

CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY – DINING SERVICES
STUDENT MEAL PLAN TERMS AND CONDITIONS – SUMMER 2026

All students living in “On-Campus Houses” (“Participants”) must participate in the Student Meal Plan, known as the Meal Plan (“Meal Plan”), as provided in the License Contract – Summer 2026 (“Contract”). “On-Campus Houses” shall include the following locations: Blacker, Dabney, Fleming, Lloyd, Page, Ricketts, Venerable, Marks, Braun, Bechtel and Avery.

STRUCTURE

All Participants will be automatically enrolled in and charged for the Meal Plan effective their move-in date. The Meal Plan consists of a declining balance account (“Meal Funds”) valued at **\$610.00** per term, with which the Participant can pay for meals or food. No credit is given for unused Meal Funds. Dining Services is closed on Institute holidays.

FEES

Meal plan participants will be charged the following fee: **\$610.00 for the period of June 15, 2026 through August 21, 2026.**

All fees will be charged to the Participant’s Bursar’s Account. In the event that Participant’s Bursar’s Account is not available to accept transactions, Participant agrees to pay fees directly to the Institute.

MEAL FUNDS

The Meal Funds for the **Summer Meal Plan** will be effective on the following dates: **June 15, 2026, through August 21, 2026**
Any unused Meal Funds are forfeited at the end of the Summer Meal Plan.

LOCATIONS

The following locations will honor Meal Funds Monday through Sunday (location hours/dates vary): **Browne Dining Hall, Broad Café and Red Door Marketplace.**

EXCEPTIONS AND EXEMPTIONS

Caltech Dining Services, in its absolute discretion, may determine whether a circumstance permits an exception to any of the terms and conditions (including but not limited to fees) herein which have been or will be assessed to the Participant. Caltech has sole discretion for determining the selection of food and meals. If you have a medical/dietary restriction that requires a dining accommodation, you must first participate in the Dining Accommodation Request process. To begin the process, you must first register with the Office of Caltech Accessibility Services for Students (CASS).

GENERAL PROVISIONS

The waiver by the Institute of any breach by Participant of the terms of the Meal Plan shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any subsequent breach by Participant. Acceptance of fees by the Institute with knowledge of a breach by Participant shall not constitute a waiver of such breach. Termination of a Participant’s Meal Plan shall not release Participant from paying any obligations to the Institute. If deemed liable for the loss or damage of Institute property, Participant agrees to pay to the Institute, upon demand, the cost of repairing said loss or damage.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Participant understands and agrees that it is Participant’s responsibility to read, understand and be familiar with the terms and conditions outlined in this document and the Housing License Contract. Participant understands and agrees that the terms and conditions herein may not be altered verbally. This document may only be altered in writing by the Director of Dining Services. Participant specifically understands and agrees that, while they may seek advice from Institute personnel, such advice will not result in a modification or change to the terms and conditions in this document or the Housing License Contract.