

CULINARY ARTS - ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE

Doña Ana Community College 2024-2025 Catalog (60-61 credits)

NOTE: Students must earn a final grade of C- or better in all designated CHEF courses and Major Requirements and achieve a cumulative grade-point average of at least 2.0. A grade of C- or better is required in ENGL 1110G Composition I and designated Mathematics courses.

Students must complete all University degree requirements, which include: General Education requirements and elective credits to total at least 60-61 credits. Developmental coursework will not count towards the degree requirements and/or elective credits, but may be needed in order to take the necessary English and Mathematics coursework.

Prefix	Title	Credits
General Education		
<i>Select one course from four of the following six content areas for a total of 12-14 credits</i> ^{1, 2}		12-14
This degree requires courses from Areas I, II, IV, and VI		
Area I: Communications - English Composition Level 1		
ENGL 1110G	Composition I (or ENGL2210G, grade C- or higher) ^{3, 4}	
Area II: Mathematics		
MATH 1130G	Survey of Mathematics (or higher MATH, grade C- or higher) ⁵	
Area IV: Social/Behavioral Sciences		
ECON 1110G	Survey of Economics (or higher ECON)	
Area VI: Creative and Fine Arts		
ARTS 1145G	Visual Concepts (or any other Area VI course)	
<i>General Education Elective</i> ²		3-4
Students need to take ONE additional course to complete the General Education requirement		
Core Requirements (6 Credits)		
CHEF 101	Culinary Arts Kitchen Orientation ^{3, 4}	3
CHEF 165	Math for Kitchen Operations ³	3
Major Requirements (29 Credits)		
HOST 203	Hospitality Operations Cost Control ⁴	3
HOST 214	Purchasing and Kitchen Management ⁴	3
HOST 219	Safety, Security and Sanitation in Hospitality Operations ^{3, 4}	3
CHEF 233	Culinary Arts Fundamentals I ⁴	4
CHEF 234	Culinary Arts Fundamentals II ⁴	4
CHEF 235	Advanced Culinary Arts I ⁴	4
CHEF 236	Advanced Culinary Arts II ⁴	4
CHEF 240	Baking Fundamentals I ⁴	4
Electives, to bring the total credits to 60-61		
Select a minimum of 9 credits from any CHEF courses not listed above.		9
Total Credits		60-61

² See the General Education (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/dona-ana/general-education-and-transfer-options/transfer-new-mexico-institutions/>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

³ Courses are identical to those offered at New Mexico State University Las Cruces (main) Campus.

⁴ A grade of C- or better is required.

⁵ MATH 1130G Survey of Mathematics is required for the degree but students may need to take any prerequisites needed to enter MATH 1130G first.

¹ Each course selected must be from a different area and students cannot take multiple courses in the same area.