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### **Dining at Bucknell**

August 7, 2020



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#### DINING IN 2019-2020 2 TYPES OF DINING AVAILABLE

- Cafeteria style dining All-you-care-to-eat Pay for meals using:
  - Meal swipe
  - Debit card, credit card, cash
  - Dining Dollars (works like a debit card)

- Food court style dining
  - Order what you want and pay for each item ordered.
  - Meal swipes cannot be used in these locations



# 2019-20 MEAL PLANS

**Anytime Access Meal Plans** 

These plans offer unlimited access to the Cafeteria. Students may eat as much food as they want to eat.

- Anytime Access includes \$75 Dining dollars and 4 guest passes
  \$2,765/semester
- Anytime Access Plus includes \$300 Dining dollars and 6 guest passes - \$2,990/semester



# 2019-20 MEAL PLANS

#### **Dining Dollars**

These plans work like a debit card. The dollars are loaded on the student's account for them to purchase food on campus.

- \$700 Dining Dollars cost \$700/semester
- \$1,025 Dining Dollars cost \$1,000/semester
- \$1,365 Dining Dollars cost \$1,300/semester



# 2019-20 MEAL PLANS

#### **Combo Plans**

These plans have both Cafeteria meal swipes and Dining Dollars to purchase food on campus.

- 15 meal swipes + \$550 Dining dollars to use at Dining venues on campus \$768/semester
- 50 meal swipes + \$250 Dining dollars to use at Dining venues on campus \$922/semester
- 100 meal swipes + \$125 Dining dollars to use at Dining venues on campus \$1,546/semester



### **CHANGES MADE FOR FALL 2020**

- Implemented social distancing and safe food handling procedures in all dining venues to respond to COVID-19.
- We wanted our students to have access to at least one meal per day for nutritional purposes and to keep them on campus for those meals.



### CHANGES MADE FOR FALL 2020 CAFETERIA

- The cafeteria is changed from an all-you-care-to-eat dining venue to one trip through a serving line.
- To reduce touch points, the food available through these lines will be packaged by a server as students pass through the lines, essentially the same way as they previously were served— just served in a box rather than on a china plate.
- Students will be able to choose food from a number of stations including a vegan entree, a pasta entree, a grill special, a homestyle entree that includes two sides, a salad special, a deli special, a dessert and a beverage.
- Students may select any of those items for their meal, and may take a second portion from any of these stations.



### CHANGES FOR FALL 2020 FOOD COURT AREAS

- Because of social distancing, it is not possible to operate the food court areas as before.
- The 2 main food courts are converted to the single line service just like the cafeteria to help address social distancing concerns.
- The menu is the same in all locations to help avoid overcrowding.
- Meal swipes are now accepted for payment.
- Smaller food court areas will have limited menu items such as coffee, bottled beverages and snacks.



### **MEAL PLANS OFFERED FOR FALL 2020**

- 7 meals per week \$1,400/semester (99 swipes)
- 12 meals per week \$1,950/semester (169 swipes)
- 19 meals per week \$2,750/semester (263 swipes)
  - All meal plans include \$200 Dining Dollars



### **CAFETERIA MEAL PRICES**

#### Fall 2019

If not using a meal swipe, price for a meal is:

- Breakfast \$10.25
- Lunch \$12.50
- Dinner \$14.80

If not using a meal swipe, price for a meal is:

Fall 2020

- Breakfast \$10
- Lunch \$13
- Dinner \$13
- Rates decreased for breakfast and dinner from previous year.



### **MINIMUM MEAL PLANS**

#### Fall 2019

- \$700 Dining Dollars (debit account)
  - If dollars used to purchase meals in cafeteria would purchase 47 dinners (\$700/\$14.80)
  - This would only provide students with one meal per day for about half of the semester.

#### Fall 2020

- 7 meals per week plan
- Cost is \$1,400 and includes \$200 Dining Dollars (Debit account)
  - 99 meal swipes
  - Per swipe cost is \$12.12/swipe (\$1,200/\$13)
  - \$200 Dining Dollars could be converted into 15 additional meals (\$200/\$13)

Provides students with one meal per day for the entire semester.



## **COMPARABLE MEAL PLANS**

#### Fall 2019

- 100 swipes and \$125 Dinning Dollars (debit account)
- Cost \$1,546
  - Per swipe cost is \$14.21/swipe ((\$1,546-\$125)/100)
  - \$125 Dining Dollars could be converted into 10 additional lunches (\$125/\$12.50)

#### Fall 2020

- 7 meals per week plan
- Cost \$1,400 and includes \$200 Dining Dollars (Debit account)
  - 99 meal swipes
  - Per swipe cost is \$12.12/swipe ((\$1,400-\$200)/99)
  - \$200 Dining Dollars could be converted into 15 additional meals (\$200/\$13)

