



Hospitality Management: Culinary Arts/Restaurant Management A.A. Degree

PART TIME

This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. **Please see a counselor** to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2026-27

GE Pattern: local AA/AS

Total Units: 67.5

First Year

Semester 1

10.5 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|---|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 100 Calculations in Foodservice Occupations | 3 | | |
| Req | HM 101 Introductory Culinary Skills | 1.5 | | |
| Req | HM 300 Introduction to Hospitality - Becoming a Chef | 3 | | |
| Req | HM 310 Sanitation, Safety and Equipment | 3 | | |

Semester 2

8 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|---|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 315 Food Theory and Preparation | 4 | | |
| Req | HM 320 Breads and Yeast Doughs | 2 | HM 100 | |
| Req | HM 325 Components of Baking and Pastry | 2 | HM 320 | |

Second Year

Semester 3

8 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|--|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 110 Management and Supervision in the Hospitality Industry | 2 | | |
| Req | HM 150 Catering | 3 | HM 315 | |

CAREER PATH

Career Options:

The skills acquired through this degree prepare students to work in the restaurant industry, in a kitchen, dining room, or other foodservice or entry-level hospitality position. Pay and positions vary based on experience, so students are encouraged to begin working prior to graduation. Local employers range from small private restaurants to larger corporate entities.

Advising Notes:

- The production courses, HM 370, 375, and 380, require students to work in the Oak Café or Oak Café bakery and requires HM 498 work experience as a corequisite course.
- HM 370 and 380 cannot be taken in the same semester.
- Students in majors (like this one) with 45 units or more of required coursework are exempt from the Area L7 general education requirement, so it is not included in this map. If you change your major you may be required to complete the L7 requirement.
- Students can substitute ESLW 340 for ENGL C1000/C1000H (formerly known as ENGWR 300/480).
- This degree can be completed using either the local AA/AS

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|--|------|---------------|---------|
| GE | ENGL C1000 College Composition or | 3 | | L1A |
| | ENGL C1000H ^H Honors College Composition | 3 | | |

Semester 4

8 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|---|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 115 Advertising and Sales in Food Service | 2 | | |
| Req | HM 360 Professional Cooking | 3 | HM 315 | |
| GE | MATH 300 Introduction to Mathematical Ideas | 3 | | L2 |

general education (GE) pattern or the [Cal-GETC](#) transfer GE pattern. [See a counselor](#) to determine which pattern is best for you based on your academic goals.

Scheduling Notes:

- HM 320 is offered during the 1st 8 weeks of the semester.
- HM 325 is offered during the 2nd 8 weeks of the semester.

Third Year

Semester 5

8 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|---|------|----------------------|---------|
| Req | HM 120 Beverage Operation | 2 | | |
| RE | HM 330 ² Advanced Baking and Pastry | 3 | HM 310, 320, and 325 | |
| GE | any Area L4 (Social & Behavioral Sciences) course | 3 | | L4 |

² or HM 155, 165, or 180

Semester 6

8 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|--|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 340 Cost Control in the Food Service Industry | 2 | HM 100 | |
| GE | any Area LIB (Oral Communication & Critical Thinking) course | 3 | | L1B |
| GE | any Area L6 (Ethnic Studies) course | 3 | | L6 |

Fourth Year

Semester 7

7 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|----------------------------------|------|----------------|---------|
| Req | HM 370 Dining Room Management | 2 | HM 100 and 310 | |

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|------|---|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 498 Work Experience in Hospitality Management | 2 | | |
| GE | any Area L3 (Arts & Humanities) course | 3 | | L3 |

Semester 8

10 Units

| CAT. | COURSE | UNIT | PREREQUISITES | GE AREA |
|------|---|------|---------------|---------|
| Req | HM 380 Restaurant Management and Production | 3 | (see below) | |
| Req | HM 498 Work Experience in Hospitality Management | 4 | | |
| GE | any Area L5 (Natural Sciences) course | 3 | | L5 |

HM 380 prerequisite: HM 100, 310, 315, 320, 325, and 360

^H honors courses

EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES

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|-----|---------------------|--|
| Req | Required Core | A course that is required for this program |
| GE | General Education | A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for a degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirement |
| RE | Restricted Elective | A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this program in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list |

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