AM I REQUIRED TO BUY A MEAL PLAN?
Meal Plans are voluntary, except for students living in the Honors Village who are required to purchase an Honors Village Meal Plan.

HOW DO I DECIDE WHICH MEAL PLAN TO CHOOSE?
You should decide which Meal Plan is appropriate based on how much you eat over the course of a week. Visit our website union.arizona.edu/mealplans to get an overview of your Meal Plan options.
HOW DO I SAVE MONEY?
With a Debit Meal Plan, when you are purchasing food on campus, the register will automatically deduct 3%, 5% or 7% from your total bill (depending on your plan); plus all Meal Plans have an added savings of 6.1% by not paying state sales tax.

HOW DO I SIGN UP AND MAKE ADDITIONAL DEPOSITS?
You can sign up by visiting our website union.arizona.edu/mealplans or in person at the Meal Plans Office on the lower level of the Student Union Memorial Center. You can make additional deposits through this website, in person or by phone at 520-621-7043 or 800-374-7379.
CAN MY PARENTS ACCESS MY MEAL PLAN ACCOUNT?

Meal Plan balance and transaction information cannot be released to anyone other than the Account Owner. Families can create a Guest Account which will allow them to make deposits, but not view transactions. Instructions for creating a Guest Account are at union.arizona.edu/mealplans. Students can also submit a signed Authorization for release of information to the Registrar’s office, although this will not give online access to information.
CAN I CHANGE OR CANCEL MY PLAN AT ANY TIME?
You can change Debit Meal Plans freely during the first **TWO** weeks of the Fall semester. After the second week of classes in the Fall semester, your plan is set for the rest of the academic school year. You can upgrade your Debit Meal Plan at any time throughout the academic year. Please visit the Meal Plans Office for further details.

WHAT HAPPENS IF THERE IS MONEY LEFT ON MY DEBIT MEAL PLAN AT THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR?
All unused balances and CatCa$h expires at the end of the academic year.
WHAT HAPPENS IF I RUN OUT OF MONEY ON MY DEBIT MEAL PLAN?
You can make additional deposits in person (Meal Plans Office) or online (union.arizona.edu/mealplans) in any increments of $25 or above for the rest of the academic school year.

WHAT DO I DO IF I LOSE MY CATCARD?
Report it immediately by logging into your account at union.arizona.edu/mealplans to freeze your account.
HOW DO I KNOW HOW MUCH MONEY I HAVE LEFT?

You can find out your account balance in several ways: check the Meal Plans website, stop by the Meal Plans Office or ask any cashier.

HOW IS A MEAL PLAN DIFFERENT FROM CATCA$H?

Meal Plan money can only be used to buy food on campus. CatCa$h is a separate bucket of money that can be used for non-food purchases like printing, copying, laundry, and parking on campus. CatCa$h can also be used at several off-campus restaurants and select vendors. Visit union.arizona.edu/catcash for a list of all locations that accept CatCa$h.
CAN I BUY THE COMMUTER PLAN EVEN IF I LIVE ON CAMPUS?
Yes, the Commuter Plan is available to every student.

DO I HAVE TO PAY THE FULL AMOUNT OF MY MEAL PLAN UP FRONT?
You can pay for your Debit Meal Plan in one lump sum or you can choose the two payment plan option through your Bursar account. The two payment plan is billed 50% in the Fall semester and 50% in the Spring semester.
IF I HAVE FINANCIAL AID OR SCHOLARSHIP MONEY COMING IN, HOW DO I USE THOSE FUNDS TO PAY FOR THE MEAL PLAN?

When you are selecting your method of payment, you will want to select the Bursar Account. When financial aid or scholarship money comes in, it will pay tuition first, then housing, then Meal Plan. If you do not receive enough money to cover the cost, you will be responsible for paying the difference.
WHERE CAN I USE MY DEBIT MEAL PLAN OR SWIPE MEAL PLAN?
You can use your Debit Meal Plan at every eatery on campus, concessions stands in the stadiums, convenience stores on campus, and all campus vending machines. Restaurants on University Boulevard are not included and you will need CatCa$h for those locations off campus.

CAN I BUY THINGS BESIDES FOOD WITH MY MEAL PLAN?
Meal Plan money can only be used for food and beverages on campus.
WHAT SHOULD I DO IF I'M GOING THROUGH GREEK RUSH?
We recommend the Rincon Swipe Plan or Commuter Plan for students going through Greek Rush. Most houses require students to buy into their Meal Plans so those students will not be eating as many meals at the Student Union Restaurants. If they decide not to join a fraternity/sorority, they can upgrade their plan at any time.

WHERE IS THE MEAL PLANS OFFICE? WHAT ARE THEIR HOURS?
The Meal Plans Office is located on the lower level of the Student Union Memorial Center. Our hours during the school year are Monday - Friday 8am - 5pm.
AM I REQUIRED TO OPEN A WELLS FARGO ACCOUNT TO USE MY MEAL PLAN?

No, you are not required to open a Wells Fargo account in order to use your Meal Plan. The University community has the option to use their CatCard for ATM access when linked to a Wells Fargo checking account. For more details about the CatCard association with Wells Fargo, please visit the Wells Fargo branch located on the lower level of the Student Union Memorial Center.