

| Job description for the role of: Food Technician, DT Department |
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| Purpose of the post |
| Primarily, the Food Technician will provide technical advice and assistance in the food classroom to support students and to assist with the provision of learning activities for the subject Food Preparation & Nutrition across all key stages. |
| The Food Technician also provides practical assistance to the Design Technology Department to support the needs of students and staff. |
| Responsibilities |
| Prepare classrooms for all lessons, practical activities and demonstrations Prepare, distribute and then clear away equipment, ingredients and resources required for each lesson Evaluate the design and delivery of food lessons, continuously striving to improve all aspects |
| Ensure that the classroom, preparation room and storage areas are in a clean, secure, safe and orderly condition. Maintain an efficient stock control system: receiving and putting away of food deliveries, stock rotation |
| and monitoring dates of minimum durability Ensure that all equipment is in good working order and to carry out both routine and non-routine checking and cleaning of equipment to the required standards |
| Provide technical advice and support in the classroom, for example, with demonstrations, practical activities and resources when required |
| Assist students in ensuring the safe and effective operation and use of equipment, ingredients and resources |
| Contribute to the development and organisation of the classroom, equipment, ingredient provision and resources to support the teaching and learning of the curriculum |
| Assist in the promotion and observance of a healthy and safe working environment in every lesson Have a secure knowledge of Health & Safety regulations as they relate to the teaching of food in schools Assist in putting in place, provision for practical school and public examinations |
| Maintain appropriate displays in the food classroom and corridor Establish and maintain good relationships with all students, colleagues and other professionals |
| Undertake and ensure that all administrative duties, checks and documentation are completed to the required level of accuracy including photocopying, filing and shredding etc. for the DT department Adhere to, organise and locate documents relating to the risk assessments for the DT department |
| Attend school events as required, for example, open days, induction days etc. Assist in escorting students on educational visits and participate in extra-curricular activities as required Attend relevant meetings and training sessions as required in accordance with hours of employment |



Principal: Richard Burke BSc MA Diocese of Westminster



Communication

Be able to communicate well with children and young people and be prepared to demonstrate:

- Motivation to work with children and young people
- Ability to form and maintain appropriate relationships and personal boundaries with children and young people
- Emotional resilience in working with any challenging behaviour
- Professional attitude to the use of authority and maintaining discipline
- Understanding of safeguarding policies and procedures whilst promoting the welfare of young people

This job description will be reviewed annually as part of the performance management review process, or more frequently if necessary. The post holder is expected to be flexible and adaptable.