

All meal plan offerings are designed to provide the most value for students in the Commons Dining Hall. The Commons is an “all you care to eat” venue and allows a wide variety of food for students. From a fresh salad bar to made-to-order pasta and stir-fry, students will experience a wide range of flavors and options. Deli sandwiches, grilled and fried items, as well as, comfort-food are available in the Commons.\* The Open Access Premium and the Open Access plans are a great way to enjoy the offerings of the Commons Dining hall.

All undergraduate students living on campus are required to have an Unlimited Plan or the Scarlet 230. The Gray 150 and Talon 50 are reserved for students who have an in-unit kitchen or are commuters. However, any student can purchase a meal plan of greater value at any time. Graduate students living in MSV-Graduate Hall may opt to have access to the Grad Hall Kitchen [see below].

The Block Plans (Scarlet 230, Gray, 150, and Talon 50) allow students to use meals in the Commons Dining Hall and exchange some meals at other retail venues on campus each semester [details listed below]. All plans offer bonus points that can be use at any retail location on campus.

## Commuter Meal Plans

Commuter students are an important part of our community and are invited to purchase a meal plan. “Meal Plan Only” contracts are available for any student who does live in a residence hall. All plans listed below are available to Commuter students.

Failure to use the meal plan does not cancel your financial responsibility for paying for the meal plan.

## Meal Plan Choices

Meal Plan	Meals Per Week (Sunday to Saturday)	Bonus Points (per semester)	Meal Exchanges (per semester)	2018–2019 Academic Year Rate (per person)	2018-2019 Charge Per Semester (per person)
<b>Hawk Unlimited Premium</b>	Unlimited visits to the Commons Dining Hall	200	N/A	\$6,710.00	\$3,355.00
<b>Hawk Unlimited**</b>	Unlimited visits to the Commons Dining Hall	100	N/A	\$6,550.00	\$3,275.00
<b>Scarlet 230</b>	230 per semester	75	35	\$5,000.00	\$2,500.00
<b>Gray 150</b>	150 per semester	125	35	\$3,600.00	\$1,800.00
<b>Talon 50</b>	50 per semester	200	10	\$1,590.00	\$795.00

## HawkCard

Your HawkCard serves as your meal card. Present your card upon entering the Commons or at the point of sale for use at retail locations. Card holder must be present for meals/bonus points/exchanges to be used.

## Bonus Points

Bonus points are declining balance funds that can be used for meals or snacks at any IIT Dining location on campus. Unused bonus points roll from Fall to Spring Semester. However, they expire at the end of the Spring semester.

## Express Meals

Too busy to eat in the Commons? All meal plan holders can utilize the Express Meal option in the Commons during posted hours.

## Meal Exchanges

Meal exchanges can be used during the lunch or dinner hours at most IIT Dining retail locations on campus. Each location has its own unique meal exchange menu from which students can chose. Meal exchanges typically include an entrée, side, and beverage. Unused meal exchanges do not carry over from semester to semester.

## Graduate Hall Kitchen Access

Residents of Graduate Hall whose class standing is designated as “graduate” are provided with card access to the Graduate Hall Kitchen. The Hawk ID is used for access.

## Changing or Cancelling Your Meal Plan

During each semester, all meal plan holders have the option to change their meal plan within the designated meal plan change period. All changes go into effect on the Sunday after approval is granted. Changes outside of the designated meal plan change periods are subject to proration (if applicable) and may be denied if the student has exceeded designated usage.

Meal plans may be cancelled only if you are cancelling your housing contract or are a commuter requesting to cancel for the spring prior to the conclusion of the fall semester. Moving rooms does not automatically cancel or change your meal plan. Mid-year cancellations are subject to proration for time on the meal plan. The Scarlet 230, Gray 150 and Talon 50 cannot be prorated.

\*The official hours for the Commons Dining Hall for the 2018-19 academic year will be posted by July 1, 2018.

\*\*If a meal plan is not specified on the housing contract. Undergraduate students living in a unit without a kitchen will be automatically enrolled in the Hawk Unlimited Plan.