

Watoto

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Job Title: Cook
Organization: Watoto Child Care Ministries
Duty Station: Watoto Church Downtown, Kampala

Watoto Church Ministries has experienced exponential growth in the past couple of years composed of multiple Celebration Centers (Campuses) and diverse Community care initiatives that include Child Care, Community and Neighborhood, Education and FM Radio amongst others. In all of this, Watoto remains a local church, committed to Celebrating Christ and Caring for Community.

We are seeking to recruit a **Cook** to assist the head Chef's ineffective coordination, and management of the kitchen and staff so that the set objectives of the Neighbourhood Connect Café can be achieved.

Key Duties and Responsibilities (but not limited to)

- Follow and assist with the preparation and production of menu items following standardized quantities, recipes, service schedules and procedures, and proper usage of different kitchen types of equipment.
- Maintain high standards of food quality and appearance, maintain the allocated time for preparation to attain service schedules, and follow food preparation directions.
- Produce and artistically apply pictures on the plate technique ensuring the dishes optimum temperatures are met while adhering to standardized portions.
- Assist and adhere to safety and sanitation procedures and schedules in the handling of food, beverages, and equipment. Adherence to set procedures to maintain effective insect and rodent control.
- Apply and maintain clean as your work policy
- Assist in daily kitchen clean-up and clean kitchen utensils and equipment as required.
- Maintain high standards of food quality and appearance and follow food preparation directions.
- Operates and cares for all equipment according to manufacturer's directions with emphasis given to safety guidelines.
- Control food and supply catalogue i.e., physical inventory as required, dating and rotating stock. Follows first in, first out procedure. Dates and labels all food items.
- Monitor the kitchen budgets and ensure that all supplies are managed within the set budget and minimize waste.
- Manage daily operations in the kitchen and oversees stock levels as well as supervise kitchen staff.
- Actively participate in the improvement and development of new recipes and products in the kitchen.
- Assist in the identification of new potential sale and market opportunities for the business.
- Promote healthful eating, a positive food service image, good customer relations and practices energy conservation techniques.

Qualifications, Skills, and Experience.

- The applicant for the role of a cook should hold at least a minimum of a Certificate in hotel management or a related degree discipline.
- A minimum of two years' working experience in a busy kitchen environment.
- Demonstrates knowledge of the principles of quantity food production.

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- Ability to accurately take stock as required, and actively maintain an inventory with the sole goal of maintaining quality and maintaining healthy food cost margins while controlling stock by minimizing wastage and maintaining production records.
- Should be a team player, good communicator, Willingness to take directions, self-motivated, able to work with minimum supervision for long hours under pressure, good work ethics and sound judgement

How to Apply:

All suitably qualified and interested candidates should submit their application letter, academic documents, CV, a Church/Pastor's recommendation letter and National ID photocopy to Watoto Downtown Reception not later than

DEADLINE; 13th /December/2022.

ONLY SUCCESSFUL APPLICANTS WILL BE SHORT LISTED AND CONTACTED FOR INTERVIEWS.

