

## Registered Restaurant Apprenticeship

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RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

## APPRENTICE: EARN WHILE YOU LEARN

The Registered Restaurant Apprenticeship Program connects you to the nation's second-largest private-sector employer — restaurants — through industry apprenticeships in several disciplines. Apprentices gain valuable on-the-job training while earning a U.S. Department of Labor-approved industry certification. The National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation funds the apprenticeship-related training expenses, so there is no cost to the business or the apprentice.

# TRACKS AND ELIGIBILITY

All tracks are available to individuals 17 or older. A high school diploma is required by the completion of the apprenticeship.

If you already work in a restaurant, talk to your employer about signing up for an apprenticeship training program.

- LINE COOK (12 months)
- KITCHEN MANAGER (18 months)
- **RESTAURANT MANAGER** (24 months)

#### ADVANTAGES OF PARTICIPATING

- **JOB STABILITY:** Apprenticeships have an 80% retention rate nationwide.
- **GOOD PAY:** The average wage increase for employees over the course of their apprenticeship is 14%
- EXCELLENT OPPORTUNI-TIES: Placement options include every type/style of restaurant.
- PROFESSIONAL DEVELOP-MENT: Additional training and certifications are available at no cost to you.

#### PROGRAM EXPECTATIONS

- Dedication to learning culinary skills, safety & sanitation requirements, and management & leadership skills.
- Commitment to the program for as long as it takes to gain the required skills and complete the training.
- Line Cook Apprentices are expected to complete the program in 1 year, while Management Apprentices are expected to complete the program in 2 years, if working full time.
- Part-time options also are available.

# Gain skills & knowledge, make the move toward leadership, and advance your career in this exciting industry!

#### HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

Simply email Hope Sterner, hsterner@prla.org, or Andrea Trubiano, atrubiano@prla.org, to get started.

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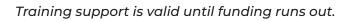
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## TRAINING SUPPORT





#### **PRE-APPRENTICE & APPRENTICE**

- **\$75** Complete the exploration course
- \$50 Meet with PRLAEF about the apprenticeship application process
- \$50 Complete first interview
- **\$50** Complete apprenticeship registration
- **\$75** Complete first 90 days of the apprenticeship training

### EDUCATOR SUPPORT

- **\$160** Per youth enrolled to pay for credentials
- **\$75** Per youth enrolled to pay for classroom training supplies
- Gift item per enrollee (Mercer knife set, Acer Chromebook, portable induction burner, induction-compatible stainless steel kitchen cookware set)



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