

Heating at Holy Cross

FIGGE



How your heating works:

Figge is heated by hot water. This means that a boiler heats the water, which then travels through pipes to fan coils that distribute heat in each room. The heating and cooling system in Figge is operated by the campus Energy Management System (EMS). Each room has a Smart Sensor that allows for limited control of temperature in each room. The EMS determines the operating mode based on the outside air temperature.

What you should do:

1. Use your controls

To adjust room temperature, press the “select” button twice on the Smart Sensor until the display reads “heat.” Then push the up or down arrow to adjust the set point to the desired temperature. Then press “enter.”

2. Live the mission - do your part for the planet

To save energy at Holy Cross, we keep our windows closed when the heat is on and turn down the heat if we’re leaving our rooms for an extended period of time.

3. Problem solve

Too hot or too cold? (I) Use your controls. (II) Make sure nothing is blocking your heater or vents. (III) Layer up or dress down - a quick wardrobe change could do the trick. (IV) Contact your RA - they can help solve a problem or report it to Physical Plant.

