Bigg-A-Bed Installation Guide

USE IS AT YOUR OWN RISK.
YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROPER INSTALLATION OF YOUR BIGG-A-BED.
MIDDLEBURY PROHIBITS THE USE OF BIGG-A-BED ON A LOFTED BED.

If you have any questions about the installation process, please contact us at contact@biggabed.com.

Note – The attachment hooks you receive may not be exactly as pictured. The final style of hook uses the same installation method detailed in this guide.

Note – If you plan on raising your bed, we highly recommend you do so before installing your Bigg-A-Bed, as it will be significantly harder to do so afterwards. The distance between the bed frame and the ground must not exceed 3ft (the highest available setting on the standard bed frames). Third-party bed risers must NOT be used in conjunction with the Bigg-A-Bed system.

Included in every Bigg-A-Bed package:

- 5 bed frame attachments
- 5 bed frame metal extensions (13” metal beams)
- 1 bed frame wooden support beam (6’ 8” wooden beam)
- 10 zip ties
- Bigg-A-Bed tote bag (you can keep it if you want)

Potential additional items:

- 1 custom sized Bigg-A-Bed foam
- 1 mattress cover
- 1 mattress topper
- Large clear plastic mattress moving bag (please keep and return your Bigg-A-Bed package in this at the end of your rental period)
Instructions

1. **Pictured:** attachment piece and extension piece.

The metal frame extension piece must be inserted 2” into the opening. You will have to push the extension piece all the way in to the attachment piece in order to fully secure it. It is important that the two pieces are fully connected. Once inserted, do not attempt to remove the extension piece.

2. **Pictured:** combined frame attachment and metal extension attached to the bed frame.

“Slots” are the openings between the metal width-wise beams in the bed, shown most clearly in the left picture. The frame attachments slide onto the 2nd, 6th, 9th, 12th and 16th slots on the bed frame. The two end frame attachments should be placed about 4” from the ends of the bed frame, and the spacing between the frame attachments should be about 16” (Extender pieces must be attached to the wall-facing side, as pictured bottom right; the left and top right pictures are shown on the room-facing side solely for clarity).
3. **Pictured:** wooden support beam placed on frame attachment and metal extensions.

   The wooden support beam should be placed with the outer edge approximately 3” from the end of the extension piece and should be installed parallel to the long side of the bed frame. The wooden support beam is exactly the length of the bed frame. The ends of the wooden support beam will align with the ends of the bed. *Shown on room-facing side of the bed for clarity.*

4. **Pictured:** a zip tie wrapped around the extension and support piece.

   Wrap the zip tie diagonally around both the metal extension and wooden support beam. *It is crucial that the zip tie is pulled as tightly as possible.*

   As pictured, wrap a second zip tie around the other diagonal and ensure it is pulled tightly.
Install zip ties as outlined above on all 5 metal extensions to hold the wooden support beam securely in place.


5. **Pictured:** the college provided mattress moved onto the Bigg-A-Bed Support Frame.

Move your college provided mattress into position on top of the Bigg-a-Bed support frame. It should be directly against the wall.
6. **Pictured:** the Bigg-A-Bed foam placed onto the bed frame.

Place the Bigg-A-Bed foam onto the empty space on the college bed frame. Adjust the foam so that it is flush with the college provided mattress.

7. **Pictured:** Bigg-A-Bed mattress topper on top of the Full-XL sized bed.

Place your personally owned or Bigg-A-Bed mattress topper over the Bigg-A-Bed foam and the college provided mattress.
8. **Pictured:** mattress cover on the Full-XL Bigg-A-Bed.

Install the Bigg-A-Bed provided mattress cover over the dorm mattress, Bigg-A-Bed foam insert, and mattress topper. For ease of installation, slide it on from the top of the bed and place the zipper at the bottom.

9. Place your own Queen, Full-XL or Full-size deep-pocket sheets on your bed.

10. **Your Bigg-A-Bed is complete!**

If you are confused about any step in the process send us an email at contact@biggabed.com. This email address is regularly monitored, and we will respond quickly to any questions or concerns.

Please ensure that you have read the [Rental Agreement](#).