

## A Welcome Letter for Parents of Resident Students - Summer 2022

Dear Parents:

This letter is to serve as an introduction to the campus food service and the management team at Eastern Mennonite University. The dining hall is operated by Pioneer College Caterers, Inc. Pioneer specializes in contract meals at Christian college campuses throughout the United States. Its main purpose is to provide students with the highest quality dining program at a reasonable price.

Pioneer and I work to ensure students are provided with a well-balanced, varied menu. Our facilities are thoroughly cleaned and sanitized based on the most current governmental and health department guidelines. Pioneer also provides a nutritional awareness program, A Matter of Choice, with the right tools in place to answer many dietary questions and help students make educated choices. All of this information and more can be found online by visiting Pioneer at [oncampusdining.com/emu](http://oncampusdining.com/emu).

We hope you and your student feel welcomed and cared for in our dining facilities. Please feel free to go online to order surprise treats, check out current menus, or reach out with questions or special requests. My team and I welcome the opportunity to hear from you.

Also, jobs are available year-round with dining and banquet services. I would be glad to work around your son's or daughter's school schedule, should they be interested in the convenience of working on campus. Please have them reach out to me, or simply stop by to learn more.

I look forward to serving you and your student. Best wishes on the upcoming semester!

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