoring the campus, dealing with security related matters and responding to fire alarm activations. Students may be asked to identify themselves and respond to directions relating to safety and security.

# **KEYS:**

Room keys will be provided to each student. Lost or broken keys can be replaced by Blackrock College staff at a cost of approximately €15 each, should a key be subsequently found the cost will be refunded to the student.