

Curriculum Overview – Catering

Year	Overview	KS3 Rotation based on 13 hours of study					
7	Year 7 students will be looking at equipment, causes of accidents, health, safety and hygiene. Establish the key reasons behind food choices and then during the second rotation look at the eat well guide, and sensory analysis. On the practical side they will look at knife skills, safe cooking practices and sensory analysis of foods.	 Equipment – weighing and measuring, the cooker. Personal and Food safety – temperature control, where bacteria come from, binary fission, 4C's Factors affecting food choice - why we like or dislike foods, budgets and finance, trends, media and peer pressure, availability and seasonality, Religion and culture. Knife skills – bridge and claw grips, consistency, segmenting, peeling, dicing and slicing. Eat well guide – eating a healthy balanced diet – energy balance, why the body needs food Sensory analysis and organoleptic assessment. 					
		Assessment paper one – Food safety, health and hygiene, multiple choice – 30 questions	Assessment paper two – macronutrients, fats, proteins, carbohydrates – 30 questions Practical assessment				
8	Year 8 students will continue to look at health, safety and hygiene. They will then move on to look at the macro nutrients. They will continue to develop an understanding of knife skill, nutrition and safe and hygienic practices.	C's Food poisoning – causes of food poisoning, control, high and low risk foods chemical properties of food – denaturation and coagulation					
		Assessment paper one – Food safety, health and hygiene, multiple choice – 30 questions	Assessment paper two – health, safety, hygiene and macronutrients.				
9	Year 9 students will look methods of cooking and by association commodities. Food safety and hygiene will continue to be embedded. Learners will begin to make links between nutritional outcomes, ingredient choice and cooking method. They will improve culinary skills, including knife, presentation and preparation.	Food Safety, health and hygiene recap Baking – methods of baking, functions of baking, nutritional impact of baking, equipment used in baking. (commodities by association flour) Raising agents – mechanical, biological, chemical & Steam Frying – methods of shallow, stir frying, salute, deep frying. Functions of frying, nutritional impact of frying, equipment used in frying, foods suitable to fry. Health, safety and hygiene when frying. (commodities by association fats) Preparing, combining, portioning and shaping Wet cooking methods – boiling, poaching and steaming. Functions of these cooking methods, nutritional impact, equipment used. Stewing and braising – nutritional impact, functionality and characteristics , equipment used Sauce making – roux's, reductions, purees British, European and international cuisines. Looking at styles, flavors and textures. Reason for choice. Presenting foods for serving Cutting and portioning meat, fish and poultry products.					
		Assessment paper one – Baking Assessment paper two – Frying Practical assessment piece	Assessment paper three – wet cooking methods Assessment paper four – wet cooking methods advanced and cuisines. Practical assessment piece				

Student Resources

Websites: BBC Bitesize – KS3 and KS4 food technologies, BBC Teach, Seneca learning.

Key Stage 3 End of rotation testing

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Year	Overview	Autumn 1 (Weeks 1 – 7)	Autumn 2 (Weeks 8 – 14)		Spring 1 (Weeks 15 - 20)	Spring 2 (Weeks 21 - 25)		Summer 1 (Weeks 26 - 32)	Summer 2 (Weeks 33 - 38)
10	Year 10 students will be looking at commodities and how they link to food nutrition and health (macro and micronutrients) there will be a specific link to Food science and preparation for NEA1 and food choice, provenance and preparation in readiness for NEA2	Food nutrition – micro and sources, requirements and them, excesses and deficien with nutritional needs. The chemical properties of nutr impact of cooking methods Food preparation – brush u garnishing skills Food providence – environ sustainability of food. Food processing. Commodities – cereals, dai	reasons for needing ncies, specific groups e functional and ients within foods and up on knife skills and mental impact and d production and	Key Stage 4 Formal Assessments – Classroom Based	Preparing for assessment - Food science – Cooking of t transfer, functional and che food Food Safety – Food spoilag and the key principles of fo Commodities – Fruits and v alternatives. Food preparation – doughs making	food and heat emical properties of e and contamination od safety. vegetables, protein	Key Stage 4 Formal Assessments – Classroom Based	Preparing for assessment Food Choice - factors affect Religion, health, lifestyle, r Food labelling and market law, labeling law, food safe preservatives, traceability British and international c nutritional impact of specifi and the nutritional needs of Conducting and analysing of evaluations.	ting food choice, nedical, financial, etc. ing – including allergen ety law, additives and etc. uisine , - including fic cooking methods of the customer.

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Year 11 students will continue looking at commodities and how they link to food nutrition and health (macro and micronutrients). T here will be a specific link to Food science and preparation for NEA1 and food choice, provenance and preparation in readiness for NEA2 – all of the learning develops the themes that were covered in Year 11 so that retention and recall of skills, knowledge and understanding is embedded. 11	 Food nutrition – micro and macro nutrients, sources, requirements and reasons for needing them, excesses and deficiencies, specific groups with nutritional needs. The functional and chemical properties of nutrients with in foods and impact of cooking methods. Food preparation – brush up on knife skills and garnishing skills Food providence – environmental impact and sustainability of food. Food production and processing. Commodities – cereals, dairy, fish, meat. 	Year 11 Mock Examinations A – Classroom based / Exam room	Food Safety – Food spoilage and contamination and the key principles of food safety. Commodities – Fruits and vegetables, protein alternatives. Food preparation – doughs and pastes/sauce making	Year 11 Full Mock Examinations – Examination Rooms	Preparing for assessment – NEA 1 Food science – Cooking of food and heat transfer, functional and chemical properties of food Food Safety – Food spoilage and contamination and the key principles of food safety. Commodities – Fruits and vegetables, protein alternatives. Food preparation – doughs and pastes/sauce making	Year 11 Mock Examinations A – Classroom based / Exam room	Preparing for assessment – NEA2 Food Choice - factors affecting food choice, Religion, health, lifestyle, medical, financial, etc. Food labelling and marketing – including allergen law, labeling law, food safety law, additives and preservatives, traceability etc. British and international cuisine, - including nutritional impact of specific cooking methods and the nutritional needs of the customer. Conducting and analysing data from sensory evaluations.	GCSE Examination Wi
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