

Position Title	Cook
Department	Community Services
Unit	Children's Services
Team	Children's Services Team
Supervises	Nil
Reports To	Centre Director
Grade Range	B
Date Prepared	5/08/2021
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Our Vision & Values: A leading organisation that collaborates & innovates



We are committed to **safety**



We work as one **team**



We act with **integrity**



We care about our **customers**



We **continuously improve**

Primary purpose of position

To provide nutritional meals that meet dietary needs for all the children in the centre.






Accountabilities

- Ensure the Customer Experience is delivered in line with the Centres Customer Service Charter
- Prepare menus using the nutrition checklist for menu planning and reviewed by NSW Health
- Communicate with Centre Director regarding menu planning
- Display menus for families in a timely manner
- Plan menus for children's meals that meet nutritional standards and dietary requirements
- Order sufficient food/ingredients for all children in the centre and monitor waste
- Follow food safety guidelines to prepare meals for children
- Prepare specific meals for children with particular dietary requirements
- Prepare children's meals in a timely fashion to suit the operations of the centre
- Maintain a clean, hygienic kitchen
- Take food temperatures and record the outcome on temperature monitoring sheet
- Complete the cleaning checklist daily
- Maintain service requirements according to National Law, Regulations and Quality Standards at all times
- Other tasks and duties as required

Position capabilities and level

Below is the full list of capabilities and the level required for this position. The capabilities in bold are the focus capabilities for this position. Refer to the next section for further information about the focus capabilities.

Capability Profile – Trades/ Operational

Capability Group	Capability Name	Level
 Personal Character	Lead Self	Intermediate
	Display Resilience	Foundational
	Act with Integrity	Intermediate
	Safety and Accountability	Intermediate
 Relationships	Communicate and Engage	Foundational
	Customer and Community Focus	Intermediate
	Work Collaboratively	Intermediate
	Influence and Negotiate	Foundational
 Results	Plan and Prioritise	Foundational
	Think and Solve Problems	Foundational
	Innovate and Improve	Foundational
	Deliver Results	Foundational
 Resources	Finance	Foundational
	Assets and Tools	Intermediate
	Technology and Information	Foundational
	Procurement and Contracts	Foundational
 People Leadership	Manage and Develop People	N/A
	Inspire Direction and Purpose	N/A
	Optimise Workforce Contribution	N/A
	Lead and Manage Change	N/A

Focus Capabilities

The focus capabilities for the position are those judged to be most important at the time of recruiting to the position. That is, the ones that must be met at least satisfactory level for a candidate to be suitable for appointment.

CBCity Capability Framework - Focus Capabilities

Group & Capability	Level	Behavioural Indicators
Personal Character		
Lead Self	Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understands what needs to be done and steps up to do it • Pursues own and team goals with drive and commitment • Shows awareness of own strengths and weaknesses • Asks for feedback from colleagues and stakeholders • Makes the most of opportunities to learn and apply new skills
Relationships		
Customer and Community Focus	Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies and responds quickly to customer needs • Demonstrates a thorough knowledge of services provided • Puts the customer and community at the heart of work activities • Takes responsibility for resolving customer issues and needs
Results		
Think and Solve Problems	Foundational	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Finds and checks information needed to complete own work tasks • Breaks down information and issues into component parts • Thinks through the options available and checks his/her suggested approach • Refers complex issues and problems to a manager/ supervisor
Resources		
Assets and Tools	Intermediate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uses a variety of work tools and resources to enhance work products and expand own skill

- Ensures others understand their obligations to use and maintain work tools and equipment appropriately
- Contributes to the allocation of work tools and resources to optimise team outcomes

* Focus Capabilities are those judged to be the most important at the time of recruiting to the position. The mix of “focus” capabilities can change over time, reflecting changing work priorities and current team strengths.

Delegations

Decisions associated with this position are to be made in accordance with the Delegations of Authority (Policy186) approved by the General Manager.

Code of Conduct

All staff are required to adhere to the Code of Conduct (CP25).

Work Health & Safety

All staff are required to adhere to Council’s WHS&E Responsibilities and Authorities document (REF229) and associated policies and procedures.

Records Management

All staff are required to comply with Council’s Records and Information Management policies, procedures and guidelines.

Qualifications and Experience

Essential Qualifications

- Current Food Handling Certificate
- Working with Children Check

Essential Experience

- Enthusiasm, initiative and an ability to work autonomously and within a team.
- Experience in preparation of meals for large numbers of people.
- Sound knowledge of Food Handling.
- Sound knowledge of Australian Dietary Guidelines.

Desirable Qualifications and or Experience

- First Aid and CPR Certificate
- Experience with children from 0-6 years
- Cross Cultural Awareness
- Effective complaints handling skills and experience

HUMAN RESOURCES USE (SELECT YES OR NO)	YES	NO
Does this position fall under the definition of child related employment?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does this position require incumbent to undergo criminal reference check?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Does this position require incumbent to demonstrate good driving Licence class required: No Licence Required	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Will incumbent need to make disclosure of pecuniary interest?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Could there be a conflict of interest with secondary employment?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>