Dejope Hall
Heating and Cooling

Energy conservation is an issue we all care about. To keep our room rates as low as possible and comply with the state energy guidelines, we are required to maintain room temperatures to 68 degrees during the heating season and 76 degrees during the cooling season.

At Dejope Hall, heating and air conditioning are provided by an individual unit located above the entrance to your room. Conditioned air is discharged in the soffit near the ceiling. The thermostat to control temperature is located near the walk in closet next to your entrance door.

Room temperature is controlled by the arrow in the top right hand corner of the thermostat. Press the up arrow to raise the temperature or press the down arrow to lower the temperature. After making a change, always press the “done” button located on the lower left corner of the touchpad. To select fan mode, press the “more” button on the lower right corner of the keypad. Selection choices are as follows:

1. Fan on continuously (24/7)
2. Fan on continuously during cooling season, cycles on/off during heating season
3. Fan cycles on/off for both heating and cooling season

If you come back to a cold room, you may have left your window open and have to wait for the building controls to respond in order to receive heat. Adjusting the slide control on the thermostat may not provide immediate change as it will require an hour or so for the temperature to stabilize. It’s important to keep your windows closed during unseasonably cool or warm periods to conserve energy and maintain comfort for yourself and other residents.

Building temperature is regulated by a computerized temperature control system which is regulated by the outdoor ambient temperature.

Some helpful hints:
1. Help conserve energy through common sense habits.
2. Close your drapes or blinds at night.
3. Open your drapes or blinds on sunny days.
4. Don’t leave windows open.
5. Dress warmly.

Please share this information with your roommate.

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