

CHEFS AND HEAD COOKS

ANNUAL WAGES

ENTRY: \$42,500
MEDIAN: \$62,200
HIGH: \$71,800

HOURLY WAGES

ENTRY: \$20.42
MEDIAN: \$29.89
HIGH: \$34.52

EDUCATION AT ENTRY LEVEL

HIGH SCHOOL
DIPLOMA/
EQUIVALENT

 THE AUSTIN MSA PROJECTS TO NEED OVER **1,068 CHEFS AND HEAD COOKS BY 2031.**
WILL YOU BE ONE?

JOB DUTIES

- Direct and may participate in the preparation, seasoning, and cooking of salads, soups, fish, meats, vegetables, desserts, or other foods. May plan and price menu items, order supplies, and keep records and accounts.
- Monitor sanitation practices to ensure that employees follow standards and regulations.
- Check the quality of raw or cooked food products to ensure that standards are met.

YOU WILL THRIVE IN THIS POSITION IF...

- You like activities that include leading, making decisions, and business.
- You like to keep track of how well people and/or groups are doing in order to make improvements.
- You like to manage your time and the time of other people.
- You can add, subtract, multiply, divide and choose the right type of math to solve a problem.



**SCAN TO WATCH A VIDEO
ABOUT THIS CAREER PATHWAY**

Data Sources

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HOW TO GET STARTED IN THIS CAREER PATHWAY



Take business, education, and math science classes



Complete a personality test or explore more high-demand careers. **Scan the code to get started!**

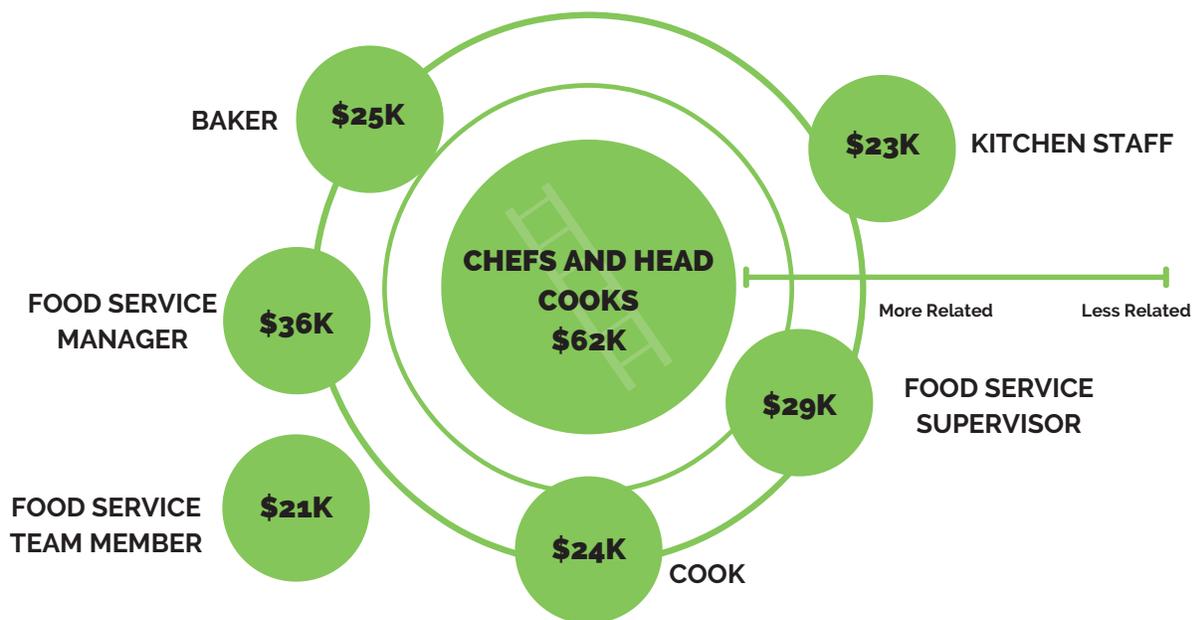


Find a part-time job or internship with a local vet clinic. Register at workintexas.com



Conduct an informational interview with someone in this career

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WHAT IS SOMETHING NEW YOU LEARNED ABOUT THIS CAREER?
