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Want to **BECOME a** **CHEF?**

**ACF CERTIFIED FUNDAMENTAL COOK
CULINARY PRE-APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM
NOW AVAILABLE FOR HIGH SCHOOL JUNIORS
BEGINNING IN FALL 2021**

FOR PROGRAM INFORMATION & TO APPLY, CONTACT:

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APPLICATION DEADLINE | MAY 15, 2021

ABOUT THE PROGRAM:

Nashville State is excited to be partnering with several Middle Tennessee school systems to provide a pre-apprenticeship training during the junior and senior year of high school for students wishing to begin their training for a future as a chef. The high school culinary pre-apprenticeship leads to the Certified Fundamental Chef designation through the American Culinary Federation. Students complete Nashville State dual-enrollment courses during their junior and senior year and are hired by a host restaurant or hotel site, beginning in June to start the required 1000 hours of on-the-job learning in the kitchen, full-time during the summer then part-time during the senior year. Students will graduate from Nashville State with a Technical Certificate in Culinary Arts. Upon high school graduation, the student can apply all the work experience and college credit towards the next levels of culinary apprenticeship and the A.A.S. degree at Nashville State.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Are you at least 16 years of age and have a genuine passion for food & creativity in the kitchen?

Student must be enrolled in Nashville State Community College's Technical Certificate program as a dual-enrollment student in Culinary Arts.

TO APPLY:

Work with your school's culinary instructor and school counselor to apply.

Complete your Nashville State Application for Admission for Dual Enrollment classes.

Visit nscc.edu/culinary-apprenticeship to submit your Application for Culinary Apprenticeship. This application can be found through a link on the Culinary Arts A.A.S. degree page.

Submit a 250-word essay describing your motivations and goals as a chef to Dina.Starks@nscc.edu.

Be recommended by your current culinary instructor and/or school representative.

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