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Dining Plans 101: How to Get the Most from Your UC San Diego Dining Plan

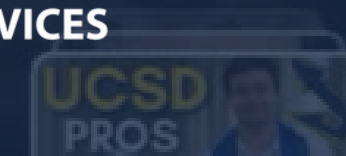
DINING AND TRITON CASH

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Dining and Triton Cash Webinar

HOUSEKEEPING

- Webinar is being recorded.
- Use the Q&A to ask questions
- Do not share personal information or confidential information in the Q&A. Contact us directly.
- If we have time at the end, we will do a live Q&A.
- Attendees will be sent a survey. Four random winners will receive \$50 Triton Cash bonus.

Recording of webinar
will be uploaded here:

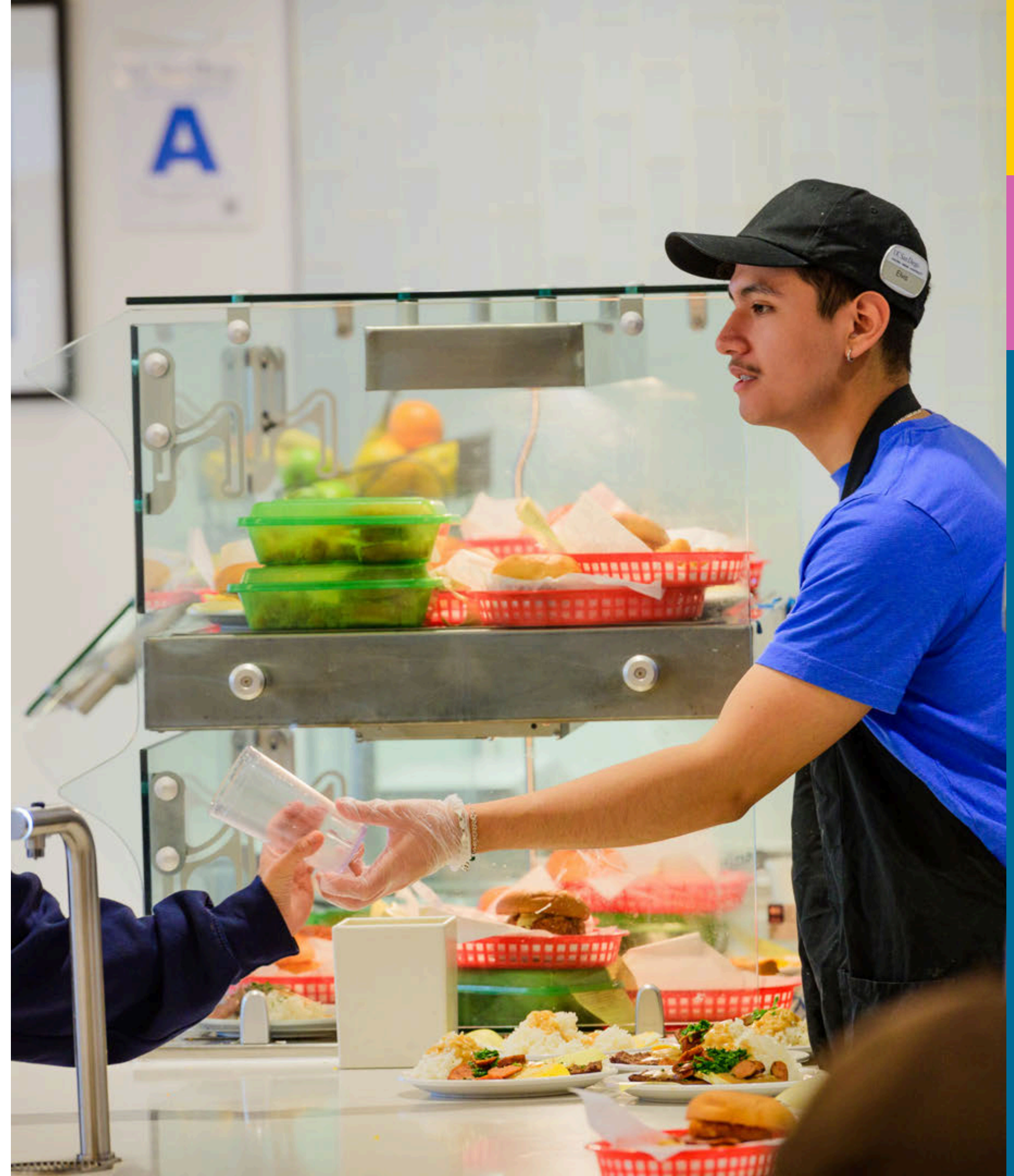


Dining Plan Explained

INCOMING STUDENT DINING PLANS

- **Debit card style system**
 - **Deducting balance**
 - **No swipes**
 - **Budget how you like**
- **Dollar to dollar conversion**
- **Two types to spend**
 - **Dining Dollars**
 - **Triton Cash Meal Plan**
- **Billed with housing contract**
- **Entire dining balance provided at start of year**

Deadline to Change Dining Plan: October 1st



Dining Plan Explained

INCOMING STUDENT DINING PLANS

Triton

Dining Dollars: \$4,850
Triton Cash: \$500

Total Price: \$5,350

Triton Blue

Dining Dollars: \$5,600
Triton Cash: \$1,000

Total Price: \$6,600

Triton Gold

Dining Dollars: \$6,700
Triton Cash: \$1,500

Total Price: \$8,200

**Students living in Upper Division Housing at Pepper Canyon East/Matthews Apartments, Pepper Canyon West, and The Rita Atkinson Residences can choose to opt out of the meal plan or purchase the “Commuter Plan.”*

Dining Plan Explained

DINING PLANS

Dining Dollars Roll Over

- Unused Dining Dollars at the end of Spring Quarter automatically roll over to Fall Quarter.
- With a new Dining Plan: Rolled-over Dining Dollars remain available beyond Fall Quarter.
- Without a new Dining Plan: Rolled-over Dining Dollars expire at the end of Fall Quarter and are non-refundable.

Off-Campus & Optional Housing

- Students living off campus or in Rita, Pepper Canyon, Matthews, or Pepper Canyon West may purchase the Triton Community Plan to retain rollover Dining Dollars.
- Triton Community Plans are available through TritonPay beginning Fall Quarter.

