



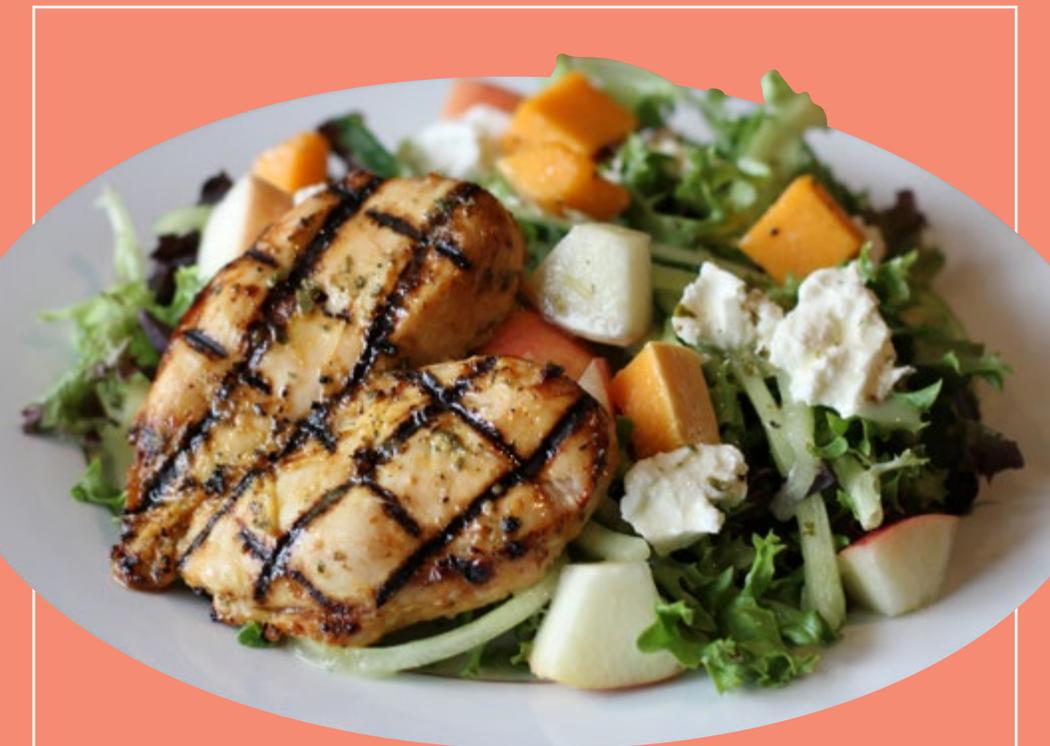
# campus dining guide

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DINING SERVICES  
Division of Student Affairs





# Success starts here.

**E**xcelling at college life begins with the most basic of all ingredients: **food**. Proper nourishment is absolutely essential to reach your full potential, and that's why we exist—to equip the UNT community for greatness. With an array of **convenient locations**, a mind-boggling variety of well-prepared food made from **whole ingredients**, and surprisingly **good prices**, you're never far from a great meal at UNT. Check out the next few pages to get a glimpse of the culinary delights and restaurants that will be at your fingertips, as well as the meal plans that make them even more affordable. **We're here to fuel your success**—let's dig in!

## Our Kitchen Principles

- 1** Everyone's driving focus each day—from our chefs and our cooks, to our servers and our managers—is preparing excellent food for UNT students, faculty and staff.
- 2** We believe a wide variety of well-prepared food, made with easily recognizable and pronounceable ingredients, is the foundation upon which good health may be built.
- 3** We use whole foods. Every day. No fillers, extenders, chemicals, preservatives, or colorings.
- 4** Low prices are important to us. We keep our costs down by purchasing in huge volumes from our suppliers and eliminating food waste at every opportunity. Efficiency and effectiveness drive our internal processes.
- 5** We really cook—and bake, and sauté, and peel, and slice, and dice, and broil, and grill. All breads, cakes, pies, cookies, brownies and pastries are made in-house and fresh each day. We operate cooking kitchens with certified chefs.
- 6** We use seasonally fresh produce whenever possible, and frown at the use of processed convenience food. We even grow our own green leafy vegetables.
- 7** We do not have corporate recipes. All food is produced at UNT, by UNT, and for UNT. No EZ-Mac and no instant potatoes here—we make our own pasta and mash real potatoes.
- 8** We use Texas food whenever possible. Nearly all of our food comes from Texas and our border states, plus California and Florida.
- 9** We are committed to food safety. UNT Dining Services' Food Handlers Certification Program is the only one of its kind to be accredited through the Texas Department of State Health Services.
- 10** We operate the only 100% authentic vegan cafeteria at a large university in the country. Check out Mean Greens Café at Maple Hall!

