

**Contract Terms:** Meal Plans are available to all **full-time registered** students. **THE MEAL PLAN IS FOR THE ENTIRE ARTS AND SCIENCES / ENGINEERING ACADEMIC YEAR**, or such shorter period of duration as expressly agreed to in writing between the University and the student. **Cancellation is not permitted.** **Enrolling in a Meal Plan obligates the student for payment of the Total Price indicated in the agreement.** The University reserves the right to cancel this agreement and discontinue the Meal Plan when, in its judgment, an emergency or other event limits or prevents satisfactory meal service. In such case, a pro rata refund will be made for the unexpired period.

**Identification:** The J-Card acts as a meal card. All Meal Plan subscribers are required to swipe or tap the J-Card at each meal. The right to use the J-Card may not be given or sold to another person and all assigned privileges are nontransferable. **Inappropriate use of dining privileges may result in possible disciplinary action and/or additional costs applied to the Student's account.** Lost J-Cards must be reported **IMMEDIATELY** to Housing and Dining **and** the J-Card Office. Replacement cards are available at the J-Card Office. A fee will be charged for all replacement J-Cards.

**Meal Plan Usage:** The meal plan week begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday. One meal is counted each time a student swipes the J-Card to enter the dining hall; the anytime dining plan represents an unlimited number of meal swipes. The Anytime Dining 19 meals per week, 14 and 10 meals per week, Block of 80 meals and Kosher Meal Plan meal swipes can be used at Fresh Food Café, and Nolan's at Charles Commons. Meal swipes can also be used for Meals-in-a-Minute available at Charles Street Market. Dining Dollars can be used only at Fresh Food Cafe, Nolan's at Charles Commons, Levering Kitchens – including the Levering Cafe, and Charles Street Market – including Crepe Studio. **Guest Passes** can be used at Fresh Food Café and Nolan's at Charles Commons. **Unused meals** for the 14 and 10 meals per week and for Kosher meal plans are forfeited at the end of each week. **Unused meals** for the Block of 80 per semester plan and **Unused Guest Passes** are forfeited at the end of each semester. **Unspent Dining Dollars** automatically carry over from Fall to Spring semester, but are forfeited at the end of each academic year.

**Dining Calendar:** Fall (Period One) begins with breakfast on August 21, 2021 and ends on January 08, 2022. Spring (Period Two) begins on January 9, 2022 and ends on May 13, 2022 (closes at 2:00, after lunch). **No service will be provided during WINTER BREAK.** Dining locations will close for **WINTER BREAK** closes (December 17 at 2:00 p.m. and opens for breakfast on January 3). Hours of operations are subject to change and may be modified as needed. Hours of operations for all locations are available at <https://studentaffairs.jhu.edu/community-living/dining-programs/where-to-eat/dining>.

**Meal Plan Requirements:** **First-year students** are required to select from the Anytime Dining, 14 Meals per week, or Kosher 14 Meals per week plans. **Second-year students living in a University residence hall** must select a minimum of the 1500 Dining Dollars per semester plan, 10 Meals per week plan, or choose any First-year Meal Plan. **Upperclassmen living in a University residence hall** (excluding Bradford and Homewood Apartments, and Rogers House) must select a minimum of the Block of 80 meals per semester plans, or any other meal plan option. Students living on-campus in Bradford, Homewood Apartments, or Roger's House-campus **are not required** to be on a meal plan, but have the **option** to select any meal plan.

**Kosher Meal Plans:** The University Kosher Meal Plans are available Sunday brunch through lunch on Friday (except for Jewish holidays). **Kosher breakfast is not offered. All students are eligible to add a Hillel Option to any University Meal Plan.** Hillel offers meals on the Sabbath and Jewish holidays in the Smokler Center for Jewish Life located at 3109 N. Charles St. When signing up for a Kosher Meal Plan, check the boxes on the contract indicating the desired University Meal Plan. **Additional Hillel and Shabbat options are available through Johns Hopkins Hillel.**

**Meal Plan Changes:** Students may change to another **eligible** meal plan, **only once** for the academic year, during the designated change period in the fall during the second week of classes. The designated meal plan change period will be communicated, in advance, to students via their JHU-email address. Email communication will include a web-link and instructions on how to change meal plans. No changes will be allowed after that designated meal plan change period. Meal plan changes made after any designated change period, are permitted only through review based on registered accommodation needs. Meal plan changes and new enrollments are always effective on Sunday of each week. **Hillel Options** can only be changed by the University through the first two weeks of August each academic year. After the first two weeks of August, students must inquire directly with the Smokler Center. **Additional Dining Dollars can be added to any existing meal plan** anytime during the academic year, dollar for dollar, without additional service or facilities fees. **Additional Dining Dollars can be purchased anytime during the year** online at <https://studentaffairs.jhu.edu/community-living/dining-programs>. **A minimum purchase of \$100 is required** for each transaction and the **total purchase amount** must be divisible by \$50; for example \$100, \$150, \$200 etc. **All billing adjustments for meal plan changes will be processed directly to the student's account through SIS.**

**Payment Policy:** All Meal Plan costs are billed to the student's account through SIS each semester. Meal plan costs for Fall (Period 1) are submitted to the Student Accounts Office during August; Spring (Period 2) meal plan costs are submitted during December. **The Meal Plan contract remains in effect for the entire academic year. Cancellation is not permitted.**

**Departure from JHU:** **The facilities fee originally included in the cost of all meal plans is not refundable.** Unspent Dining Dollars will be credited back to the student's account for all meal plans. Adjustments for the meals or block portion of all meal plans is based on the duration or total weeks enrolled on the meal plan, not the actual meal plan usage. The credit for the **meals or block portions** of all meal plans will be calculated by first subtracting the value of the Dining Dollars originally included in the meal plan from the original cost of the meal plan to determine the **value of the meals or blocks portion** of the meal plan. Next, the **value of the meals or blocks portion** of the meal plan will be credited back to the student's account based on the **Adjustment Schedule** as follows: **Fall** (Period 1) - 100% **before** August 21; 70% **before** September 13; 50% **before** October 6; 30% **before** October 28. **Spring** (Period 2) - 100% **before** January 9; 70 % **before** February 1; 50% **before** February 24; 30% **before** March 18. A \$50 administrative fee will also be deducted from the total credit applied to the student's account. **No credit will be issued after the tenth week of each semester.** No credit will be issued to students suspended or dismissed for disciplinary reasons. No credit will be provided by the University for Hillel Meal Plans. All Hillel Meal Plan inquiries should be directed to the Smokler Center. If a student's academic status changes, the student is responsible to notify the Dining Office at 410-516-3383 or email [Dining@jhu.edu](mailto:Dining@jhu.edu). This policy shall be subject to amendment by the University during the term of this agreement without notice.

**This contract cannot be assigned. This contract contains the entire agreement between the parties and no statement or promise made by either party that is not contained in this written contract shall be valid or binding. The University reserves the right to change the terms of this contract anytime without notice.**