

AMADOR COUNTY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FOOD SERVICE WORKER I

DEFINITION

Under supervision, to assist in the preparation and serving of foods and beverages; to maintain kitchen and serving areas in clean and orderly condition; and to perform related work as required.

CLASS CHARACTERISTICS

Positions in this class perform a variety of food preparation and serving work which is repetitious and is performed according to established procedures. This is the entry level of the class, and as such, incumbents perform the more routine aspects of the food service program. Incumbents perform repetitive duties under supervision of a higher level worker or of the manager. Incumbents may perform portions of skilled functions, such as cooking or serving, when under the supervision of a higher skilled-level worker.

EXAMPLES OF DUTIES

- Prepares, serves and sells food to students and faculty, making change and accounting for receipts;
- Assists in preparing salads, hot and cold sandwiches, desserts and entree items;
- Washes fruits;
- Cleans, cuts and otherwise prepares fresh vegetable items;
- Slices meats and other items;
- Cuts pizza, cakes, sandwiches and other items;
- Cleans tables, chairs, food containers, serving counters and other kitchen equipment;
- Washes pans, trays, plates, silverware and serving utensils/equipment;
- Prepares, reheats or cooks a variety of prepared food products;
- Punches student lunch tickets;
- Carries out refuse from food preparation;
- Mixes ingredients for salad dressing;
- Debones fowl after cooking;
- Stores food products;
- Puts food into warmers and prepares sandwiches;
- Operates shake and juice machines;
- Makes French fries;
- Sets up packaged foods, fruit, milk and dessert items;
- Keeps stations supplied and collects money;
- Loads and unloads District vehicles;
- Transports food and supplies in District vehicles;
- Count student meal tickets and/or monies and use computer for Point of Service Transactions;
- Performs related work as required.

LICENSE REQUIRED

Possession of a valid and appropriate California Driver's License.

GENERAL QUALIFICATIONS

Knowledge of:

Basic kitchen utensils and equipment;  
Basic sanitation and personal hygiene;

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Basic mathematics;  
Appropriate safety precautions and procedures.

Ability to:

Learn to operate basic machines found in a school cafeteria;  
Maintain utensils, equipment and cafeteria in a safe and sanitary condition;  
Add, subtract and make change rapidly;  
Understand and carry out oral and written instructions;  
Establish and maintain effective working relationships with those contacted in the course of work.

TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE

Any combination of training, education and experience which demonstrates possession of the knowledge and abilities stated above and the ability to perform the duties of the position. A typical qualifying entrance background is entry-level experience performing food preparation duties in a school on a substitute basis.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORKING CONDITIONS

This position requires the prospective employee to pass a pre-employment physical.

Physical Requirements:

1. Employee lifts/carries 60 pounds occasionally (less than 33% of the time).
2. Employee lifts/carries 30 pounds frequently (34-66% of the time).
3. Employee lifts/carries 15 pounds constantly (67-100% of the time).
4. Employee's position requires pushing a maximum force of 63.9 pounds on objects.
5. Employee's position requires pulling a maximum force of 63.9 pounds on objects.

Mobility:

Positions in this class require the mobility to stand, stoop, reach and bend.

Vision:

Positions in this class require vision (which may be corrected) to read small print.

Other Conditions:

Incumbents may be required to wear protective apparel, including face protectors and aprons.

SALARY LEVEL

Range 7 of the ACUSD Classified Salary Schedule.