# Real chefs. Amazing food.

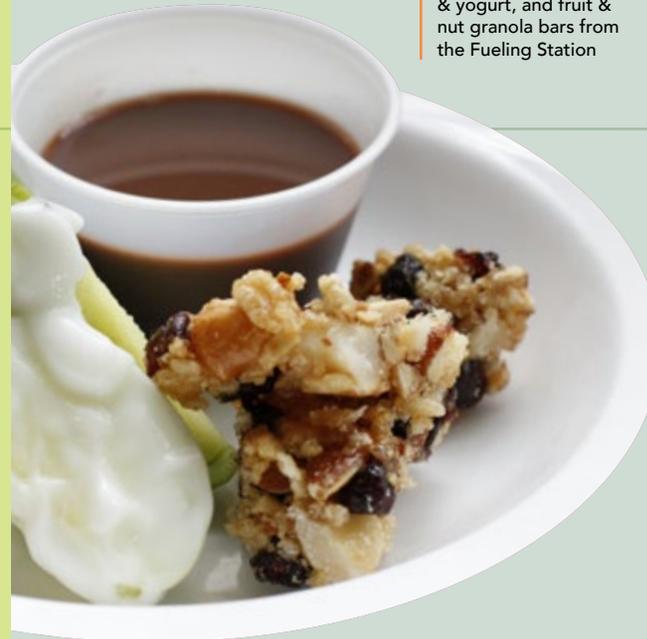
At UNT, we believe in actually cooking our food. We hire accomplished chefs who have worked at five-star hotels and resorts, exceptional restaurants, and more, bringing their award-winning experience and skills to campus. So no matter where you choose to eat, you can always sit down to an expertly crafted, mouth-wateringly delicious meal prepared by expert hands.



NACUFS award-winning Chef Sarah Kettelhut of Champs with two of her signature dishes

# MEAN GREENS

**M**ean Greens Café at Maple Hall proudly holds the title of the nation's first **100 percent vegan** university cafeteria. But it isn't just for vegans; it's popular among all looking for satisfying **healthy or gluten-free options**. Get everything from seitan dishes and pizza to made-to-order paninis and fresh desserts. Mean Greens is also home to Mean Green Farms—a **hydroponic garden** that sustainably produces 650 to 750 heads of lettuce per week. Thanks largely to the success of Mean Greens, UNT has received five consecutive years of "A+" ratings and Dean's List honors from animal advocacy group peta2.



Protein drink, apples & yogurt, and fruit & nut granola bars from the Fueling Station



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Delish.com recently ranked UNT second on their list of "The 30 Colleges With The Best Campus Food You've Ever Seen" and highlighted the success of Mean Greens.

Chef Cris Williams checks the crops in Mean Greens Farms



# CHAMPS

**L**ocated next to Victory Hall near Mean Green athletic facilities, Champs is especially popular among student athletes thanks to its focus on proper **sports nutrition**. Diners can expect a rotation of fresh grilled and rotisserie specials, as well as high-protein items like the lauded smashed burger. The **Fueling Station** is stocked with nutritionally-charged items to further help students refuel, refresh, recharge, and rehydrate. Champs also offers fresh salad, fruits, and vegetables as well as delicious desserts.

# KERR

**K**err Dining Hall provides a huge selection of **student favorites** and plenty of space to enjoy them. The dining hall is a tribute to the history of Denton as well as UNT, and features **seven food stations** plus **two salad bars**. Get a hot, made-to-order burger at the Kerr Grill, experience some of the best fried chicken in the city, or grab a slice of fresh deep-dish pizza. Finish off your meal with UNT's own **Scrappy's Ice Cream**, made fresh on campus.



