



UnionPay now accepted at Staples Canada locations

Richmond Hill, ON, April 9, 2019 – Staples Canada is now accepting UnionPay as a form of payment at its store locations across Canada to offer an enhanced payment experience for UnionPay cardholders.

UnionPay is number one in terms of total cards issued globally and is the leading payment card used by visitors from China and other Asia-Pacific countries while travelling abroad. In Canada, UnionPay is accepted at over 280,000 retailers and more than 90 per cent of ATMs.

“This is one more way that we are bringing The Working and Learning Company to life – by keeping up with how customers want to shop with us and supporting new payment methods that become available,” said David Boone, Chief Executive Officer, Staples Canada. “Canada is a popular destination for students who wish to study abroad, and we want to do what we can to provide access to the tools they need to work, learn and grow.”

With the addition of UnionPay, Staples Canada accepts all major forms of payment at its 305 store locations. To find a location near you, visit stores.staples.ca.

About Staples Canada/Bureau en Gros

Staples Canada is The Working and Learning Company. With a focus on community, inspiration and services, the company is committed to being a dynamic, inspiring partner to customers who visit its 305 locations across the country or shop online at Staples.ca. Headquartered near Toronto, Ontario, The Working and Learning Company offers next-day delivery to 85% of the Canadian market as well as two-hour buy online, pick up in-store services. A privately-owned company, Staples Canada is dedicated to helping its customers – entrepreneurs, educators, students and parents – work, learn and grow. Visit staples.ca for more information, or get social with @StaplesCanada on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn.

- 30 -

For more information:

Alessandra Saccal, Staples Canada, 905-737-1147 Ext. 2363, alessandra.saccal@staples.ca

Kathleen Stelmach, Staples Canada, 905-737-1147 Ext. 2714, kathleen.stelmach@staples.ca