

# Your Plus Account

**Use these facts and figures to help you determine the amount to place on your Plus Account. Be sure to fill out the worksheet below!**

There are 112 days/16 weeks in a semester.

On average, a residence hall student spends \$200 a semester in the campus convenience stores.

On average, a residence hall student spends \$115 a semester for vending machine snacks and drink purchases.

On average, a residence hall student spends approximately \$45 a semester on laundry.

On average, a student spends approximately \$350 - \$500 a semester for textbooks and supplies.

Residence hall laundry machines accept only the Plus Account. You cannot access the machines with coins or bills.

Funds may be added to the Plus Account in any whole dollar amount at any time during the semester.

Plus Account monies are refundable, less a \$5 service fee.

**Per Week Usage x Weeks x Avg. Cost = Per Semester**

Number of campus convenience store purchases		x 16	x \$6.00	
Number of campus vending purchases		x 16	x \$1.00	
Number of laundry loads on campus		x 16	x \$1.50	
Add estimate of textbook/supply purchases (avg. \$350-\$500) - - - - -				
Add estimate of other purchases (lab fees, printing, tickets, etc.) - - - - -				
<b>Total amount to add to your Plus Account</b>				