Triple scoop of Scrappy's Ice Cream

## Coming Soon!

**A** new, **state-of-the-art dining hall** is projected to open for business in Fall 2020, with seating for **750 people**. It will feature a wide variety of concepts in a food hall-style setting, plus a **retail restaurant**. Dining Services is taking



our **commitment to fresh, local ingredients** to a culinary extreme, and we're excited for what this dining hall will bring to the UNT community!

View of the new hall from Maple Street

# KITCHEN WEST



**T**he cafeteria at West Hall will reopen in Fall 2019 as Kitchen West, the nation's first university cafeteria **completely free of the "Big 8" food allergens**. While foods containing allergens will continue to be clearly marked in all of our dining halls, Kitchen West will make dining **effortless** for those affected by the Big 8. Our executive culinary team is diligently developing recipes that are free of the Big 8 allergens but lack nothing in flavor!



MILK



EGGS



FISH



WHEAT



PEANUTS



TREE NUTS



SOY



SHELLFISH

# BRUCE

Centrally located on campus in Bruce Hall, Bruceteria offers an amazing and **diverse selection** of hot entrées as well as healthy vegan and vegetarian options. Be sure to try the rotisserie chicken or hit up the ever-popular pizza and pasta bar (even our pasta is made from scratch). Looking for a fresh gyro or Mediterranean bowl? Bruce has you covered with the **Mediterranean Station**. Two fresh salad bars and a dessert bar are also on site. And did we mention that Bruce has some of the most elaborate and fun **special dinners** on campus, like the annual Hogwarts Christmas Dinner?



Chicken shawarma on flatbread from the Mediterranean Station



A gourmet dessert made fresh at Clark

# CLARK BAKERY

Artisan bread, pastries, cakes, cookies, and more are all **produced right on campus** at our very own Clark Bakery. With products sold at every retail shop and café, you can grab an Apple Streusel Muffin for breakfast, a savory Everything Bagel to snack on, or a rich Chocolate Brownie as a post-exam treat—all guaranteed **fresh and delicious**, just for the UNT community.



# RETAIL

With 22 retail restaurants and convenience stores (and counting) located throughout campus, UNT students have no shortage of **quick, easy, and delicious** dining options. You'll find major national brands such as Chick-fil-A, Starbucks, Burger King, and Jamba Juice, as well as **homegrown hot spots** like Sauté, Mia's Wood-fired Pizzas & More, and Flattop Grill. We also package our own salads, sandwiches, cakes, pies, baked goods, and Scrappy's Ice Cream, all from scratch—and we work hard to keep our prices **college budget-friendly**.

Caramel Frappuccino®  
Blended Coffee



Mia's Wood-fired  
Pepperoni Pizza

## Popular Brands



## Quick Facts

- 22+ restaurants across campus (including Discovery Park)
- Popular national and local brands
- Vegan & vegetarian options
- Multiple late-night options
- All locations accept FLEX, Declining Balance, cash, credit, ApplePay, and more



# Hand-crafted food for any occasion.

Looking for something more **upscale** for a special occasion's dinner? Organizing a formal banquet for your student organization? Need a **light lunch** for your club's meeting? **Keep it on campus** and look no further than UNT Dining Services. No matter the size and scale of your event, we have solutions that are sure to wow your guests.



## AVESTA RESTAURANT

An **oasis of elegant dining** in the heart of UNT, Avesta Restaurant in the Union offers upscale yet affordable cuisine in a relaxed, casual atmosphere. An eclectic and international menu is prepared fresh every day in Avesta's **scratch kitchen**. Best of all, your meal plan's FLEX or Declining Balance can be used to eat here—so treat yourself to not just a great meal, but a great experience at Avesta.



## FOOD-TO-GO

For **smaller, more casual gatherings**, Food-to-Go offers fresh, delicious, made-from-scratch food served in affordable group-sized amounts. Whether you're hosting a class-wide celebration, tutoring session before finals, or other occasion, this service is ideal for casual gatherings on a tighter budget.



## VERDE CATERING

Verde Catering is our **complete, full-service catering operation**, known for its exceptional food and style. Perfect for elegant banquets, formal dinners, group conventions, or any other special event, turn to Verde when you need to **wow at your next event**. Verde can be seen in action across campus, serving at official UNT events and private gatherings throughout the year.

