

Welcome Students!

This dining guide has been designed to act as a quick reference of our services, so keep it handy until the final brochure is available. For the latest information, please visit our web page www.montclair.edu and select the Dining quick link for more information. We look forward to serving you!

Dora Lim
General Manager

Flex Dollars

Flex Dollars are attached to most of the meal plans. One Flex Dollar is equal to one dollar. Meal plans and Flex Dollars are coded to your MSU ID card and are accepted at most dining service facilities including the C-store and vending machines. Flex Dollars carry over from fall to spring semester, only if you continue to have a meal plan in the spring semester. Please remember to use all your Flex Dollars by the end of spring semester, since balances are nonrefundable. If you run out of Flex Dollars, you can purchase additional Flex Dollars in increments of \$50, \$100 and \$250. Flex Dollars are tax free for students.

Red Hawk Dollars

Red Hawk Dollars may be acquired at any time for any amount. A Red Hawk Dollar account is an all-in-one debit card program coded into your MSU ID. Red Hawk Dollars can be used for purchases at the University Bookstore, most Campus Dining Facilities including vending machines, and the Library. Red Hawk Dollars can be obtained at any of the three automated machines located at the Student Center, Library, and College Hall.

Meal Plan Equivalency

Your dining options are expanded to take advantage of the Student Center Cafeteria, Rathskeller and the Red Hawk Diner. Your meal plan can be used to purchase a meal during specified hours. If you purchase more than that amount, you can pay the difference in Cash, Flex Dollars, or Red Hawk Dollars! With the exception of the 14 and 2 meal plans, all other plans have multiple meal swipes available per meal period. Only one equivalency is allowed per meal period on the 14 and 2 meal plans. For all block plans, only one swipe per person in the Red Hawk Diner is permitted during equivalency hours. No equivalency is permitted at the Red Hawk Diner on the 14 and 2 meal plans.

How the Meal Plans Work

Block Plans: Upon entering a dining hall, the MSU ID Card is swiped at the register and one block is removed for each time the card is swiped. Blocks expire at the end of each semester. During Meal Equivalency hours, multiple block swipes are permitted except at the Red Hawk Diner.

14 & 2 Meal Plans: These weekly meal plans are refreshed each Sunday and permit up to 14 and/or 2 meals per week. Meal plan equivalency usage is restricted to one meal equivalency per meal period (breakfast, lunch, dinner) except at the Red Hawk Diner, where no equivalency is permitted. Unused meals do not carry over to the following week.

For all meal plans:

- 1 swipe of your ID Card deducts one block (or meal) from the balance
- 1 block = 1 swipe = 1 meal at Blanton and Freeman Hall
- 1 block = 1 swipe = 1 Meal Equivalency

Meal Plan Changes

The meal plan selected for the fall semester will be re-assigned for the spring semester. To change a meal plan for spring, a change form must be completed and submitted to the Meal Plan Office prior to the second Friday in November. Please read all meal plan rules and regulations stated in the Residence Hall License and Dining Agreement.

Meal Plan Rates Per Semester- 2008/2009 pricing

*Required Residence Meal Plans

225 Block + \$150 Flex Dollars	\$1,650.00
175 Block + \$150 Flex Dollars	\$1,595.00
150 Block + \$150 Flex Dollars	\$1,525.00
125 Block + \$250 Flex Dollars	\$1,575.00
14 Meal Plan (14 meals/wk)	\$1,385.00
14 Meal Plan + \$150 Flex Dollars	\$1,500.00

*Resident Hall Students must choose one of the six Residence Meal Plans offered.

Commuter, Clove, Village and hotel residents may select any one of the Voluntary Meal Plans below or any of the six meal plan options above:

50 Block + \$100 Flex Dollars	\$495.00
50 Block + \$250 Flex Dollars	\$650.00
2 Meal Plan (2 meals/wk) + \$50 Flex	\$275.00

*Prices subject to change by the action of the Board of Trustees.

Visit our MSU website at www.montclair.edu/dining.

Feel free to contact us at these numbers:

Menu Line	(973) 655-7988
Meal Plan Office	(973) 655-7889
Catering Office	(973) 655-4224

Or visit us on the web at www.montclair.edu select the Dining quick link.

