



Skidmore Jazz Institute Packing List 2025

Your Instrument (except piano and vibes). Drummers: please bring your drums and any Latin percussion instruments you may own (see the Program Information sheet if you would like to ship them in advance). Bass players are expected to bring their acoustic bass, bow, pick and amp (including cords and extension cords). Guitar players should bring their guitar amp, cords and extension cords.

Real Book (if you have one)

Notebook or journal

Staff paper

Twin size extra-long bed sheets and towels. The College will provide a pillow and blanket.

Laundry Detergent There are washers/dryers in the dormitory; the Skidmore Shop (campus bookstore) also sells laundry detergent.

Skidmore Concert Attire: Formal attire is not required. A dress shirt and pants or skirt/dress is fine. No sneakers or jeans, please.

Water bottle

Umbrella/Rain Jacket

Sunscreen

Participants will attend the [Saratoga Jazz Festival](#) at the [Saratoga Performing Arts Center](#) on Sunday. Tickets, transportation and lunch will be provided, but participants may wish to bring some additional spending money.

Cash, or an ATM bankcard – There is one ATM machine on campus which serves the NYCE, Honor and PLUS networks. There are several banks in town within walking distance. [Please note: this not necessary – only provided for informational purposes]

Please note: Items may be shipped to you on campus using the following postal address. Our campus Post Office is open Monday-Friday, 9 am–4 pm and mail cannot be retrieved on the weekend. Correspondence/packages may be sent to: Your name, c/o Skidmore Jazz Institute, Skidmore College, 815 North Broadway, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866. The Post Office offers services from the United States Postal Service (USPS), United Parcel Service (UPS), Federal Express (FedEx), DHL and LaserShip and is located on the lower level of the [Case Student Center](#). Additionally, there is an Amazon Package Locker (Orli) located on campus, outdoors, on the South side of Case Center, near the postal loading dock. Students need the Amazon app to utilize the lockers.