Dining Plans Are Non-Refundable

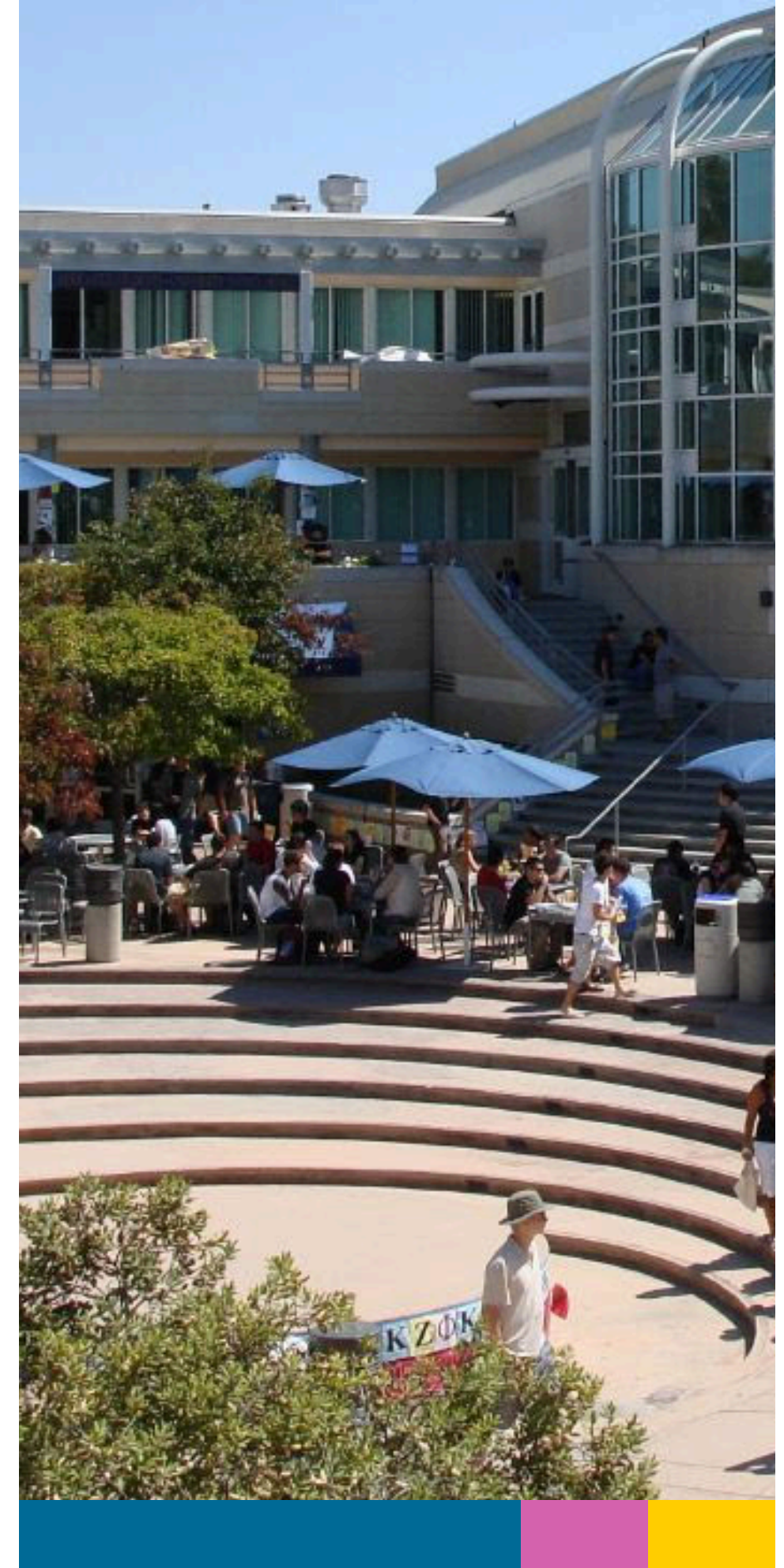
- Dining Plans cannot be refunded after purchase.



Where to Spend

DINING DOLLARS VS TRITON CASH

- Dining Dollars
 - Residential dining and market locations
 - Near residential housing units
- Triton Cash
 - All Residential dining and market
 - 60+ locations on and off campus



Where to Spend DINING DOLLARS LOCATIONS

Muir College

Pines
Slice

Revelle & Eighth College

64 Degrees
Roger's Market

Warren College

Canyon Vista
Marketplace

Marshall College

Oceanview
Goody's Marketplace

Eleanor Roosevelt College

Ventanas

Pepper Canyon & School of Medicine

Foodworx
Club Med

Sixth College

Restaurants at Sixth
Sixth Market

Seventh College

Bistro
Market at Seventh

University Center

Sunshine Market
Audrey's Cafe

Students are free to eat at any location regardless of where they live on campus!



Where to Spend

EATING ON CAMPUS

Global Cuisines Made to Order



- Allergen-friendly options
- Glatt-certified Kosher
- Certified Halal
- Vegetarian and vegan choices

Muir College

- **Morning Fog**- Full espresso bar and drinks with counter seating.
- **Street Eats**-Expect vibrant, bold flavors like Huli Huli, Asian marinades, and Polynesian items.
- **Pacific Coast Hwy** – Represents a journey through California’s distinct regions, emphasizing indigenous influences and local agriculture.
- **Current**- Light cold and raw dishes representing Pacific freshness.
- **Char**- Open flame cooking focusing on searing, charring and bold umami flavors.
- **Heat**– High-heat wok dishes building complex layers of flavor and aromatics.
- **Breeze**- Cold desserts, tea beverages, and breakfast acai power bowls.
- **Slice at Pines**- Pizza and more!

Revelle & Eighth College

- **Taqueria**- SoCal classic favorites with burritos, nachos, tacos and more.
- **Triton Grill**- A classic grill with breakfast, lunch and dinner options! Also, home to our soft-serve ice cream machines.
- **Al Dente** – Authentic pastas and house made sauces.
- **Wok this Way**- Fast service Asian cuisine from around the world.
- **Garden Bar**- Salads and soups made with fresh seasonal ingredients.
- **Umi** – our newest location offers sushi rolls, Nigiri and handroll varieties.

