HALAL DINING AT USC

Dining Hall Availability

All 3 Residential Dining Halls - Parkside, EVK, & the USC Village Dining Hall - label for halal friendly ingredients on the online menus and in-venue menu screens. Halal friendly dishes are available at all meal periods.

Preparation Note

Halal friendly animal proteins are not cooked on the same griddle or grill as non halal animal proteins unless the cooking surface has been cleaned and sanitized between uses. Items prepared in the fryers are not labeled as halal friendly unless fryer oil has been changed.

Menu Labeling

Menu items made with halal ingredients will be marked on the dining hall menu screens with a logo. H

Online menus:
hospitality.usc.edu/residential-dining-menus

Availability Disclaimer

Please note that ingredients are subject to availability. If a halal ingredient is subbed with a non-halal replacement, the halal icon will be temporarily removed from the menu.

Katora Indian Cuisine **Served at Tutor Hall Cafe**

- All menu items are halal friendly, including halal-certified chicken
- Dining Dollars accepted

TacoTaco **Located at the Tutor Campus Center food court**

- Serves halal certified chicken
- Meal Swipes and Dining Dollars accepted

HALAL INGREDIENT GUIDE

Beef

Most cuts such as steaks, flank, shoulder clod, tri tip, brisket, & carne asada are halal certified

Chicken

Chicken breasts, thighs, wings, and drumsticks are Halal certified and prepared using a mechanical slaughter method

Seafood

Seafood such as salmon, tilapia, cod and shrimp

Eggs & Dairy

All eggs used are chicken eggs. Halal friendly dairy does not contain animal enzymes

Fruit & Veggie Dishes

Dishes such as veggie side dishes and salads will be labeled if they contain only halal allowed ingredients

Grains, Beans & Starches

Dishes such as grain and potato side dishes, salads, and breads will be labeled if they contain only halal allowed ingredients

Vegan & Vegetarian Dishes

Menu items will be labeled if they contain only halal allowed ingredients

Items not Labeled as Halal Friendly

Any menu item with pork, gelatin, alcohol, vanilla extract, wine vinegar, balsamic vinegar, non-halal friendly enzymes and additives, dishes that cannot be confirmed as having halal allowed ingredients, & items cooked in fryers

Despite taking precautions whenever possible, food is prepared and served in shared kitchen and serving environments, and cross contact may occur. If you need to avoid cross contact and require dietary accommodations, please contact the USC Hospitality Dietitian.