



Culinary Job Training Program Eligibility Criteria
San Antonio Food Bank
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The following is a list of program eligibility requirements for the San Antonio Food Bank's Culinary Job Training Program. The applicant must:

1. Be at least 18 years of age
2. Be available to be in class from 8:30am to 4:00pm Monday through Friday
3. Be available to work extra hours in the evening and on weekends, as needed for Catalyst Catering
4. Be curious, ready to learn, and willing to do homework.
5. Be interested and eligible to work full- or part-time in a food service career. If there is any reason you are not pursuing a food service career, you will not be eligible for the program.
6. Be willing to undergo random drug screenings throughout the training.
7. Be either unemployed or underemployed.
8. Be able to read, speak, and comprehend English in a fast paced environment.
9. Have basic math skills and an adequate reading level for studying a textbook, completing exams and writing job related documents.
10. Be able to see well enough to read at 2.5 feet.
11. Be able to stand for a minimum of 4 hours and be able to lift 50 pounds.
12. Be able to hear in a noisy environment with background noise from a distance of 20 feet.

Classes start approximately every two months – see below for dates. Applications can be picked up at the main desk of the SAFB Monday through Friday from 8a – 5p, or accessed on our website www.safoodbank.org. Please return all applications to Emily Carlos, Culinary Training Manager, either at the SAFB or via fax at 210.431.8394. Additionally, we offer an orientation/open house before the beginning of each class.

Applications must be received by the orientation date for the upcoming class.

Orientation Dates:

Friday, 6/10 at 10a
Friday, 8/5 at 10a
Friday 9/30 at 10a
Friday, 11/18 at 10a

Class Start Dates:

Monday, 6/20 at 8:30a
Monday, 8/15 at 8:30a
Monday, 10/10 at 8:30a
Monday, 12/5 at 8:30a