

SUMMER BUCKS PROGRAM POLICY



I. INTRODUCTION

The following Summer Bucks Program has been created to provide summer residents with a reasonable on-campus alternative to accessing meals. The following policies apply to individuals living in on-campus housing during any of the summer sessions, as determined by the start and end dates of summer academic program (typically from the end of May through mid-August).

II. Summer Academic Calendar

The Summer Meal Plan Schedule is directly linked to the Summer Academic Calendar.

Please [click here](#) for the Summer Academic Calendar.

Please [click here](#) for Summer programs and course offerings.

III. Summer Bucks Program Eligibility

The Summer Bucks Program applies to any individual who lives in on-campus housing that requires a meal plan during the academic year.

To view eligibility for meal plans based on housing, please [click here](#).

IV. Summer Bucks Program Overview

The Summer Bucks Program offers dedicated funds for individuals to access through the Muhlenberg College ID.

In an effort to offer a vibrant meal plan that best fits the culture at Muhlenberg College, the Summer Bucks Program is comprised of a minimum deposit of \$400.00 Summer Bucks, required at the time of completing the summer housing application. This total will be in addition to any balance currently on the 'Berg Bucks account at time of summer housing registration.

Summer Bucks may be spent at on-campus dining operations with posted hours of operation, the 'Berg Bookshop and laundry facilities in major residence halls.

Any remaining Summer Bucks will roll to the next semester for Muhlenberg students. Non-Muhlenberg students can recoup their unspent funds through the Controller's Office.

Additional funds may be added at any time through the Controller's Office.

Please note that \$400.00 is a reasonable dollar amount set as a minimum for the program. While some may find that this is adequate to meet their eating habits and schedule, other may find that they may need to contribute additional funds to meet their eating habits and schedule. To deposit additional funds, individuals can visit the Cashier Window through the Controller's Office, located in the lower level of the Haas College Center. There is a \$25.00 minimum when depositing additional funds.

V. On Campus Dining Venues and Rates

Based on volume and campus activity, The GQ will remain a retail operation and be open for breakfast, lunch and dinner, Monday through Friday. The GQ will also open on weekends from 11:00am – 1:00pm. The GQ will close at 4:00pm on weekdays and will not open on weekends if the Wood Dining Commons is open for summer camp & conference business.

The Wood Dining Commons will be open to campus when there is camp & conference business. Number of open restaurants will depend on group size.

Rates

Below are the Wood Dining Commons rates for the summer of 2018:

Breakfast Cash Price:	\$8.25	*Summer Bucks Price:	\$5.70
Lunch Cash Price:	\$11.75	*Summer Bucks Price:	\$7.92
Brunch Cash Price:	\$11.75	*Summer Bucks Price:	\$7.92
Dinner Cash Price:	\$18.00	*Summer Bucks Price:	\$8.92

*Access and pricing applies when there is summer camp and conference business.

VI. On Campus Dining Venues and Hours of Operation

Based on volume and campus activity, one of Muhlenberg's Dining venues will be open as follows:

1. General's Quarters*

Monday – Friday: 8:30am – 6:00pm Saturday – Sunday: 11:00am – 1:00pm

*The General's Quarters will close at 4:00pm and will not open on weekends if the Wood Dining Commons is open for summer camp & conference business.

2. Wood Dining Commons**

**Open to campus when there is summer camp and conference business.

VII. Contact Information

For questions related to on-campus dining contact Muhlenberg Dining at:
diningcomments@muhlenberg.edu or 484.664.3488

For questions concerning Summer Bucks accounts (opening an account, balance information, adding funds, etc.) contact the Controller's Office at:
arlevito@muhlenberg.edu, dromig@muhlenberg.edu or 484.664.3150.