



Policy on Mandatory Meal Plan Participation by Undergraduate Students

In general, undergraduate students are required to participate in designated meal plans on the following basis:

First year students are required to subscribe to the Freshman Meal Plan. Second year students are required to subscribe to one of the designated Sophomore or Second Year Plan(s).

All residential students are required to participate in a meal plan, with junior and senior students able to choose any appropriate plan offered for that particular year.

Only students living with their parent(s) and commuting to campus are exempt from this requirement. The only other exception will be for documented medical reasons after the student has been granted an exception after successfully going through a Medical Review and Appeal Process. Information is available on this process on the Emory University Campus Dining web site.

The basis for the mandatory meal plan participation policy is outlined in the on-line (http://www.emory.edu/CAMPUS_LIFE/pdf/61287_Handbook2.pdf) or hard copy Emory University Campus Life Handbook (p.152 of the 2008 edition) and in the housing contract entered into prior to occupancy.

The respective definitions of “first-year student” and “second-year student” are as follows:

First-Year Student

“Many different terms are used to refer to first-year students at Emory. For purposes of understanding the requirements of housing, campus dining, and parking services, the term ‘first-year student’ will be used to refer to all students who have arrived on campus and are participating in their first complete year of undergraduate academic study.”

Second-Year Student

“Many different terms are used to refer to second-year students at Emory. For purposes of understanding the requirements of housing, campus dining, and parking services, the term ‘second-year student’ will be used to refer to all students who have arrived on campus and are participating in their second complete year of undergraduate academic study.”

Compliance with the mandatory meal plan policy is a requirement of the University senior administration for continued enrollment and matriculation.