



Hospitality and Tourism

Culinary Arts



LEVEL 1	LEVEL 2	LEVEL 3	LEVEL 4
Introduction to Culinary Arts (1)	Culinary Arts - Blu (1)	Practicum in Culinary Arts I (2)	Practicum in Culinary Arts II (2)

The **Culinary Arts** program of study introduces CTE learners to occupations and educational opportunities related to the planning, directing, or coordinating activities of a food and beverage organization or department. This program of study also explores opportunities involved in directing and participating in the preparation and cooking of food.

Certifications / Degrees				
HIGH SCHOOL/ INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION	CERTIFICATE/ LICENSE*	ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE	BACHELOR'S DEGREE	MASTER'S/ DOCTORAL PROFESSIONAL DEGREE
ServSafe Manager	Certified Chef	Hotel and Restaurant Management	Hotel and Restaurant Management	Hotel and Restaurant Management
	Foodservice Management Professional	Restaurant Culinary and Catering Management	Food Service Systems Administration/ Management	Food Service Systems Administration/ Management
	Comprehensive Food Safety	Hospitality Administration/ Management, General	Hospitality Administration/ Management, General	Hospitality Administration/ Management, General
	Certified Food and Beverage Executive	Culinary Arts/ Chef Training	Culinary Science and Food Service Management	Business Administration Management, General

Additional industry-based certification information is available on the TEA CTE website. For more information on postsecondary options for this program of study, visit TXCTE.org

WORK BASED LEARNING AND EXPANDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES	
Exploration Activities:	Work Based Learning Activities:
Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA), SkillsUSA, American Culinary Federation, Texas Restaurant Association	Plan a catering event or work for a catering company; participate in a cooking course; work in a restaurant; cook at home

Occupation Outlook			
Occupations	Median Wage	Annual Openings	% Growth
Food and Beverage Managers	\$55,619	1,561	28%
Chef and Head Cooks	\$43,285	1,366	25%
Food Science Technicians	\$34,382	236	11%



The Hospitality and Tourism Career Cluster focuses on the management, marketing, and operations of restaurants and other food/beverage services, lodging, attractions, recreation events, and travel-related services. Students acquire knowledge and skills focusing on communication, time management, and customer service that meet industry standards. Students will explore the history of the hospitality and tourism industry and examine characteristics needed for success.

Successful completion of the Culinary Arts program of study will fulfill requirements of the Business and Industry Endorsement. Revised - July 2020
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