## Welcome to The Dorms:

Hello and welcome to the Hamline University dorms. My name is Max, and I am going to be your RA for the upcoming 2024-2025 academic year.

For those who have been in the dorms here before, then you know the drill: we plan on continuing the same community driven fun we always have.

For people just joining us, here's a few tips I wish I had known my first year here before arrival:

- Once you know who your roommate is (check eRezLife for their name and email), it's best to get in contact with them as soon as possible. Communicating with each other during the summer will help you get know each other, save money (by stopping you from double-buying shared goods like TVs, garbage bins, etc.), and make move-in-day less awkward and easier to coordinate.
- It's a great idea to take a look at some of the clubs/organizations (<a href="https://hamline.presence.io/organizations">https://hamline.presence.io/organizations</a>) and events that take place here at Hamline so you can start meeting people as soon as you get here.
- If you have any trouble with anything, there are people here to help. Facilities, Public Safety, RAs like myself, and any/every other service Hamline provides are here for you no problem needs to go unaddressed!
- Go on Google and type in "[any question you have] Hamline University". Got Mike Reynolds for a first year writing and don't know who he is? "Mike Reynolds Hamline University". Need a map of campus? "Map of Hamline University". Want more info about the dorm (like the dimensions of your particular room or your dorm window; maybe a more extensive list of appliance that get the green light and what isn't allowed)? "Residence Halls Hamline University".

If you need to get in contact with me, feel free to email me any time. Otherwise, I look forward to meeting you in person and getting to know you this fall!

## **About Me**

How to contact me: Mganske01@hamline.edu Home town: Circle Pines, MN Year at Hamline: Junior Year as an RA: First Major: English

My Top Three Teams: MN Twins MN Vikings Man U

My Top Three Movies: Evil Dead II (1987) Oldboy (2003) The Muppet Movie (1979)

My Top Three Albums: 10,000 Days (Tool) Graduation (Kanye West) Have You Heard: Jim Croce Live (Jim Croce)



"My advice: just keep movin' straight ahead. Every now and then you find yourself in a different place."