Warren College

- **Fusion Grill** - Classic burger joint with expanded globally inspired options. Halal Certified.
- **Fresh**- Signature Salads, juice bar, fresh poke, and BYO options for all occasions all halal certified.
- **Three-Sixty**- Creative made to order 360 Grill noodles choices with flexible sauces and seared protein cuisines. Quick service global cuisine featured at Three Sixty Suite. Halal Certified.
- **Earl’s Coffee House** -Coffee, Specialty Drinks, doughnuts and Baked Sweets.

Marshall College

- **Counter Culture** - Coffee, sweets and bagels, acai, and passion fruit bowls.
- **Spice**- Certified Kosher kitchen with a Mediterranean approach.
- **Scholars Pizza** - Craft made from scratch pizza cooked in our stone fire oven.
- **Scholars Italian**- Pastas, hot subs and salad varieties as well as Detroit pizza.
- **Goody's Marketplace**- Hand breaded chicken sandwiches and tenders integrated with Just Walk Out Market Technology.

Eleanor Roosevelt College

- **Journey**- African diasporic foods with choices of stews, rice bowls, and fry bowls.
- **VIBE**- Caribbean foods following African diasporic influences, ribs, pollo guisados, sofrito chicken and pastas.
- **Soul** - American Southern influence focusing on the flavors of the South.
- **Hapi** -Sweet and savory hand pies from around the world.
- **Tandoor** - Classic Indian curries, rice, and dahls, homemade fresh naan from our Tandoor ovens.
- **Kaldi**- Coffee, specialty drinks, doughnuts and baked sweets.

Pepper Canyon & School of Medicine

- **Foodworx**- Enjoy personal pizzas made to order, fresh garden salads, and a sandwich bar. You can also find snacks and grocery staples to prepare your own meals.
- **Club Med**- Located in the heart of the School of Medicine, Club Med serves made-to-order breakfast burritos, pizzas, toasted sandwiches, salads and soups.

Sixth College

- **Wolftown** – This funky little taco shop serves Nachos, Burritos, Tacos, and Plates with a Rotation of Global flavors (Korean, Greek, Southern, Filipino)
- **Noodles**- Traditional Ramen and Pho Rotations
- **Makai**- selection of Signature Poke bowls & BYO Poke Bar
- **Crave**- Seasonal grain bowls, salads, and stuffed Pita choices of proteins and toppings plus a BYO option.
- **Rooftop**- BBQ menu during the week highlighting in-house rubs, smoked items, and sauces with a weekend brunch and sandwich menu

Seventh College

- **Bistro**- A modern eatery featuring an open kitchen, sushi bar, and an exciting Pacific Rim-inspired menu. Our chefs draw from various Asian cultures to serve up the freshest seafood, crisp greens, local produce inspired vegetarian fare, and noodle dishes.
- **Northside Deli**- Made to order sandwiches, wraps, soup, and bowls for breakfast, lunch, and dinner

University Center

- **Sunshine**- Large selection of grab-and-go snacks perfect for study sessions or for a boost in-between classes
- **Audrey's Café**- Situated in the east wing of Geisel Library, Audrey's offers coffee and convenient grab-and-go snacks.



Tips

DINING TIPS AND TRICKS

Plan ahead

- Stop by Residential Dining Markets for groceries, microwaveable entrées, and grab-and-go items to keep on hand. Try our Triton on the Go line of sandwiches, salads, sushi, bulk snacks, and more.

Beat the crowds

- The best times to visit or order online are during off-peak hours: **7–9 a.m.** and **2–5 p.m.**

Order in-person or pick a fast-service location

Skip the mobile pick-up line and order directly at these fast-service spots:

- 64 Degrees: Wok This Way, Garden Bar, Al Dente (Revelle)
- HaPi at Ventanas (ERC)
- Crave at The Restaurants at Sixth (Sixth)
- Spice at OceanView (Marshall)
- Brand-new Goody's Marketplace

Know What Takes Longer

- Bistro, 360, UMI hEAT, burgers, and hot sandwiches are made to order, so they may need more prep time.



