You will be staying in Eden’s Court which is situated on Heslington Lane, about 5 minutes’ walk from Derwent College. The houses are set around a garden area with a barbecue and picnic table. There is a bicycle shed. You will have your own study bedroom with a washbasin and internet connection. You will share the kitchen and bathroom with other students. Each house of 10 residents will share 2 showers and 2 WCs. There may be several staircases to get to your room (no lift), and you may need to carry your suitcase up the stairs on arrival and departure.

**When you arrive**

Derwent Porters are available 24 hours a day. You can collect your key from there. If you are going to be early or late please let us know well in advance. The charge for lost key cards is £10.

**When you leave**

You should check out of your room on Friday 26th August. Please inform a member of CGP staff if you need somewhere to store your luggage. Rooms should be left clean and tidy. You will be given check out information near the end of your course.

**Breakfast?**

Breakfast is not included. You can make breakfast in your kitchen or buy breakfast from Costa@Derwent from 08.00am.

**EDENS COURT-SHARED BATHROOM**

**Whats in your bedroom:**

- Single bed with duvet, pillow and bed linen
- Wardrobe
- Desk
- Bookshelves and cupboard
- Chair
- Cabled internet and Wifi access (username and password provided on first day of course)

**Whats in your shared kitchen:**

- Oven and hob
- Microwave
- Toaster
- Fridge/freezer
- Kettle
- A range of basic cutlery, crockery and cooking utensils will be provided.
Electrical Equipment
All electrical equipment must be in a safe condition. If you are coming from outside the UK, please do not bring electrical equipment - you can share the cost of buying additional cooking equipment with your housemates if you need to. All the basic electrical kitchen equipment is provided (see page 1). Any item used in the kitchen must be PAT tested. Cooking is not permitted in the bedrooms because it will set off the fire alarm. Electrical heaters are not allowed.

What should I bring/buy on arrival?
Past students suggest you bring or buy on arrival:
- Toiletries
- Dressing gown and slippers
- Big bath towel (smaller towels are provided)
- Coat hangers (some are provided but you might want more!)
- Washing power, and washing bag or bag
- Chargers for your phone and other equipment
- A UK electric plug adapter

Cleaning service and washing facilities

Cleaning Service
Your bedroom is cleaned and bed linen and towels changes once per week. Your kitchen will be cleaned once a week. You will be asked to clear all work surfaces the day before your weekly clean. You are responsible for cleaning kitchen utensils, keeping the kitchen generally clean and tidy and removing the rubbish. Communal bathrooms are cleaned daily, Monday-Friday/

Washing Facilities
There are launderettes at B and K block, both equal distance from Edens Court. There are number locks on the doors, ask the Porters for the code; you can get an iron or ironing board from them too. You need to buy a laundry card and then top it up with credit. For details see: [http://www.york.ac.uk/commercialservices/retail/launderettes/](http://www.york.ac.uk/commercialservices/retail/launderettes/). The cost of a standard wash is £2.70 and a standard dry is £1.30.

How much does washing cost?
- £2 = card only (top-up online)
- £10 = card + £8 credit
- £20 = card + £18 credit
- Wash = £2.70
- Dry = £1.30