DePaul University offers dining programs that provide a variety of choices designed for campus residents. Our dining locations give residents a number of meal options, including burgers and chicken, great soups and salads, full meals or just a quick snack. Vegetarian, vegan and gluten-free meal selections are plentiful for discerning diners. Residents with allergies or other specific dietary needs will be accommodated on an individual basis.

Residents living in Lincoln Park housing as well as residents of University Center suite-style units are required to have a meal plan. Residents of University Center apartments are encouraged to maintain a quarterly plan; the UC Apartment Plan is suggested. Take a look at your plan options that are included in this guide.

**DePaul offers two dining center options:**

1) DePaul plans may be used at all dining locations on the Lincoln Park campus, as well as the DePaul Center 11th floor dining area in the loop. All DePaul plans operate with a declining balance. Any plan balance remaining at the end of a given quarter will roll over quarter to quarter within the academic year. (For example, fall money would roll over to winter and spring, but year-end balances would be forfeited when the academic year ends in June.)

2) University Center plans can only be used at the dining center on the second floor of the University Center building. The University Center meal plans operate with a set number of meals for each week of the academic quarter along with “flex” dollars.
Lincoln Park Required Resident Plans:

**DePaul Plan**  $1,249 per quarter
The DePaul Plan is the minimum requirement for new incoming freshmen students who will be living in Lincoln Park traditional-style residence halls. It may be lowered to the Lite Plan for the spring quarter of the freshman’s first academic year.
Offers: ≈1 ½ – 2 meals per day for each day of the academic quarter.

**Lite Plan**  $985 per quarter
The Lite Plan is the minimum requirement for new incoming transfer students and continuing DePaul students who will be living in Lincoln Park traditional-style residence halls or McCabe Hall.
Offers: ≈1 – 1 ½ meals per day for each day of the academic quarter.

**Apartment Plan**  $516 per quarter
The Apartment Plan is the minimum requirement for new incoming freshmen and transfer students or continuing DePaul students who will be living in Lincoln Park apartment-style residence halls. This plan provides for infrequent dining and occasional snack purchases.
Offers: ≈1 meal per day for each day of the academic quarter.
University Center Required Resident Plans:

**UC Basic Plan** $968 per quarter
This UC Basic Plan is the minimum requirement for all residents in suite-style units at the University Center. This plan is only valid at the University Center’s second-floor dining facility.

Offers: 10 meals per week (Monday through Sunday) plus $240 flex dollars for each academic quarter.

Selecting a dining plan:
All plans will be selected and assigned at the same time housing assignments are made. The plan chosen at the time of submitting the housing agreement will be assigned, or the minimum requirement, whichever is higher. Residents may request a plan change within the first two weeks of the quarter in which the change is requested to take effect. The UC Apartment Plan may not be changed or canceled after the effective date for the plan.
Lincoln Park Optional Resident Plans:

Valid at all Lincoln Park campus dining locations and the DePaul Center dining area

**Red Plan**  $1,425 per quarter
The Red Plan meets the needs of an average diner who is often on campus a few weekends each quarter. Offers: ≈2 meals/day for each day of the academic quarter.

**Blue Plan**  $1,594 per quarter
The Blue Plan allows greater dining capacities for residents who frequent our dining facilities regularly and on most weekends. Offers: ≈2 ½ – 3 meals per day, plus snacks and convenience items, for each day of the academic quarter.

**Demon Plan**  $1,802 per quarter
The Demon Plan is the largest plan and offers the highest probability of not running short of dining privileges during the quarter. Offers: ≈3 meals per day for each day of the academic quarter.

University Center Optional Resident Plans:

Only valid at the University Center's second-floor dining facility

**UC Apartment Plan**  $1,774 per full academic year
The UC Apartment Plan runs on a declining balance. This plan is billed in-full at the start of the plan; no refunds will be given. Offers: 150 meals and $376 flex dollars over the course of the academic year.

**UC Standard Plan**  $1,248 per quarter
The UC Standard Plan offers 15 meals per week (Monday through Sunday) plus $240 flex dollars for each academic quarter.

**UC Deluxe Plan**  $1,418 per quarter
The UC Deluxe Plan offers 19 meals per week (Monday through Sunday) plus $240 flex dollars for each academic quarter.

To learn more about meal plans, visit:
http://offices.depaul.edu/student-centers/dining-plans-services/Pages/dining-locations.aspx