Blanton & Freeman Dining Halls

We're proud to present the latest trends in dining service everyday with the following features:

- Homemade Soups and Bread Bar o Vegetarian Selection
- Healthy Entrees o Traditional and Ethnic Cuisine o Fun Fast Foods
- Fresh Bakery Products o Mouth Watering Desserts
- Deli Bar o Pizza, Pasta & Casseroles
- Well-Stocked Salad & Health Bar

Plus... Weekly Specialty Bars, Steak & Seafood Nights, Great Desserts, Fresh Seasonal Fruits, Cappuccino and a variety of Hot and Cold Beverages. International food specialties will be highlighted with festive monthly dinners and theme meals.

Student Center Café

Located on the second floor in the Student Center

At the Student Center you can use Cash, Flex Dollars or Red Hawk Dollars at anytime, or meal plans during meal equivalency hours.

Thumann's Deli Classics as well as a full-line of unique made-to-order sandwiches make this concept even more popular than the "local deli"! Signature grilled sandwiches, fast food favorites, great breakfasts, vegetarian burgers, soups and salads.

Rathskeller

Located on the first floor in the Student Center

Visit our very own MSU neighborhood pizzeria for fresh homemade pizza and subs. Delivery service is now available on campus. Call extension 5100 for your order.

Convenience Store

Located on the 1st floor of the Student Center near the Bookstore

The "MSU C-Store" is a mini grocery which carries a variety of beverages, breakfast pastries, Smart Market Salads and Sandwiches, microwaveable meals, milk, orange juice, canned goods, candies, sundries, toiletries, magazines, classroom supplies, etc...

Student Center Dining Room

Located on the second floor of the Student Center

Open Monday through Friday, this location features an upscale "all-you-can-enjoy" hot buffet, soup, salad bar, command performance station, beverage and dessert.

Red Hawk Diner

Adjacent to the Student Center

The Ultimate Campus Dining Alternative open 24 hours, 7 days a week when school is in session, during the fall and spring semesters. The Diner offers a huge variety of traditional Diner favorites! (Meal Plan Equivalency accepted for Block Plan users from 11pm-8am, 1 block per person. Cash, Flex Dollars, Red Hawk Dollars and Credit Cards are also accepted for payment.)

Sushi House

Located in the Rathskeller, on the first floor of the Student Center

Featuring fresh and authentic sushi prepared by Japanese chefs daily. (Cash, Flex and Red Hawk Dollars accepted)

College Hall Snack Bar

Located in College Hall on the first floor

This location features breakfast pastries, desserts, Green Mountain Coffee and a variety of bottled beverages. There is also a selection of Smart Market sandwiches and salads for people on the run. (Meal plans are not accepted at this location, however, Cash, Flex Dollars and Red Hawk Dollars are welcome.)

Red Hawk Express

Located outside of Dickson Hall

The American grill on wheels, featuring grilled breakfast and lunch sandwiches, snacks and beverages. (Cash only)

Rocky's Nest (Seasonal)

Located outside the Student Center- across from Science Hall. This outdoor kiosk features breakfast items, sandwiches, hot dogs, coffee, soda, water, candy, snacks and newspapers. (Cash only)

Café Diem at Sprague Library

Your very own cyber café serving Starbucks coffee, lattes, bagels to order with your favorite flavored cream cheese, freshly grilled paninis, specialty salads with homemade dressings, upscale wraps, and desserts to die for! (Cash, Flex and Red Hawk Dollars accepted at this location).

Rocky's Perch

Hidden at the Student Recreation Center, this is where you can boost up with energy drinks and healthy snacks, salads and sandwiches after a great workout!

U-Hall Coffee Bar

For your convenience, we proudly brew Starbucks coffee in this location and offer variety of breakfast, snacks and sandwich selections so you never have to leave the building to get refreshment.

Late Night at the Rathskeller

Our 4th meal plan option from 10pm- 2am Sunday thru Thursday.

Rules and Regulations: Please refer to the MSU Student Handbook/Dining Service Agreement regarding changes, drop dates or cancellations of meal plans.