Where to Spend

MARKET LOCATIONS

- **5 Automated markets powered by Just Walk Out technology.**
 - Sixth Market
 - Market at Seventh
 - Roger's Market
 - Sunshine Market
 - Goody's Marketplace
- **1 Traditional market**
 - Canyon Vista Marketplace

Tips

JUST WALK OUT TIPS AND TRICKS

Getting In

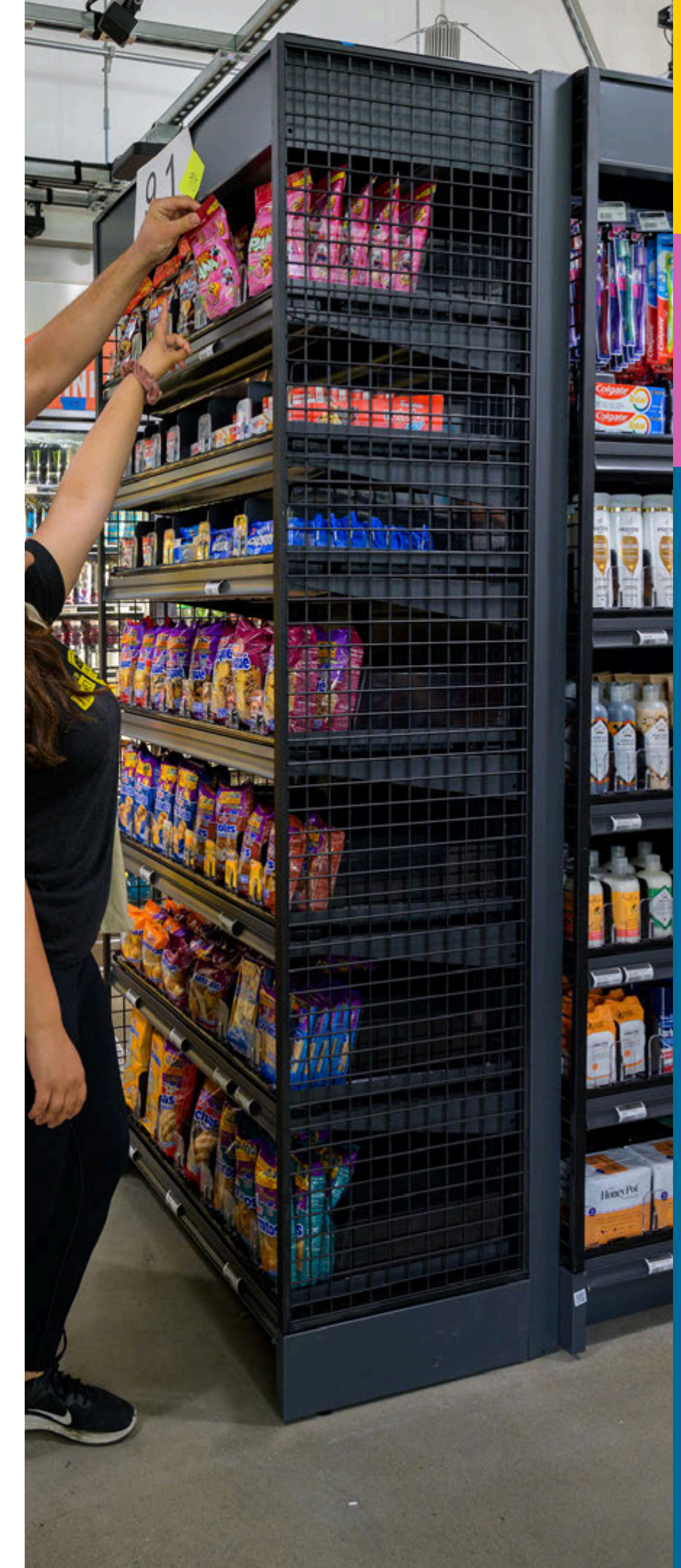
- Wait for the gate to close before scanning your QR code.
- Anyone entering right after you will be charged to your account —make sure the gate shuts behind you!

