Culinary Arts Contract – My Agreement With Chef Lewis

2022-2023 

In the cooking profession it is very important to be on time, therefore, I understand that points will be deducted for every tardy I accrue in the culinary class. After 3 tardies a parent will be contacted, 4 tardies will result in a discipline referral.

I understand that in preparation for the business world, my work needs to be completed in a timely manner, therefore, no late homework will be accepted, unless there is an accused absence.

Sanitation is an absolute necessity in our field, Missouri State Health Law requires that all culinary students are up to date on their Hepatitis A vaccine. I agree that we should not chew gum in the kitchen of Chef Lewis’s class. Breaking this rule will also result in a loss of points. Unrestrained hair, artificial nails and nail polish as well as excessive or inappropriate jewelry including facial piercing are not allowed by sanitation rules and these issues will keep me from participating in the lab. Cleaning of our kitchen is essential in serving safe food; I will take pride and a sense of ownership with regards to kitchen sanitation.

Using foul language at any time in the Culinary Class is unprofessional and shows a lack of self-control, this violation will cost me points and possible discipline referrals. Cell phone use is also prohibited and will result in a loss of work ethic points.

The Chef’s uniform is a sacred integral part of the culinary profession and I will do my best to keep it clean and wear it with pride any time that I am working in the kitchen. A hat and long pants (pulled up to the waist) will be necessary for safe participation in the lab, failure to do so will prevent me from participating and sampling the food produced in our lab and will result in a zero for the day.

Cooperation is a key ingredient in the kitchen so I will comply with any reasonable request and answer the Chef any time I am addressed with “yes Chef”, any other response or silence will be taken as disrespect. Respect is something that needs to be practiced so that it can become second nature. Every adult in our building deserves my respect.

I understand that failure to carry out a task that is within my ability will be considered insubordination and result in a loss of participation points and possibly sampling of our foods, severe or repeated insubordination will result in a discipline referral.

I understand that failure to comply with the conditions in this contract could jeopardize my chances of participation in the senior internship during 2nd semester.

I agree to the terms of this contract.

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I have read and agree to the terms of Chef Lewis’s contract for my child’s development in the Culinary Arts program.

Parent signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_