

SPECIALIST **HIGH SKILLS**

Halton District School Board

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GEORGETOWN DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL **HOSPITALITY PROGRAM**

Program Overview:

This course is designed to meet the needs of every student by preparing them for the post-secondary transition into an apprenticeship training, college, university, or entry into employment in this field.

Completing a Culinary/Hospitality SHSM recognizes that students have completed the necessary credits, skills, certifications and co-op placements required for the designation on the graduation diploma.

Earning a SHSM designation enables students to prepare for further post-secondary studies and a potential career in one of the fastest growing employment sectors in the world.

The service sector represents nearly 2/3 of all employment in Canada. The Culinary, Hospitality and Tourism industry is the fastest growing employment sector in Canada and especially will be relevant with an aging population. Employment opportunities in this sector will be necessary and limitless.

Georgetown District High School's state of the art culinary facility will meet the needs of our large student body and training needs in the hospitality sector.

Students Will:

- Gain different perspectives on food preparation, gaining insight into food science courses offered
- Be introduced to apprenticeship, college, university and workplace experiences and opportunities
- Experience daily what it's like to work in actual restaurant/industry kitchens
- Receive instruction from industry trained, professional chefs who are in touch with the industry and its changing trends
- Engage in experiential learning through job shadowing, work experience and co-operative education
- Earn sector recognized certifications
- Make informed career choices



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Course package:

- 4 Hospitality Credits (Culinary, Baking or Restaurant Service)
- 1 Senior Math Credit
- 1 Senior English Credit
- 2 Co-op Credits
- 1 Senior Business or Science Credit

Who Would be Interested in the Program?

This program, beginning in grade 11, is designed for any student interested in a career in the Hospitality Industry.

Some traditional careers in the Hospitality Industry include:

- Chef
- Pastry Chef
- Kitchen Manager
- Line Cook
- Caterer
- Hotel Manager
- Health Inspector
- Teacher
- Event Planner
- Restaurant Owner

Application Details and Contact Information:

For more information, visit schooltocareer.ca, see your guidance counsellor, or contact the SHSM Hospitality program teacher.

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