

## Welcome to The Purple House

The Purple House is no ordinary hostel, by choosing The Purple House you have found yourself a home away from home and it's a perfect place for you to stay.

### Live

In your first week as a college student you will be very excited in preparing all the needs for you to live peacefully and comfortably throughout your study life.

There are 3 major things that you need to focus on during the first week:

1. College registration (INTI or Taylors)
2. Sorting out courses (INTI or Taylors)
3. Check-in to The Purple House (The Purple House)

### **Home Away From Home**

During your check-in the warden will accompany you for a hostel tour and provide you with useful information. Our hostel is equipped with all students' facilities such as:

1. High speed internet access
2. Lounge area
3. Study corner
4. Pantry
5. Laundry area



During your stay at The Purple House we are very concerned about your safety. We provide security systems that could monitor unwanted incidents that may happen and they are operating 24 hours.

Besides that, for each level we have appointed Resident Assistants known as RAs to help you live peacefully at The Purple House, especially during night time. You can look for them if you need anything.

## **Making New Friends**

College life is a beautiful phase that you could treasure as much as you can especially with friends. Here at The Purple House we create a multinational environment where you have the opportunity to make new friends with different people from different countries. Always have an open mind and welcome new friends with mutual respect. If you do not have the opportunity to meet all the residents you can always add them as your friends at The Purple House Facebook.

### Study

Creating an enjoyable study environment is the best way for you to study smart! Studying in groups is more effective where each one of you can exchange ideas and help one another. At The Purple House we provide study rooms for the use of residents; you could also do discussions at INTI or Taylor's students' corner. Besides that, to study in an interesting environment you could visit the café or restaurant near the hostel that provide study rooms for students.

The following is a useful study guide shared by The Purple House:

1. Find one hour each day, for each lecture you have during the day, to go over and clarify your notes.
2. A couple of hours each week to prepare for tutorials.
3. A minimum of five hours should be set aside during the weekend to do various homework that have been set during the week.
4. Finally, set aside some time to relax, a high stress level rarely induces good work.



## **Coping With Study**

As a student it is normal to face difficulties in studying, since this is the time for you to make mistake and learn as much as you can. At INTI College they provide students with a development center where you can seek counseling if you are facing problems and need to talk to someone. If you have study issues they will help you to refer to the academic department and find solutions for you. The counselors are all very friendly and well-experienced.

### **Choosing The Right Friend**

Having a friend is exciting but having a right friend is amazing! This is because they will always be a good influence to you and keep a balance in study and social life. Do not hesitate to inquire or ask for tips about friendship issues to your counselor as they are the best to provide solutions for you.

(Please refer to your college student development center for further info)

### Playing

At INTI and Taylors College students are required to take part in activities organized by the clubs. The following are some useful links for your info:

1. [newinti.edu.my/main/student-support-and-services/lifeoncampus?gclid=CKLyqu6ti78CFRYTjgOdZU4AuQ](http://newinti.edu.my/main/student-support-and-services/lifeoncampus?gclid=CKLyqu6ti78CFRYTjgOdZU4AuQ)
2. [www.taylors.edu.my/en/college/about\\_taylors/campuses/taylors\\_college\\_subang\\_jaya](http://www.taylors.edu.my/en/college/about_taylors/campuses/taylors_college_subang_jaya)

Advantages of joining clubs and social communities

1. Meet new friends
2. Build strong personality
3. Leadership
4. Create a positive mind



## Social Activities in The Purple House

In The Purple house activities are organized by the management and resident assistants (RA). These activities will be planned by the RA during your whole semester. Excitement awaits (,"). Activities organized are:

### 1. Orientation

It is compulsory for new students to attend orientation. During orientation you will meet new friends as well as get to know the management and RA. The management will introduce The Purple House and brief you on the hostel's rules and regulations. Other than that, the RA will organize an introductory game and everyone will enjoy the light and easy environment.

### 2. Social Night

This event is organized by the management. All residents will gather at the hostel lounge area, the management will update you on recent happenings in the hostel. For the Q&A session, students and management will share ideas/suggestions. Light refreshment will be served and there will be lucky draws (upon approval).

### 3. Day trip

The purpose of having a day trip is to give an opportunity to students to spend time with their friends outside the hostel. This day trip will be organized by management and the RA. Usually RA will seek feedback from all residents on any interesting place that they wish to visit.

## 4. Charity Program



This program has just been implemented by the management; students are welcome to contribute any of their belongings that is unwanted but still usable to donate to charity. The charity box is provided at the lounge area of each hostel. This good practice will educate students to remember needy people and increase the sense of empathy.

Below are links for you to enjoy playing and staying in The Purple house, as it is a strategic location for all excitement:

#### I. Activities

- a) [www.facebook.com/wheels.roller.skating](http://www.facebook.com/wheels.roller.skating)
- b) [www.sunwaypyramidice.compublicSkating.asp](http://www.sunwaypyramidice.compublicSkating.asp)
- c) [www.sunwaylagoon.com/](http://www.sunwaylagoon.com/)

#### II. Entertainment

- a) <http://www.mbocinemas.com/our-cinema.aspx>
- b) [www.facebook.com/newaysubang](http://www.facebook.com/newaysubang)

#### III. Spa & Beauty

- a) [www.tuugo.my/Companies/shahnaz-herbalsaloon/0190003049518](http://www.tuugo.my/Companies/shahnaz-herbalsaloon/0190003049518)

(Please refer to guide to Subang Jaya for more info)

**Thank You for Choosing The Purple House**

# Guide to Starting College

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## Live. Study. Play

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