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Position Title:	Cafeteria Nutritionist II
Payroll/Personnel Type:	10 Month
Reports to:	Administrative Nutritionist

Position Summary:

The nutritionist is responsible for the implementation if the food service program in one or more high or middle schools. Duties are required to administer, plan, direct activities of a food service operation; develop and recommend policies and procedures and provide direction for menu formulization, food preparation and service, purchasing, sanitation standards, safety practices and personnel utilization.

Essential Functions:

- Supervise Head Cooks, Cooks, Food Service Workers and other Food Service personnel, to
 include training, analyzing and resolving work problems or assisting in solving work
 problems; approve personnel actions such as hiring, rate increases, promotion, and
 disciplinary measures; conduct performance evaluations.
- Provide direction to Food Service personnel, including on-the-job and in-service training with regard to food preparation, portion control, service techniques, sanitation, hygiene, equipment use and maintenance.
- Plan menus to offer a variety of attractive and appetizing foods while following the Dietary Guidelines for fiber, fat, sodium and sugar, and the USDA regulations regarding meal pattern requirements and meal accountability; consider individual school needs and special dietary and cultural needs of a population; maintain a master file of current menus and recipes.
- Use cost information to plan food purchases and structure menus; procure and receive food items, supplies and equipment; maintain stick levels and ensure quality standards are met.
- Plan production schedules and techniques to minimize cost, maximize production, and meet all sanitary quality, yield and portion size.
- Create and maintain an attractive, clean dining room; ensure all work stations are cleaned and sanitized as required; monitor all equipment for proper functioning and temperature ranges.
- Count, reconcile and deposit cash receipts.
- Complete monthly physical inventory.
- Keep current with Department of Health regulations.
- Perform related duties or special projects as assigned

Experience:

• Requires a minimum of one year of experience in an institutional food service environment. Supervisory or management experience preferred.

Education:

• Bachelor Degree in Dietetics, Nutrition, or a related field or equivalent capabilities

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Apply principles of logical thinking to define problem, collect data, establish facts and draw valid conclusions.
- Ability to interpret instructions furnished in written or oral form.



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- Ability to effectively work and interact with others.
- Ability to communicate effectively orally and in writing.
- Ability to work with little direct supervision.
- Ability to inspect items for proper length, width and shape visually.

Physical Requirements:

- Sitting, standing, walking, climbing, stooping or crouching, reaching, pushing, grasping, talking.
- Must be able to exert up to 25 pounds of force occasionally, and/or a negligible amount of
 force constantly to lift, carry, push, and pull or otherwise move objects, including the human
 body
- Clarity of vision at 20 feet or more and 20 inches or less with the ability to judge distance and space relationships, bring object into sharp focus and see up and down or to the right or left while fixed on a point. Must also have the ability to distinguish colors.
- Light Work usually requires walking or standing to a signification degree

Working Conditions and Environment:

- Good Working Conditions
- Occasional exposure to elements such as odor, noise, dust, heat, cold, or chemicals

Disclaimer:

The information contained in this job description is for compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and is not an exhaustive list of the duties performed for this position. Additional duties are performed by the individuals currently holding this position and additional duties may be assigned.

<u>Review/Approvals:</u>		
Employee Date	Immediate Supervisor	Date
Human Resources In connection with hiring for	Date this position the district shall not discrimina	ate against any employee
	because of race, religion, color, sex, sexual o	