

## **XAVIER'S INSTITUTE FOR BLACK CATHOLIC STUDIES**

### **“WHAT TO BRING”**

**NECESSITIES:** Your personal Xavier portfolio containing pertinent information and copies of all IBCS related correspondence.

#### **STRONGLY RECOMMENDED**

- Bible
- Dictionary and Thesaurus
- Reference Materials, resources related to your course(s); The History of Black Catholics is an example of a general resource used in many IBCS courses.
- Extra money for airport transportation and extra-curricular activities: shopping, tours, bus fares, ethnic books, clothing, and IBCS/merchandise sales on campus, etc.
- School Supplies: (notebooks, writing utensils, etc.)
- Desk Lamp
- Umbrella (frequent rainy weather)
- Rain tolerant shoes
- Walking shoes
- Lightweight sweater/Jacket (A/C classrooms)
- Alarm clock
- Cell Phone and charger
- Hangers
- Towels (face and body towels, bath/shower mat)
- Shower curtain and rings
- Bedding (extra-long twin), depending on your weeks here, 2 sets is better/pillow and blanket.
- Linen Service can be provided: Please email your order to Dana Lockett after reviewing the cost.

#### **OPTIONAL BUT HIGHLY RECOMMENDED**

- Afrocentric attire
- Iron
- Laptop computer
- USB Drives
- Tape recorder
- Camera (cell phone camera will be fine for your memory shots)
- Sun hat
- Shower shoes
- Radio/portable CD player for your relaxation at night
- Flashlight
- Extension Cord(s)
- Surge Protector
- ANCESTOR COMMEMORATION (WHITE AFRICAN ATTIRE) or, all white clothing