



Cookery Level 4

NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN COOKERY (LEVEL 4)

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Ready to spice up your culinary career? This course equips you with the skills and expertise to specialise as a chef, mastering advanced cookery techniques and creating complex dishes in a commercial kitchen.

Build your confidence, open new career opportunities, and lay the foundation for long-term success in the culinary arts.

40 weeks
Full time

120 credits

Manukau
Campus

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This course advances your culinary expertise, equipping you with the skills and experience needed to elevate your career, combining hands-on training with industry-focused application.

You'll spend most of your time in modern training kitchens, learning to prepare, cook, and present a range of complex dishes—from meats and seafood to desserts and pastries. You'll master cooking techniques, including cold larder and hot kitchen skills, while also learning essential principles such as food safety, health and safety standards, and kitchen operations.

Additionally, you'll complete an 80-hour internship with an industry employer, gaining hands-on experience in an intermediate-level chef role. This opportunity prepares you for key kitchen positions and offers a pathway to higher-level cookery studies for career advancement.

Course outline:

NZ Certificate in
Cookery (Level 4)

120 credits

40 weeks

Face to face
Manukau Campus

Full time
Monday – Friday

Prerequisites
required

You may be eligible
for Fees Free Study

Prerequisites required:

- Must be a NZ citizen or permanent resident
- Minimum of 16 years of age (18 years old for international students)
- Must pass Literacy Proficiency test

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