

CULINARY ARTS

This program teaches culinary arts, the arts of preparation, cooking and presentation of food, usually in the form of meals. Culinaricians are required to have knowledge of food or culinary science, nutrition, and diet, and are responsible for preparing meals that are as pleasing to the eye as to the palate. The Culinary Department provides students with Associates Degrees in Advanced Culinary Arts, and Advanced Baking and Pastry as well as Occupational Certificates and career and technical education. Our culinary program is accredited by the American Culinary Federation (ACF). <https://www.acfchefs.org/>

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Culinary Arts Department Website (http://www.orangecoastcollege.edu/academics/divisions/consumer_health/hospitality_professions/culinary_arts/Pages/default.aspx)

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- Advanced Baking and Pastry, Certificate of Achievement (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/orange-coast/pathways/hospitality-food-tourism/culinary-arts/advanced-baking-pastry-certificate-achievement/>)
- Advanced Culinary Arts, Associate in Science Degree (<https://catalog.cccd.edu/orange-coast/pathways/hospitality-food-tourism/culinary-arts/advanced-culinary-arts-associate-science-degree/>)
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