

FACILITIES

Classes and many other activities of Brite Divinity School are conducted in the Moore Building and the Harrison Building, which are located at the heart of the TCU campus. Reservations to use the classrooms in the Moore Building and the Harrison Building are made through the Dean's office. For assistance with reservations for the Bass Conference Center in the Harrison Building, please see the Office of Common Life.

The use of Brite facilities by outside groups or by Brite groups holding events open to the entire campus or community must be approved by the Office of the Dean. By policy, any facilities request will take into account the larger needs of the Divinity School as a first priority.

Reservations for Robert Carr Chapel can be made through the Office of Religious and Spiritual Life at TCU (817.257.7830). Brite Divinity School students, faculty and staff have access to other TCU buildings, including The Mary Coats Burnett Library, the Brown-Lupton University Union, and the TCU Recreation Center. Information about these facilities can be found online at www.tcu.edu.

Library resources of Brite Divinity School are an integral part of the Mary Coats Burnett Library, Texas Christian University, a research facility consisting of over 2 million items, including more than 200,000 works in religion and theology. With Internet access to the library's online catalog, online databases, full-text electronic journals, and document delivery options, students may access library services and resources from anywhere at any time. In addition, cooperative agreements provide access to resources held by other Texas universities and seminaries.

HOUSING – LEIBROCK VILLAGE

Leibrock Village, built in 2001, is Brite Divinity School's 56-apartment residential community. The Village is located a short, ten-minute walk through a residential neighborhood from the Brite Divinity School academic buildings. One- and two-bedroom apartments are provided with refrigerator, stove, dishwasher, garbage disposal, and mini-blinds, but villagers bring their own furniture. No furniture or storage is provided. The living room and bedrooms are carpeted in a neutral pattern. A laundry on each floor serves eight apartments. Scenes of the village and floor plans can be viewed at <https://www.brite.edu/admissions/student-life/housing/>.

Students enrolled full-time (9 hours) in a degree program of Brite Divinity School (M.Div., M.A.T.M., M.T.S., Th.M.) are eligible for housing in Leibrock Village for a maximum of 48 months.

Eligibility of students enrolled in the Doctor of Ministry program or the Ph.D. program is limited to ten (10) consecutive semesters.

Students admitted as "Special" students, enrolled for nine (9) semester hours at Brite Divinity School, are eligible for one semester of housing. To remain eligible, "Special" students must be admitted to a degree program of Brite Divinity School.

Since space is limited and in high demand, students interested in living in Leibrock Village are encouraged to apply immediately after being accepted to the Divinity School. Brite Divinity School students have housing priority over TCU students until May 1st.

Housing Application. Students are eligible to apply for residency in Leibrock Village after acceptance to Brite Divinity School. Go to <https://www.brite.edu/admissions/student-life/housing/> for application forms. The security deposit is held for the duration of occupancy and refunded to the student when vacating, subject to the terms and conditions of the Brite Housing Agreement. Apartments are assigned on a space-available basis. Priority is established by the date the housing application and security deposit are received. Questions concerning the housing application process may be directed to the Director of Brite Housing, 817-257-7338, or e-mailed to e.houchin@tcu.edu.

Housing Fees. The Brite Housing Fee is charged to the student's University Student Account by the semester, and is paid as a part of the regular billing system at TCU. Electric service, water, cable TV, computer access to the TCU network, and parking at Leibrock Village are included in the housing fee.

Absolutely no pets are allowed in the Brite Apartments. This rule is strictly enforced. Violators are heavily fined.

Off-Campus Housing. Information for off-campus housing can be obtained online at <http://rlh.tcu.edu/off-campus-living/>.

Energy Conservation Policy

Brite Divinity School, along with Texas Christian University, is dedicated to a program of energy conservation. The Brite community is encouraged to use energy wisely, to use what they need, but need what they use.

Goals have been established to conserve energy and reduce consumption through optimum use of facilities and the elimination of wasteful practices. Building deputies are encouraged to support energy conservation goals and to report malfunctioning systems to the Physical Plant Work Control Center at TCU, at 817/257-7956. During unoccupied hours, heating and air conditioning will be turned off in campus buildings controlled by the Energy Management System.

The Associate Vice Chancellor for Facilities at TCU, under the Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration at TCU, is responsible for the coordination of the energy program. Questions about energy conservation and suggestions for improvement should be made directly to the Electrical Systems Department, 817/257-7208.

Recycling

Brite Divinity School and Texas Christian University are concerned about the environment. Reasonable effort is made by the University in concert with student and community groups to recycle waste products. Paper, plastic and metal waste are major targets for recycling. For specific information on programs and products, contact the TCU Grounds Department, 817/257-7198.