

Memo



To: Dr. Karla Guseman
From: Dianne McDonald
Date: May 19, 2026
Re: Course Revision-Culinary 1

I respectfully recommend the course revision of Culinary 1 for the 2027-2028 school year. The year long, unweighted course would be revised into two semester long courses:

- Culinary 2: Principles and Application, a semester weighted dual credit class.
- Culinary 3: Sanitation, a semester weighted dual credit class.

Splitting the traditional year-long Culinary 1 course into two distinct semester-based classes provides significant benefits for both student scheduling and academic progression. This new structure increases instructional flexibility, allowing students more opportunities to enter the pathway throughout the school year and better manage their elective credits.

This course revision has been discussed and approved at the Curriculum Coordinating Council.

Thank you and please let me know if you have further questions.