



ACCOMMODATION

The MAPI helps students in their search for accommodation in Saint-Etienne.
Possibility of requesting a pre-reservation in a residence by the MAPI

- ACCOMMODATION IN RESIDENCE**

	Deposit	Guarantor	Accommodation insurance	Payment
<p>The duration of the lease is 9 months for the full academic year. If the study stay is less than 9 months, a commitment of 9 months to sign and withdrawal from the residence, one month before the date of departure.</p> <p>For the "semestered" studies, it is possible to withdraw by giving one month's notice. Rents are to be paid directly from the residences</p>	<p>Deposit to be payed Money back at the end of the stay if there is no deterioration in the apartment</p>	<p>Guarantor : somebody living in France, or European Union, euro area</p>	<p>Accommodation insurance needed</p>	<p>payment of rents: in cash, bank deposit directly with the residences</p>

- HOUSING TAX**

WARNING

A residential tax is payable by all tenants at the end of the stay. The request for payment of this tax is sent by mail generally to the month of December of the year of residence. This tax is approximately equal to one month's rent.

- HOST FAMILY**

Possibility to stay in a host family on request
The MAPI can find for you a host family. Ask : accueil.international@univ-st-etienne.fr

- HELP FOR ACCOMMODATION – <http://www.caf.fr>**

(subject to modification of the French legislation in progress).	<p>You can obtain a Housing Assistance from the Caisse d'Allocations Familiales (C.A.F.). To do this you must stay at least three months in the same residence and open an account in a French bank. (Aid to Housing is transferred only to a French bank account)</p> <p>The allowance is paid as from the 2nd month. If you leave your accommodation during the month, you will lose the allowance for the entire month concerned.</p>
Privat Résidences for students or privat accommodation	Money back on a french bank account http://www.caf.fr
Non European students	The allowance is only paid after the CAF has been sent a copy of the DEFINITIVE TITLE or a copy of the validation sticker by OFII

The allocation of this help is not automatic. The files are examined individually

Some students may have a visa for a stay of 6 months or less which does not give entitlement to a residence permit mentioning students and **DOES NOT ALLOW BENEFIT FROM HEL FOR ACCOMMODATION**

Finding accommodation in Saint-Etienne is not very difficult. Upon request we will help you finding an accommodation. Jean Monnet University has no university hall on the campus. We advise that you find housing before arriving in France. You can find accommodation in one of the University residences, in private student residences or you can stay with a host family.