

Meal Plan Appeal Procedure and Application



Submit this application to the Office of Purchasing, Contract and Auxiliary Services, via Mail Center prior to the deadline(s) listed below. If you have questions, please contact the office at 336-734-2880.

2023/2024 Dates

An application for meal plan appeals during the academic year must be submitted according to the following schedule:

Fall Semester Appeal
April 1 (Returning Students)
July 1 (New Students)

Spring Semester Appeal
October 22 (All Students)

The Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina School of the Arts approved a policy which requires all C1 (first year) and C2 (second year) students to live on campus and participate in a board meal plan. All first and second year students living in Artist Village must subscribe to the "All-Access" Meal Plan. C3 (third year) and C4 (fourth year) students living in Artist Village must subscribe, at the minimum, to the 175 Meal Plan. Students living in the Centre Stage Apartments, regardless of classification, are not required to subscribe to a meal plan.

Students with documented disabilities may seek accommodations in the academic or living environment on campus (including Dining Services) by supporting a request through documentation, which meets the university's guidelines. All disability-related requests for accommodation and documentation of a disability should be submitted directly to the Office of Learning Resources, UNCSA, 1533 South Main Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27127. For information on the process for documenting a disability, students should contact the Office of Learning Resources via email learningresources@uncsa.edu, by phone at 336-726-6963, or visit their web page at <https://www.uncsa.edu/mya/current-students/academics/accessibility/>.

If a student has special dietary needs or restrictions, Campus Dining can accommodate the student to make sure they get the most out of their Meal Plan. For any dietary and/or nutritional concerns, please contact the Aramark Director of Dining Services, Julia Voss at vossj@uncsa.edu or 336.631.1288.

The Meal Plan Appeal Committee will review all Meal Plan Appeal Requests related to special dietary needs or restrictions. This committee may be comprised of the Director of Purchasing, Contract and Auxiliary Services, the Aramark Director of Dining Services, the Aramark Dietitian, the Director of Health Services, UNCSA Dietician, UNCSA Medical Provider and the Director of Counseling Services will review Meal Plan Appeals when the need arises.

Once the Meal Plan Appeal Process is complete, students will be notified via their UNCSA Campus Email Address. An official letter will be emailed and placed on file with Dining Services, Student Accounts and Residence Life. All Meal Plan Appeal decisions are final. The student may submit a new request in the subsequent semester if he/she has new grounds for an appeal.



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UNCSA Mail Center

PHONE
336-734-2880

WEB
<http://www.uncsa.edu/mya/dining-services/>

Appeal Option #1: Special Dietary

To appeal under this option, you must:

- (1) **meet with the Aramark Director of Dining Services and the Nutritionist to discuss your request.** You will be contacted after submitting your application for a time to meet.

I have met with the student named on this appeal form and discussed his / her dietary needs and the ability of Aramark to accommodate them in the Dining Hall. I have recorded the highlights of our conversation below:

Aramark Director of Dining Services or Designee

Date

Appeal Option #2: Other Extenuating Circumstances

To appeal under this option, you must:

- (1) **prove without a doubt what the extenuating circumstances are and how they affect your ability to eat in the Dining Hall.** You should thoroughly explain the circumstance(s) and provide as much documentation as possible. Please note that these circumstances must be extreme. Appeals for dislike of cafeteria-style food, vegan / vegetarian, etc. will **not** be approved. Failure to provide enough support documentation for your appeal may result in the denial of your appeal.
- (2) **meet with the Meal Plan Appeal Committee to discuss your request in person – should your documentation not be supportive enough.**

Student Notification and Signature

By signing on the line below, you are certifying that you understand the contents on this form and all the information provided to the University is true and accurate to the best of your knowledge. False information provided by student and/or others representing the student may result in a denied appeal.

Signature of Student

Date

FOR COMMITTEE USE ONLY

Does request contain Dietary or Medical Issues? _____ Y / _____ N Sent to Health Services / Dietitian / Counseling? _____ Y / _____ N

Information from Health Services / Dietitian / Counseling attached for documentation? _____ Y / _____ N

Decision of Meal Plan Appeal Committee? _____ Approved / _____ Denied

Student Notified _____ Date: _____

Notes: _____

Signature of Director of Purchasing, Contract & Auxiliary Services or Designee: _____