



## USING THE CORRECT DETERGENT

Are you using the correct type of detergent to wash your clothes? Your campus laundry room has front loading washers which require you to use a specific type of detergent to get your clothes clean.

Be sure to **USE ONLY liquid HE-type (high-efficiency) detergent**. All of the major brands (Tide, All, Cheer, Wisk, etc) make it.

**The new liquid pods/pacs are great to use** in the washer- they are liquid, HE, and pre-measured! **They need to go IN THE DOOR**, not the detergent dispenser. *Please DO NOT use Purex 3-in-1 sheets!*

What happens if you use regular detergent? Using regular detergent can create too many suds. These suds will interfere with the cleaning action, reducing soil and stain removal performance. In addition, excess suds can...

- ◆ ... cause the machine to add more water, reducing the water savings & lengthening the wash cycle.
- ◆ ... lead to residue build up causing the washer to smell bad.
- ◆ ... cause the machine to break and spill suds all over the floor.

Look for this symbol on the bottle to ensure you are buying the correct type of detergent!



## FRONT LOAD WASHER TIPS

- ◆ Your liquid HE detergent and liquid fabric softener goes into the dispenser drawer, not on your clothing. Do not use a Downy Ball in these washers- it will not work properly.
- ◆ Do not use too much soap! Follow the manufacturer's directions on the correct amount of soap to use. If you use too much soap, your clothes may come out goopy.
- ◆ Cycle time on the display is approximate. Final spin may take longer than the time display shows, especially if you used too much soap.
- ◆ The door will lock approximately 30 seconds after the cycle starts and will not unlock until about 30 seconds after the cycle completes.
- ◆ 1 wash = 1 dry! Do not try and dry 2 washer loads in one dryer. They will not get dry in one cycle!
- ◆ These washers will wash a twin-sized comforter (by itself)!
- ◆ Please leave washer door open after use.

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## GENERAL LAUNDRY TIPS

- ◆ Be sure to read and follow the directions on your clothing labels.
- ◆ Empty the dryer lint filter every time.
- ◆ **EMPTY ALL POCKETS!** In particular, bobby pins, gum, chapstick, and pens can break the machines and damage your clothing!
- ◆ Pre-treat all stains. There are great products on the market to help you get rid of stains. Drying can set stains so you want to get to them quickly.
- ◆ Sort clothes into at least lights and darks.
- ◆ Please do not wash/dry shoes in these machines.
- ◆ Please do not leave clothes in the laundry room. It is not a storage facility.