Resident Meal Plan Menu Selections

One swipe can be used for each meal period.
Each meal swipe includes a beverage and a side | Items that include 1 side | Items that include 2 sides

Meal plans expire at the end of the spring semester.

Green Room Café: Monday – Thursday 8 am – 8 pm | Friday 8 am – 7 pm | Saturday & Sunday 10 am – 7 pm
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ENTRÉE
Choice of 1

BREAKFAST | BRUNCH
- Plate or Bowl
- Eggs-To-Order / Omelet
- Pancake, French Toast or Waffle
- Breakfast Sandwich
- Hot or Cold Cereal
- Parfait Bar
- 2 Toasting Breads & Spread
- Bagel & Spread

LUNCH | DINNER
- 2 Slices Pizza
- Pasta Bake
- Entrée Buffet
- Grill Sandwich
- Bistro Sandwich
- Deli Sandwich
- Salad Bar
- Action Station all inclusive meal

SIDES

BREAKFAST | BRUNCH
- Whole Fruit
- Breakfast Pastry
- Bacon, Ham or Sausage
- Hash Browns or Home Fries

LUNCH | DINNER
- Whole Fruit
- Side Salad
- Bag of Chips
- Starch
- Vegetable

BEVERAGE
Choice of 1

ALL DAY
- Coffee
- Tea
- Fountain drink
- Milk, ½ pint
- Water, 16 oz.

Look for the musical note to identify the plan options in the Green Room Café
Do my meal swipes on the basic meal plan role over from meal-to-meal and week-to-week?
The meal plans provide 19 meal swipes. Students can use one meal swipe per meal Mon-Fri and one for brunch and dinner on Saturday and again on Sunday. The meal swipes do not carry over from meal-to-meal or week-to-week. Our hope with this plan is to ensure students on the meal plan don’t run out of meal swipes over the course of the week while creating a meal plan that helps NEC budget and plan for our student’s needs.

What’s the difference between Cafe Cash and Cold Cash?
Cafe Cash can only be used in the Green Room Cafe. It is intended to be used for extra food, premium food options, and snacks.

Cold Cash can be used on the vending machines and local establishments. More information about Cold Cash and participating establishments can be found here: https://necmusic.edu/penguin-pass/accepting-locations

How do I add Cafe Cash or Cold Cash to my Penguin Pass?
Students, faculty, and staff can add Cafe Cash and Cold Cash to the Penguin Pass by going here: https://necmusic.edu/penguin-pass

Prep School families can purchase meals with cash or credit cards, or a Rebecca’s Gift Card which can be purchased at the register.

If students, faculty, or staff want to add a block of meal swipes to their card, please go to the Business Office in St. Botolph, Room 106.

I’m on the basic meal plan and noticed that I have $100 in Cafe Cash on my Penguin Pass. What is this for? Does Cold Cash reload automatically?
$100 in Cafe Cash was put on your Penguin Pass as part of the standard meal plan in case you want to go back for extra food, premium food items, or a snack. Cafe Cash works as a declining balance with each purchase and does not automatically reload. To add more Cafe Cash to your Penguin Pass, go here: https://necmusic.campuscardcenter.com/ch/login.html

What is the basic meal plan for on-campus residents?
The basic meal plan offers 19 meal swipes with cafe cash for extra food, premium items, and snacks.

What’s the best option for faculty and staff?
In an effort to be flexible, faculty and staff can order blocks of meal swipes or add Cold Cash to their ID card. If you plan to eat on a regular basis in the Green Room Cafe, check out the Bonus Bucks that are available by putting $300, $500, or $700 on your ID card in the Business Office. More information about the meal blocks and bonus bucks here: https://necmusic.edu/dining-services

What’s the best option for Prep School families?
Prep School families can purchase gift cards at the cashier’s desk in the Green Room Cafe.

How do I give feedback about how the new menu and meal plans?
We are very excited to be working with Rebecca’s Cafe this year and we are trying a lot of new ideas! If you have feedback about the menus, meal plans, or anything else related to dining at NEC, email us anytime at diningservices@necmusic.edu or tell us in person. WE LOVE FEEDBACK and can’t wait to hear more about your experience!

What happens to cafe cash at the end of the year?
Cafe Cash rolls over from the fall to spring semester but it does not roll over from year-to-year. Cafe cash must be spent by the time the dining hall closes at the end of the academic year.