LEARN MORE & ORDER

[dining.unt.edu](http://dining.unt.edu)



# Ready to eat?

# *Let's dig in.*

**W**hatever your style and wherever you live, there's a meal plan for you. **Meal plans** are the best way to enjoy all that UNT Dining has to offer, at a **price that works for you**. Whether you want to frequent our five all-you-care-to-eat dining halls or hit up your favorite retail spots, there's a meal plan for that. Best of all, it's all routed through your student account, so you can focus less on money and more on **where you'll eat next**.

Learn  
more

# Which meal plan is right for you?

**T**hey're not just for resident freshmen. Whether you live on campus, spend all your time at Discovery Park, or commute every day, we have a meal plan tailored to suit your **unique university life**. Follow these helpful guidelines to see which one is best for you.

## What is FLEX?

**FLEX is a perk included with select meal plans, and works like a gift card.** Each time a purchase is made, the cost is subtracted from your **FLEX** balance. It can be used in any of the dining halls or UNT Dining-operated retail shops on campus.

Unlike Declining Balance, **FLEX expires on the last day of the semester and is non-refundable.** However, you are not charged tax when you make a purchase using **FLEX**, as tax is charged up front with the meal plan.



## Declining Balance

**Available to ALL students,** Declining Balance turns your student ID into a great budgeting tool. Load money onto your ID for use in our Dining Halls and Retail Food Shops, independently from or alongside any of our other meal plans. Your balance **rolls over semester to semester** and we refund any unused amount at any time, so it's **completely risk free!**

Purchase the following increments\* online at [dining.unt.edu](http://dining.unt.edu):

DB 10 **\$10** | DB 25 **\$25** | DB 50 **\$50** | DB 100 **\$100** | DB 200 **\$200** | DB 300 **\$300** | DB 400 **\$400** | DB 500 **\$500**

\*Each Declining Balance increment can only be purchased a maximum of two times per semester.

## 1 I live OFF campus.

As a commuter, you can choose **ANY Commuter or Resident Plan**. Choose your plan based on where you like to eat.

### Where do you want to eat?

<b>DINING HALLS &amp; RETAIL</b>	Choose an <b>Advantage</b> Plan, <b>Apartment Combo</b> Plan, <b>5-Day</b> Plan, <b>7-Day</b> Plan, or <b>Declining Balance!</b>
<b>DINING HALLS ONLY</b>	Choose a <b>Weekly</b> Plan, <b>Rollover</b> Plan, <b>Kitchen West</b> Plan, <b>Advantage</b> Plan, or <b>Declining Balance!</b>
<b>RETAIL ONLY</b>	Choose an <b>Advantage</b> Plan or <b>Declining Balance!</b>
<b>DISCOVERY PARK</b>	Choose a <b>Discovery Park</b> Plan, <b>Advantage</b> Plan, <b>Rollover</b> Plan, <b>Apartment Combo</b> Plan, or <b>Declining Balance!</b>

## 2 I live ON campus.

Freshmen living on campus are **required** to purchase a Resident Meal Plan. Students living in the dorms may purchase their plan at the same time they set up their Housing for the year.

BRUCE  
CLARK  
CRUMLEY  
JOE GREENE  
KERR

MAPLE  
MCCONNELL  
RAWLINS  
VICTORY  
WEST

**Residents of these dorms\* are required to purchase a Resident Meal Plan.**

\*Upperclassmen living in other dorms have the option of choosing any plan, just like a commuter does.

### Do you plan to be on campus at least ONE weekend per month?

<b>YES, I DO</b>	Choose a <b>7-Day</b> Plan!
<b>NO, I DON'T</b>	Choose a <b>5-Day</b> Plan!

## 3 Keep reading to find your meal plan!



# ON-CAMPUS LIVING

## 7-Day PLANS

Food Insurance: unlimited access to any of our five Dining Halls 7 days a week\* & FLEX Dollars for enjoying our Retail Food Shops. Savings based on the pre-tax door price of \$7.95/meal.