While You Shop

- Bag items as you go (BYO bag or buy one in-store).
- Put items back on the shelf = no charge.
- Dropped something? Ask staff for help—don't grab a replacement yourself.
- Can't reach something? Ask a staff member for assistance.

Checking Out

- Your receipt will show up in the Triton2Go app (Inbox > Receipts).
- Think there's a mistake? Go to Homepage>Dining Support Form in the app and send a screenshot of your receipt for faster help.



Tips

HOW TO SETUP TRITON2GO MOBILE ORDERING APP

Download

1. Go to Apple App Store or Google Play Store.
2. Search “Transact Mobile Ordering” and Download*

**For international phones:
Must switch regions of app
store to US*

Setup

1. Select UC San Diego Triton2Go from list of Universities
2. Select the Triton2Go icon
3. Login with your Campus ID (Student SSO)

Use

- Allow notifications to be alerted when your order is ready
- Allow location services when using the app to see the open locations closest to you
- Take advantage of rewards program!



Tips

TRITON2GO REUSABLE CONTAINERS

- **Select “Triton2Go Refundable” option to receive your food in a reusable container.**
- **Refundable \$5 deposit will be charged on transaction per box**
- **“Add to other selected T2Go Box” option available**
 - If food does not fit in one box you may be charged for another box at pickup.
- **Use Triton2Go return machines found at all dining halls and some markets to automatically receive refund to your account**
 - Refund will be credited to “Triton2Go Dining Dollars” or “Triton2Go Triton Cash”
 - Credit Card purchases will be credited as “Triton2Go Triton Cash”

Allergen Program and Medically Necessitated Diets

- **Reduced Allergen Dining Program (RAD)**
 - Register with Office of Students with Disabilities (OSD)
 - Meet with Registered Dietitians
 - Receive food prepared in allergen safe zones
- **Self-regulating Allergens**
 - Allergen icons on all menu items
 - Mobile ordering app or website for nutritionals and ingredients lists
 - Cross contamination

Meet with a
Residential Dining
Dietitian:



STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

- Largest employer on campus
- Schedule built around classes and activities
- Convenient locations
- Competitive wages and advancement opportunities
- Skills learned are part of Co-Curricular Record
- Great way to make friends and meet new people

Apply Here!



TRITON CARD ACCOUNTS SERVICES

Ernesto Mendez

2026-27 Academic School Year

CHECK YOUR BALANCES REGULARLY

- Transact e-accounts portal/app
- Triton2Go Mobile Ordering App
- Monthly reminders are sent to ucsd.edu emails

