**Meal Plan Sign Up and Payment**

Students living in HAC are not required to purchase a meal plan; however below are some options.

**How to Sign Up For Your Meal Plan**

Purchase of a meal plan is optional. To sign up for your meal plan call 860-486-3128 or visit the Dining Services main office in Towers, Wade/Hamilton building. Office hours are Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. At this time, on-line sign up for meal plans is not available. Please choose a plan that most closely reflects your eating habits and how many meals you will eat during your stay. Dining services staff will assist with this. Previously, some students have opted to purchase a community meal plan, which can be useful for morning and evening dining; however, during the lunch hour, it can be difficult to get to the nearest dining hall (a 10-15 minute walk) and back to class in time. Again, the dining services staff is very helpful in matters of determining which meal plan option is best for you.

**How to Pay for Your Meal Plan**

Dining Services’ main office in Towers does not accept check or cash as payment from students for meal plans. All meal plan charges are applied directly to the student’s fee bill.

Students can pay for a meal plan:

**Online through Bursar’s Office:** Once you purchase a meal plan through Dining Services main office, your payment will be due within ten days to the Bursar's office. Watch for an email informing you of the payment due date. If not paid within ten days, you may be subject to a $150.00 late fee and/or a hold on your account. You may pay the Bursar's office in person (first floor of the Wilbur Cross building). You may also make free online e-check payments by going to https://bursar.uconn.edu. Credit card payments are accepted online only through the Student Administration System. There is a 2.85% convenience fee for credit card payments.

**By mail:** checks only to the Bursar's office.

**Meal Plan Options**

Meal options for commuters and students living in apartments or off-campus housing include the following: Community Meal Plan, Community Meal Plan + Points, Community Meal Plan + Husky Bucks, Declining Balance (Cash Account).

With the exception of holidays, meals are generally available at the summer school dining unit seven days a week. Summer meal times are usually as follows: breakfast 7:00 a.m.–9:30 a.m.; lunch 11:00 a.m.–1:30 p.m.; dinner 4:30 p.m.–7:00 p.m. Check Dining Services’ website for hours of operation https://dining.uconn.edu/hours/.

**Community Meal Plan**

A Community Meal Plan is sold in a block of twenty-five meals for use in the residential Dining Unit open during the summer. Multiple blocks of 25 meals are available for purchase at one time, or one block at a time added on, as needed. This plan stays open year-round. There is no limit to the amount of meals you can use each day and you may bring a guest(s) by simply debiting a meal(s).

Current Plan Price is:

- 25 meals $290.00

**Community Meal Plan + Points**

You can purchase a valid Community Meal Plan plus additional Points. You may also purchase multiple blocks. This plan allows access to all dining units and to most retail operations. You may purchase points in any dollar increment: 1 point=$1 dollar. Meals and points carry over to the next semester and are refundable only when you leave the university (at the value they were originally purchased).

**Community Meal Plan + Husky Bucks**

Husky Bucks combined with a valid Community Meal Plan now offers a discount. When you purchase a valid Community Meal Plan (25 meals for $290.00) for use in the residential dining units and pay for your food purchases in our retail operations with Husky Bucks, you will receive a 5% discount off each purchase. Please note that this discount is applied only to purchases in Union Street Market, The Beanery and any of the five UC Café coffee shops. Off-campus locations are not included in this offer. You may purchase Husky Bucks through the One Card Office or on-line through the One Card office’s website: https://onecard.uconn.edu.

**Declining Balance (Cash Account)**

Cash points can be used at all dining units and most retail operations. Prices in the dining units effective 08/01/2019-07/31/2020.

Prices in the dining units are:

- Breakfast $8.55
- Lunch $13.50
- Dinner $16.40

All cash point accounts that are inactive for a whole semester will be closed. Requested refunds are issued only if the student is graduating or leaving the University.
**Husky Bucks**

Husky Bucks is a debit-like account set up on your Husky One Card. Cardholders will enjoy the convenience of being able to make purchases at participating locations, on and off campus, without having to carry cash or other cards. There are no coin machines. Whether you are purchasing books for the semester, grabbing a bite to eat, making photocopies, or buying a UConn sweatshirt, Husky Bucks lets you do it all with your One Card.

For more information: [https://onecard.uconn.edu/husky-bucks/](https://onecard.uconn.edu/husky-bucks/)

**Husky Bucks FAQs**
[https://onecard.uconn.edu/husky-bucks/husky-bucks-faq/](https://onecard.uconn.edu/husky-bucks/husky-bucks-faq/)

**Dining FAQs**
[https://dining.uconn.edu/faq/](https://dining.uconn.edu/faq/)

**Husky One Card (UConn ID)**

The Husky One Card is the official UConn ID and key to campus. The Husky One Card is the official UConn ID for all students, faculty, and staff. It is called the One Card because this one card serves many functions. Here is what the One Card can do for you:

- **Official UConn ID**
- **Husky Bucks account**
- **Residence hall access (if applicable)**
- **Student Recreation facility access (if applicable)**
- **Student Health Services access (if applicable)**
- **UConn Library card**
- **Copying and printing**
- **Discounts**

The card should be in the cardholder’s possession at all times and presented upon request to any University official. Although the card is issued to individuals, the card remains the property of the University and is non-transferable.

There is no charge for your first ID card. To obtain your Husky One Card, you’ll need to present one of the following forms of ID or combinations of ID:

- **Valid driver’s license**
- **Passport**
- **State-issued photo ID**
- **Military ID**
- **Government-issued photo ID**
- **College photo ID with a Social Security Card**

Without one of these valid forms of ID, we cannot issue you a Husky One Card.

As a new student to UConn, there are two options to obtain an ID:

1. **Online photo submission option**. This unique option is only offered to new graduate students.
   - Once a student submits a photo, the status is pending until the One Card office has approved the photo.
   - After the photo is approved, a confirmation email will be sent.
   - The following message will appear if you log into your account again after successfully uploading a photo: “currently ineligible for this feature.”

2. **In person at the One Card office on the second floor of the Wilbur Cross building.** We have reserved the lunch hour on Monday, June 29. Judith will escort you from class to the One Card office where staff will verify identity using one of the forms of ID referenced above, and then take your photo.

*Note: One Cards cannot be mailed to your homes. We need to verify identity with one of the previously mentioned forms of ID before distributing cards. For your convenience, I will issue One Cards on Sunday, June 28 to those who submitted a photo online.*