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City & Guilds

60107170  Level 2 Diploma in Professional Cookery

OVERVIEW

• What does this qualification cover?

This qualification covers the skills and knowledge for preparing to work in the Hospitality & Catering Industry or to enhance skills achieved at level 1. It is designed to meet the needs of learners who are in employment or for those progressing from level 1 working towards becoming a professional chef.

The following areas that can be covered within this qualification:

• food safety in catering
• Developing skills for employment in the catering and hospitality industry
• Health and safety in catering and hospitality
• Healthier foods and special diets
• Catering operations, costs and menu planning
• Prepare and cook stocks, soups and sauces
• Prepare and cook fruit and vegetables
• Prepare and cook meat and offal
• Prepare and cook poultry
• Prepare and cook fish and shellfish
• Prepare and cook rice, pasta, grains and egg dishes
• Produce hot and cold desserts and puddings
• Produce past products
• Produce biscuit, cake and sponge products
• Produce fermented dough products

Learners will complete all the units to achieve the full qualification, together with an end synoptic test.

This is a Framework qualification.
• Who could take this qualification?

For learners progressing from level 1. For those in employment who wish to further or enhance their current skills. This qualification is also designed for learners who want to prepare for further learning or training in the hospitality & catering sector or to further progress on to an apprenticeship or into employment.

This qualification is suitable for anyone from 16 years old or over to take this qualification.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

This qualification could lead to jobs such as:

• Commis chef
• Chef De Partie

The learner could progress onto an apprenticeship at level 3 in hospitality & catering, such as professional cookery or patisserie and confectionery or other qualifications such as:

• Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Professional Cookery
• Level 3 Diploma in Hospitality Supervision and Leadership (NVQ)
• Level 3 Diploma in Professional Patisserie and Confectionery

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

This qualification is supported by Colchester Institute, South Thames College, South Downs College, City of Bristol College, University of West London and University College Birmingham.