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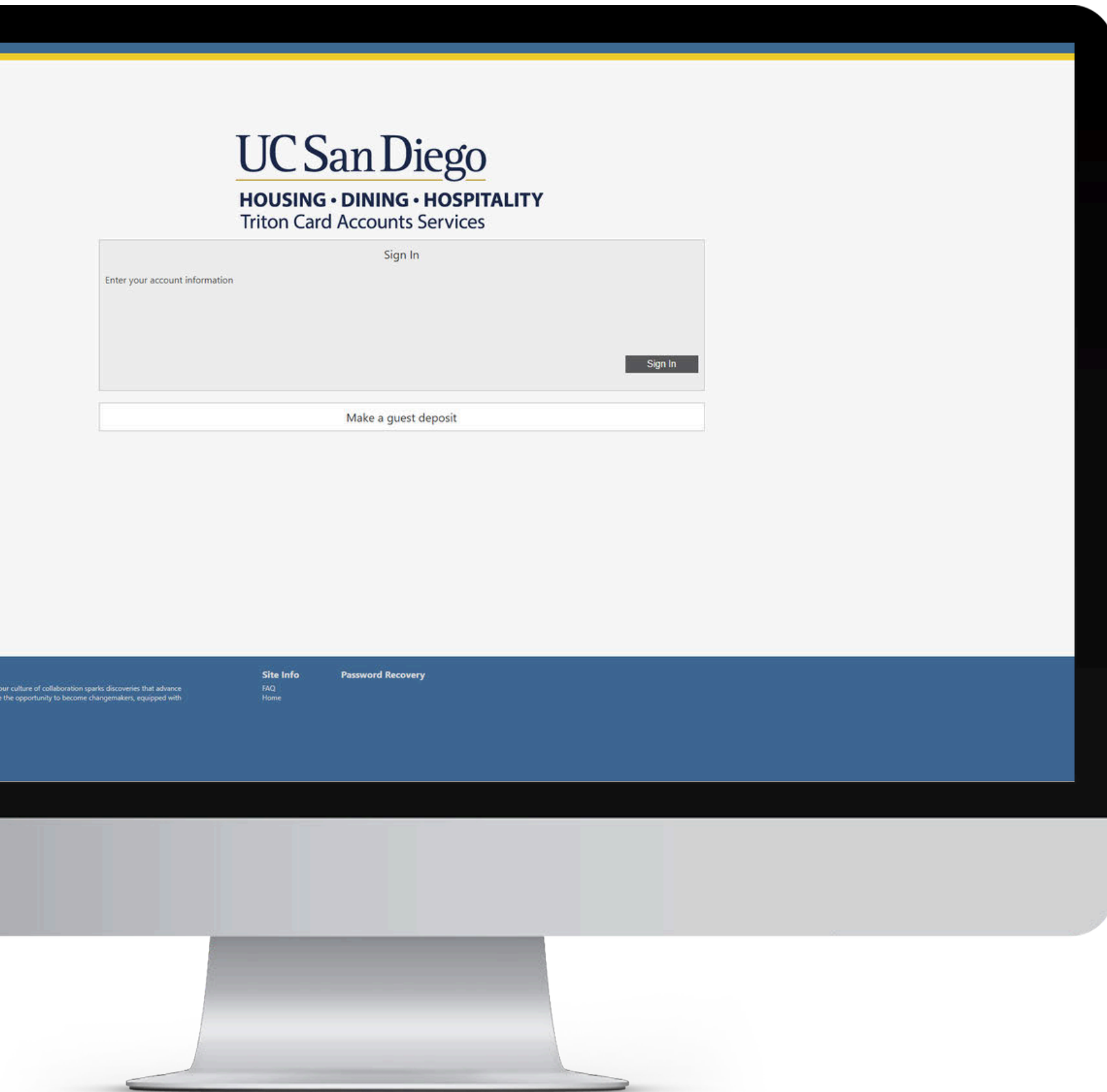


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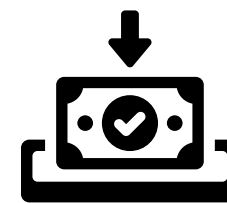
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2026-27 Academic School Year

INCOMING STUDENT DINING PLANS



Deposit at any time via portal, app, or over the phone



**Credit card and debit card accepted.
No cash or checks**

60+ Locations

PARTICIPATING TRITON CASH LOCATIONS

On Campus Locations:

- Art of Espresso
- BCB Cafe
- Blue Bowl Superfoods
- Burger King
- Croutons
- Curry Up Now
- Dirty Birds
- Fan Fan
- Jamba Juice
- M.O.M. (Middle of Muir)
- Taco Bell
- UCSD Bookstore

Off Campus Locations:

- Grub Hub
- Sweet Fin
- BJ's Restaurant
- Chick-fil-A
- Ike's Love and Sandwiches
- The Melt
- The Pizza Taproom

Full List of Participating Locations



Triton Cash Tips

ACADEMIC BREAKS

- Limited HDH facilities open
- Save Triton Cash for flexibility needs
- Plan ahead



Budgeting

GRADUATION OR APPROVED EARLY TERMINATION

Your Dining Plan is provided in full at move-in; however, your Housing and Dining bill can be paid monthly, quarterly, or in a lump sum. This means you may be using Dining Plan Dollars and/or Triton Cash before you have fully paid for them. This only becomes an issue if you end your Housing and Dining contract early, as you would then owe money for any Dining Plan Dollars and/or Triton Cash spent but not yet paid for.

If approved for early termination, under used funds are not refundable. Check in with Triton Card Accounts as soon as you know you are planning to move out of campus housing.





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THANK YOU FOR JOINING US!

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COMING TO YOUR UCSD.EDU EMAIL FOR A
CHANCE TO WIN **\$50** OF TRITON CASH**