PLAN	MEALS	FLEX*	PRICE	TAX	TOTAL	SAVINGS
7-DAY BASIC	UNLIMITED	\$240	\$1,690	\$139.43	\$1,829.43	61%
7-DAY VALUE	UNLIMITED	\$400	\$1,800	\$148.50	\$1,948.50	62%
7-DAY SUPER	UNLIMITED	\$600	\$1,935	\$159.64	\$2,094.64	64%

*the plan*
*the cost*

## 5-Day PLANS

Food Insurance: unlimited access to any of our five Dining Halls Monday–Friday & FLEX Dollars for enjoying our Retail Food Shops. Savings based on the pre-tax door price of \$7.95/meal.

PLAN	MEALS	FLEX*	PRICE	TAX	TOTAL	SAVINGS
5-DAY BASIC	UNLIMITED	\$90	\$1,530	\$126.23	\$1,656.23	47%
5-DAY VALUE	UNLIMITED	\$225	\$1,635	\$134.89	\$1,769.89	48%
5-DAY SUPER	UNLIMITED	\$525	\$1,875	\$154.69	\$2,029.69	50%

*the plan*
*the cost*

Dining Hall service and Retail service are provided 7 days per week.

\*All FLEX expires at the end of each semester.

‡ Kerr Dining Hall is the weekend and inclement weather dining hall. Hours of operation may vary due to weather, university events, or operating constraints.

Extra FLEX cannot be purchased independently of a meal plan.

Declining Balance can be added at any time online (see page 16).

## Meal Plan Members get all the best benefits that Dining Services has to offer.

Buying a meal plan isn't just buying your food—you're getting in on a **membership** that comes with **great perks!** Being a meal plan member grants you access to all the top-notch quality that Dining Services offers. You can think of it as "**food insurance.**" And it doesn't stop when you move out of the dorms—we offer plans for summer sessions, faculty/staff, and more.

- LOWER PRICES
- VIP ENTRY
- WIDEST SELECTION
- MORE FLEXIBILITY
- BEST VALUE

# We make meal plans easy.

**F**ound your **perfect meal plan?** Purchasing and managing it is simple. Everything's handled online, so there's no need for phone calls and trips to our office. Payment is **routed through your MyUNT student account**, so you take care of it at the same time as your tuition and housing—freeing you up to focus on what matters.

## 1 Freshmen living ON Campus, or Upperclassmen living in Required Dorms\*

You will select your meal plan at the same time you set up Housing for the year. You can still add another plan, like Declining Balance, on our website at any time by following the steps below.

## 2 Upperclassmen living in All Other Dorms\*

You may select your meal plan at the same time you set up Housing for the year. You also have the option to add your plan through our website at any time by following the steps below.

## 3 Students living OFF Campus, Faculty/Staff, and OFF-Campus Plan members

You'll purchase your meal plan through our online portal, following these steps. We cannot take payments for student meal plans in person or over the phone.

1. **GO ONLINE** Visit our website, [dining.unt.edu](http://dining.unt.edu)
2. **CLICK** At the top of the page, click "**Get a Meal Plan Now!**" to purchase. Sign in with your EUID and password.
3. **BUY** Following the prompts, **select your chosen meal plan.** Confirm your choice and you're good to go!

**\*See page 10 for the list of Required Dorms.**

Faculty & Staff: Buy your meal plan online through our portal at [dining.unt.edu](http://dining.unt.edu)



# JOBS AND INTERNSHIPS

**N**o matter where your career path will take you after leaving UNT, you can **gain valuable experience** and skills working with Dining Services. Get paid to learn outside of class, with hands-on experience in a professional setting that **builds your résumé**. We're **hiring year-round**, and are always looking for hard-working, go-getting, phenomenal students to work with us—**no experience necessary**. Apply online today!

**WE ARE  
HIRING!**

- DINING HALLS
- RETAIL RESTAURANTS
- CLARK BAKERY
- VERDE CATERING
- AVESTA RESTAURANT
- MARKETING

## Follow these easy steps to apply today:

- STARTING AT \$8.50+ /HOUR
- COMPLIMENTARY MEALS WITH YOUR SHIFTS
- WORK ON CAMPUS OR AT DISCO PARK
- FLEXIBLE SCHEDULES AROUND CLASSES

- 1. GO ONLINE** Log into your student account at [my.unt.edu](https://my.unt.edu)
- 2. CLICK** Scroll to the Jobs module and click "[Eagle Careers powered by Handshake](#)" and log in.
- 3. APPLY** Search for the locations you want to work at, and apply!



