2011 2012 COLUMBIA MEAL PLANS

FOR SUITES & APARTMENTS

A FULL MENU OF CHOICES

AT THE CENTER DINING RESIDENTIAL RESTAURANT

Meet your friends for breakfast, lunch or dinner at our comfortable, all-you-care-to-eat location. Watch the preparation of your made-to-order meal or try one of our international or home-style entrees. Your favorites form the grill, deli, or salad bar are always there for you too. Visit Center Dining from 7:00am until midnight and just relax, recharge and refuel.

CONVENIENCE

Dash into Center Dining for all the necessities like shampoo, groceries, aspirin, and much more. Your Flex Dollars can be used for these items.

EXPRESS

Use your Flex Dollars for salads, sushi, sandwiches, and more. Dine-in or to-go options make getting what you want really convenient.

MEAL EXCHANGE

Not going to be nearby for lunch? Stop in at Center Dining to exchange a board meal for a carryout lunch. You can choose from sandwiches, salads, sodas, chips and a dessert to put in your backpack for later. Meal exchanges are offered daily until Noon.

STARBUCKS

Get your caffeine buzz, indulge in baked goodies, and enjoy wireless internet access in this comfy café atmosphere.

PICK THE PLAN FOR YOU

Flexibility makes it easy to get the most value out of your plan. There are two parts to each meal plan:

BOARD MEALS

Choose how many all-you-care-to-eat breakfast, lunch, and dinner board meals per week you want to eat in Center Dining. These meals are for dine-in only.

FLEX DOLLARS

All plans come with Flex Dollars that supplement your meal allowance and can be used to buy sundries, groceries, convenience items, or if you choose to take your meal to-go. Once you have a meal plan, your University Center ID works like a debit card in Center Dining. Just swipe your card and the meal change is deducted from your account automatically.

STRETCH YOUR DOLLARS FURTHER

Whether you're eating at Center Dining every day or just a few times a week, you could be saving money with a meal plan. These options help you choose the plan that offers the best value for your busy schedule.

SUITE RESIDENTS MEAL PLANS

Standard Meal Plan is the best value if you eat in Center Dining on a regular basis.
15 all-you-care-to-eat meals per week
$690 Flex Dollars per year (allocated by semester)
$3,389 per year

APARTMENT RESIDENTS PLAN

The Apartment Plan offers good value if you like to cook on your own and plan to eat in Center Dining only occasionally. This plan can be used during school break periods as long as Center Dining is open.
150 all-you-care-to-eat meals per year
$280 Flex Dollars per year
$1,685 per year

CENTER DINING HOURS*

Monday – Friday
Breakfast: 7:00am – 9:30am
Continental: 9:30am – 11:00am
Lunch: 11:00am – 3:00pm
Break: 3:00pm – 4:30pm
Express, Starbucks and convenience items are available during break.
Dinner: 4:30pm – 9:00pm
Late Night: 9:00pm – Midnight
Express, Starbucks, convenience items and one hot station are available for late night.

Saturday and Sunday
Express: 9:00 am - 11:00 am
Brunch: 11:00am – 2:00pm
Dinner: 4:30pm – 7:00pm
Late Night: 9:00pm – Midnight
*Hours are subject to change.

FAQS

DO UNUSED MEALS CARRY TO THE NEXT WEEK?

On the Standard plan the meals must be used in the week they're assigned. On the Apartment Plan, the meals are assigned by academic year and you can choose when to use them.

WHAT IS THE CANCELLATION POLICY?

Plans purchased for the Fall semester must be cancelled by 9/9/11 and plans purchased for the Spring semester must be cancelled by 2/3/12. Cancellations after this date will not receive any discounts or refunds.

CAN I TREAT A FRIEND TO A MEAL ON MY PLAN?

You can certainly treat a friend to a meal using your Flex Dollars if you have the Standard plan. Or by using a board meal or Flex Dollars from the Apartment plan.

WHAT DO I DO IF MY FLEX DOLLARS RUN LOW?

You can simply add to your account by visiting www.universitycenter.com. Click on the Residents tab and then on the Dining tab. Or you can add to your account while in Center Dining by making payments of cash, check, money order or credit card with the cashier.

HOW DO I SIGN UP FOR A MEAL PLAN?

While registering for housing you will select from the plans your school offers.

WHAT IF I HAVE A QUESTION THAT IS NOT ANSWERED HERE?

Visit us at www.universitycenter.com or call us at 312-924-8109 between the hours of 9:00am – 6:00pm, Monday through Friday.

UNIVERSITY CENTER DINING

11-12

THE DATES HIGHLIGHTED BELOW REPRESENT WHEN MEAL PLANS ARE ACTIVE

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