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REQUEST TO OPEN/ADD TO GOLDPLUS ACCOUNT

Forms may be faxed to (610) 758-6188, or mailed to: GoldPLUS Office – Lehigh University – 39 University Drive – Bethlehem, PA 18015

NEW! NEW! NEW!

You can open a GoldPLUS account or request additional GoldPLUS online by logging into the Campus Portal, selecting “My Lehigh” tab, then in the “My GoldPLUS” channel, select “Add GoldPLUS via Bursar Account Charge”.

Last Name: _____ **First Name:** _____ **LIN:** _____

Please check:

- Yes, I would like to open/add to an account.**
(First Time account holders must check the GoldPLUS Terms&Conditions box below & sign, unless opening an account online – see box above.)

I have read the GoldPLUS Terms and Conditions, and I agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the GoldPLUS program.

Account Holder Signature _____ **Date** _____

Parent Signature _____ **Date** _____

Amount of GoldPLUS Dollars you are requesting:

- \$ _____ (higher amount not listed)
 \$700
 \$ _____ (lower amount not listed)

Funds cannot be withdrawn from a GoldPLUS account, but any unused GoldPLUS Dollars are refunded to the student after graduation subject to a \$15.00 administrative fee.

Method of Payment:

- Personal check enclosed (payable to Lehigh University)**
 Add to Bursar Student Account and include on my next bill. Please note eligibility to purchase GoldPLUS Dollars on credit is based on your past payment history and pending financial aid amounts. Students with a past due balance will not be permitted to purchase GoldPLUS Dollars on credit. (signatures required)

student signature

date

parent signature

date

- Credit/Debit Card (please call 610-758-6169 with your credit/debit card information AFTER you have officially opened your GoldPLUS account)**

What is GoldPLUS?

GoldPLUS is a convenient substitute for cash at on-campus locations and many off-campus businesses. **GoldPLUS** is accepted at all University Dining Services locations, plus the University Bookstore, Parking Services, Printing Services, Library Services, vending machines, and laundry machines. **GoldPLUS** is also accepted at over 75 local merchants, including eateries, retail stores, pharmacies, and other local shops. **GoldPLUS** may not be used to purchase alcohol or tobacco products. Additional **GoldPLUS** deposits (\$20 minimum) may be added year round, as **GoldPLUS** carries over from semester to semester, and year to year. Funds cannot be withdrawn from a **GoldPLUS** account, but any unused GoldPLUS is refunded to the student after graduation (subject to a \$15 administrative fee).

GoldPLUS versus Dining Dollars

Dining Dollars are acquired by students as part of a meal plan. Dining Dollars are good for purchases made from University Dining Services ONLY. Unused Dining Dollars transfer from Fall semester to Spring semester; however, unused Dining Dollars EXPIRE at the end of the Spring semester. Because Dining Dollars are part of a meal plan, they are non-refundable.

Your Lehigh University ID Card acts as your **GoldPLUS** Debit Card. Deactivate lost ID Cards immediately by logging on the Campus Portal, “My Lehigh” tab, “My GoldPLUS” channel. If you do not have access to the portal to deactivate your card, you may call the GoldPLUS/ID Office (610-758-6169), or the Campus Police (610-758-4200). Unauthorized charges prior to the **GoldPLUS** Office being notified will be your responsibility. Only the balance at the time the card is reported lost to us will be protected against unauthorized use.

Where Do I Pick Up My GoldPLUS Card?

There is no separate **GoldPLUS** card. Your Lehigh University ID Card is also your **GoldPLUS** card. Your **GoldPLUS** account is activated with your initial deposit, and remains active throughout your entire time here at Lehigh. You swipe your ID card for transactions just like you would use a regular debit card.

How Much \$\$\$ Should I Add To My GoldPLUS Account?

Any amount is acceptable; however, we recommend \$700-\$900 for initial or beginning of semester deposits if **GoldPLUS** is to be used for books (\$300-\$700). For those not purchasing books with **GoldPLUS**, \$200-\$250 may be a good starting point for laundry (\$1.50 per washer, \$1.00 per dryer), supplies, and miscellaneous on-campus and off-campus expenditures. Remember, you may make additional deposits to your **GoldPLUS** account at any time throughout the year.

How Can I Check My Current GoldPLUS Balance?

All current **GoldPLUS** patrons can access their **GoldPLUS** account via the Campus Portal. Under the “My Lehigh” tab, look for the “My GoldPLUS” channel, and click on “My GoldPLUS balance” to look up your current **GoldPLUS** balance, retrieve detailed statements, and email & print statements. If you have questions or need additional service, phone 610-758-6169, or email ingold@lehigh.edu.