# Tell us what you

# *really think of us.*

**C**an't contain your excitement about our food? Know how we could do even better? We want to hear all about it. We frequently use **student feedback** to make improvements, and we greatly value your input. So tell us what you really think: **we're listening.**



What you should know is that we run our own food services here, and we couldn't make the kinds of advances in food and have the quality of food we have if we didn't do it our way, and our way has produced accolades across the country. We do really innovative things here, and that's what I love."

—UNT PRESIDENT, DR. NEAL SMATRESK

*I think I just found my new favorite breakfast spot on campus—plus the student workers are always nice and smiling here!"* —COMMENT FROM CHAMPS

*The employees are consistently so kind. They seem to genuinely enjoy themselves and like conversing with students, which I can really appreciate."* —COMMENT FROM BIZ CAFÉ IN THE BLB

## THE SCOOP

Stay up-to-date on the latest in resident dining with The Scoop, our monthly email newsletter. From events in our dining halls to the latest happenings on campus, we'll keep you in the know about what we're up to throughout the semester!

## STUDENT FOOD ADVISORY COMMITTEE



Sit down with chefs, managers, and Dining leadership and discuss the future of dining. We share the latest news, releases, and updates, and you share your thoughts and suggestions. These monthly meetings during the fall and spring semesters are the best way to make your voice heard—we take students' input and act on it. Follow our social media to stay caught up on the next meeting!



## TEXT-N-TELL

Want to publicly proclaim your love for Bruce's mac-n-cheese? Can't contain your thanks for that exceptionally helpful cashier? Think something could've been better? With just a quick text, you can make your feelings known on our Text-n-Tell screens at various locations.

## CONNECT ON SOCIAL MEDIA

From announcements of upcoming events to real-time updates, our social media is the best way to keep up to date on what's going on in Dining. Share what you love about Dining Services using our hashtag, **#unt dining**, and we may even feature you on our Twitter feed or Instagram Story!

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# We're here to help you succeed.

**O**ur goal is to equip the UNT community for greatness, each and every day. That's why we put such care into our food and our service, and why we've crafted a variety of meal plans to suit every lifestyle. As a **Meal Plan Member**, you'll really get the best we have to offer—setting you up for **success with every meal** you eat at UNT.

## CONTACT US

**Online**  
[DINING.UNT.EDU](http://DINING.UNT.EDU)

**By Phone**  
940. 565. 2462

**By Email\***  
[DINING@UNT.EDU](mailto:DINING@UNT.EDU)

### Check Your Account!

[DINING.UNT.EDU/PORTAL](http://DINING.UNT.EDU/PORTAL)



Check your meal plans, your current FLEX and Declining Balances, and more online!

To **purchase** a meal plan, visit our website [dining.unt.edu](http://dining.unt.edu) and click "**Get a Meal Plan Now!**" at the top of the page.

\*When emailing us, please include your **name, student ID#, and a phone number** at which we can reach you, along with your message.

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[1417 MAPLE STREET](#)  
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**KITCHEN WEST**

**BRUCETERIA**

**COMING SOON!**  
Starbucks

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GRILLED CHEESE

**UNIVERSITY UNION**

**LEVEL 1**

Jamba Juice, WHICH WICH?, CORNER STORE, SCRAPPY'S ICE CREAM

**LEVEL 2**

Starbucks, BUENO Taco Bueno, BURGER KING, FUZZY'S TACO SHOP, KRISPY KRENCHEW CHICKEN, AVESTA, Chick-fil-ly

**CAMPUS CHAT FOOD COURT (LEVEL 2)**

MiA'S WOOD-FERRED PIZZAS & MORE, BOAR'S HEAD, CHOPT, SUSHI, FLATTOP GRILL, NOURISH PHO BAR, Sante

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EMPLOYEE SERVICES**

**BIZ café**  
Starbucks

**COMING SOON: NEW  
DINING HALL  
AND RETAIL RESTAURANT**

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GREENS  
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# Thank you for choosing UNT Dining Services.

**W**e can't wait to serve you. From your  
freshman year to your graduation, we're  
here to fuel your success—so let's dig in!