

Seeking: Chef / Foodie

We are looking for an experienced chef/foodie to join the Eden Café team.

25-40 hours/week, £9.50-£11.50/hr

We are a supportive team who work hard but also enjoy a laugh. We have lots of lovely regulars and offer a meal allowance when on shift and a staff discount. You can also join our pension scheme (if eligible). We love creative people with a passion for hospitality who enjoy collaborative working and want to help Eden to flourish.

We are a fully vegan business and also cater for gluten free and other allergens. Our customers put a lot of trust in us and we take that very seriously.

You will be working mostly in the kitchen but you will also need to be able to cover front of house sometimes.

Your role will involve planning and costing specials, preparing food to order, making salads, soups, baking, as well as, managing pantry and stock levels, controlling costs through efficient ordering and reducing waste, completing and maintaining records and adhering to food hygiene and allergen practices.

You will be responsible for ensuring the kitchen runs smoothly and efficiently and our food is presented attractively, as well as helping maintain our 5 food hygiene rating by keeping the kitchen clean and maintained.

Hospitality, in particular, cafe kitchen and supervisory experience would be advantageous. You will be a good all-rounder, able to help in all areas of the business, from food prep to customer service. Social media promotion experience would also be helpful.

Must be able to work (DURING THE DAY) weekdays as well as weekend hours.

Qualities required:

- Our menu is completely vegan and mostly gluten free so a strong understanding of allergens is important. Training will be given on the menu and allergens.
- Sense of responsibility, commitment and professionalism in relation to the role and supporting your colleagues.
- Experience in a similar commercial kitchen environment, with costing awareness would be advantageous.
- Ability to operate calmly and efficiently under pressure, maintaining accuracy at all times.
- Quick learner with excellent organisational, literacy and communication skills, attention to detail and ability to follow and give instructions accurately.
- Self-motivated, efficient, focussed, able to multi task and use initiative.
- You will be comfortable and confident with customers. Customer service must be friendly and welcoming at all times with your focus on providing a top-notch customer experience.
- Speciality coffee experience preferable, with some customer facing hospitality experience.
- Flexibility to work outside rostered hours occasionally as required.

If you are interested, have relevant experience, are eligible to work in the UK and can start soon, then please send your CV with a letter outlining why you'd like to work with us. We look forward to hearing from you!

Please address all correspondence to Becs at info@edencafe.kiwi