

## DAILY MEAL PLAN

Pope Prep Meal Plan offers nutritious and appetizing lunches. Items include:

**Comfort Foods • Pasta & Pizza • Grilled Station  
Grab n' Go Selections • Housemade Desserts**

Purchasing the Meal Plan for Lunch includes student's choice of One Entrée, Two Side Items, a Fountain Drink or Bottled Water, and Housemade Dessert. Cost of options:

**\$650**

Fall  
Semester

**\$625**

Spring  
Semester

**\$1200**

Annual

*If the same items are purchased a la carte via the declining balance program, it would cost \$11.75 a day.*

### What are my Meal Plan payment options?

- Payment due in full via check to Pope Prep; make checks payable to Pedestal Foods.
- Payment due by August 19, 2022

### What is an entrée?

A healthy portion of one hot Comfort Kitchen Entrée, one Good Livin' Large Salad, Grab N' Go Deli Sandwich/Sliders/ Wrap, one Grill Spot Entrée, one Delicioso Slice of Pizza or one Hot Pasta Special.

### What is a side item?

A Comfort Kitchen Side Item, Delicioso Small Pasta, Good Livin' Side Salad, one Grab N' Go Fruit Cup, Apple Slices or Veggie Cup, one Uncrustable or Grill Spot Side Item.

### What is a dessert?

Housemade Cookie, Slice of Cake, Fruit Cup, Apple Slices, Rice Krispie Treat, Brownie, Apple Sauce, Purity Ice Cream or Yogurt.

### What drinks are included in the Meal Plan?

A fountain drink, bottled water, fountain Vitality water, fountain Gold Peak tea, or a carton of milk.

### What is NOT included in the Meal Plan?

Breakfast items, premium drinks and ice creams, more than two sides, more than one entrée, more than one dessert, more than one drink, and drink refills.

### How does check out work?

Each student should have their student ID with them; they will give the cashier their ID to be scanned. The student's account will appear on the screen for visual verification, and the account will be checked for enrollment in the Meal Plan Program.

### Where can I find lunch menus?

Go to: <https://www.popeprep.org/student-life/dining>  
This page also offers pricing of a la carte items.

## DECLINING BALANCE PROGRAM A LA CARTE

Students may purchase individually priced a la carte items through our declining balance program in addition to their Daily Meal Plan offerings. This program is ideal for breakfast, snacks and extras or second servings at lunch. A student's balance decreases as purchases are made, much like a debit card.

The declining balance program is NOT used to fund the Daily Meal Plan. It pays only for a la carte breakfast, snacks and lunch items.

## FUNDING YOUR ACCOUNT

### How do I fund my declining balance account?

To fund your student's declining balance account, go to [www.MySchoolBucks.com](http://www.MySchoolBucks.com) and log into your account. If you are a first time user, you will need to set up an account using your student's 4 or 5 digit Veracross student ID number. The MySchoolBucks website will walk you through the setup process.

### How much should I put in the account?

We suggest a \$50 minimum starting balance. You can fund your account with a debit card, VISA, MasterCard or e-check. Your MySchoolBucks account will allow you to:

- Monitor student purchases
- Receive low balance email reminders (recommended)
- Set up auto-payment for your account (recommended)
- Make split payments for multiple students

### Can a student charge into a negative balance?

Yes. A student may charge no more than \$15.00 into the negative. Weekly emails are sent to the email listed on the student roster. If the account is at a negative balance of \$15.00 at the time of the lunch period, then they will be offered an alternative lunch. The lunch includes a sandwich, a bag of chips, a bottled water and an apple sauce.

### Should every student have a declining balance account in addition to the Meal Plan?

While not required, every student will want one.

### How can I see what my student is buying?

Log on to your student's account at [MySchoolBucks.com](http://MySchoolBucks.com).

### Is the online account information secure?

Yes. MySchoolBucks is PCI and VeriSign certified.

### MySchoolBucks Customer Service

(Operated by Heartland School Solutions)

1-855-832-5226 / [support@myschoolbucks.com](mailto:support@myschoolbucks.com)

For more information and to view daily dining menus, visit: <https://www.popeprep.org/student-life/dining>

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