



Aurora
TRAINING INSTITUTE



Career - READY (VETiS)

SIT20421 Certificate II

in Cookery

Course Overview

Do you have a passion for food and a knack for cooking with flair? Taking steps towards becoming a chef is not only a way to express your passion through food, but is an enjoyable and rewarding career path.

Australia is a leisure destination, and where the tourism industry is strong, so too is the demand for qualified cooks.

This qualification provides a pathway to work as a cook in organisations such as restaurants, hotels, clubs, pubs, cafes, and coffee shops.

Mode of delivery and training arrangements

- **Classroom:** Weekly classroom sessions are held at our delivery locations
- **Online**

Eligibility Criteria

Eligible Students must meet the following criteria:

- Be enrolled at school (year 10, 11 or 12)
- Be resident in Queensland
- Be an Australian or New Zealand Citizen, or Australian permanent resident (including humanitarian entrants), or a temporary resident with the necessary visa and work permits on the pathway to permanent residency.
- Have not already exhausted Career READY funding

Not eligible? Contact us on 1300 936 864 to discuss other options.

AT A GLANCE



Duration: 12 months



Classroom and Online



No Fees



Weekly classroom sessions



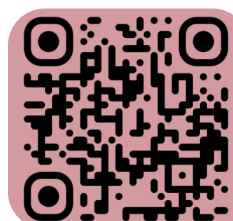
**Gold Coast
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Townsville**

Employability Skills:

- Food preparation techniques
- Basic cookery methods
- Kitchen operations
- Hygiene and food safety



**For more information
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Course Requirements

To achieve a SIT20421 Certificate II in Cookery, 13 units must be completed including 7 core units and 6 elective units.

Core	
SITXFSA005	Use hygienic practices for food safety
SITXWHS005	Participate in safe work practices
SITHCCC023*	Use food preparation equipment
SITHKOP009*	Clean kitchen premises and equipment
SITHCCC027*	Prepare dishes using basic methods of cookery
SITXINV006*	Receive, store and maintain stock
SITHCCC034** #	Work effectively in a commercial kitchen

Core Electives	
SITXCCS011	Interact with customers
SITXFSA006	Participate in safe food handling practices
SITHCCC025*	Prepare and present sandwiches
SITHCCC028*	Prepare appetisers and salads
SITHCCC024*	Prepare and present simple dishes
SITXCOM007	Show social and cultural sensitivity

*SITXFSA005 is a prerequisite for all units with an asterisk **

SITHCCC034 requires 12 Service Periods to be completed.

*** SITHCCC034 has two prerequisites: SITHCCC027 & SITXFSA005.*

Career READY (VETiS)

The Career READY Program is funded by the Queensland Government to give eligible students funding to complete a Certificate I or II level qualification while attending secondary school.

Career READY qualifications can be undertaken in years 10, 11 and 12, and may provide credit towards the Queensland Certificate of Education.

Aurora Training Institute is a Skills Assure Supplier under this program for the delivery of this qualification.

QLD State Government Career READY Program is only available for one Certificate II qualification for each student.

As students can only access the Career READY Program subsidy once, it is important that they consider and compare their training options to ensure they align with their chosen career pathway.

Every student that completes or discontinues a Career READY Program, must complete a Student Training and Employment Survey within 3 months.

Fees

There are no student fees applicable for this course.

Information on the Career READY program is on the Queensland Government website at:

<https://www.qld.gov.au/education/training/subsidies/career-ready>

For more information about how and when Co contribution fees are charged and collected, available student support services and assessment methods, please refer to the Student Handbook which is available on our website.

https://aurora.edu.au/wp-content/uploads/2025/08/QLD_ATI-Student-Handbook-V4.pdf

