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# CU ID Cards

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## What are the ID cards used for?

Charles University ID cards indicate affiliation with the university, a faculty, or another unit, through the university's name and its emblem with a hologram. They take the form of a chip card equipped with personal information, a barcode, a photo, a signature strip, and are color-coded according to the type of card.

## Where to get the ID card?

ID cards are issued at our distribution centers, where we will issue your card on the spot after verifying your identity. You can [choose from several types of cards](#).

At the distribution centers, you will also receive a password for the [Central Authentication Service \(CAS\)](#) along with your card, which you can use to log in to the Student Information System and other services.

## If you need help:

[Frequently asked questions](#)

[Online helpdesk](#)

[Report a lost card \(CZ\)](#)