



American Culinary Federation
Education Foundation
Programmatic Accreditation by ACFEF Accrediting Commission

February 9, 2024

William M. Davies Jr. Career and Technical High School
50 Jenckes Hill Road
Lincoln, RI 02865-4602

Attn: Culinary Arts Department

Congratulations! Your Secondary Culinary Arts program has been identified as "Exemplary" by the American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Accrediting Commission (ACFEFAC) Secondary Committee.

To qualify as an ACFEF Exemplary Secondary Program, a program must be confirmed in full compliance with ACFEF standards on two consecutive Team Reports.

The team evaluating the program participated in an onsite visit and determined through a checklist and comparison of the program to the nationally recognized ACFEF Standards that the program had substantially met the entire and required eight (8) Standards areas: Eligibility, Program Mission and Goals, Organization and Administration, Faculty and Staff, Curriculum, Facilities, Student Services and Assessment.

A special emblem reflecting this prestigious status will be placed next to your program's information on the ACF Website. We will be happy to provide information for any media request you may receive.

Again, congratulations. If you have any questions, please contact the Accreditation Department at the ACF National Office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Bladowski', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Alexander Bladowski, CEC, CCE
Chair, ACFEF Accrediting Committee

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Dear Sir or Madam,

Congratulations! The American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Secondary Accreditation Committee met recently and approved your request for secondary accreditation. The Secondary Accreditation Committee has given a **Grant of Secondary Accreditation** not to exceed beyond **12/31/2028**, for the following program:

Secondary Culinary Arts

Your certificate is included in this correspondence. We hope you will display it with pride.

You may proudly display your well-deserved accreditation by using the ACF Education logo. We are happy to send you the ACFEF Secondary Accreditation logo for use on your website and brochures. It is important that the public understands that your accreditation is programmatic. Please ensure that the wording specifies that your program is "accredited by the American Culinary Federation Education Foundation Accrediting Commission's Secondary Accreditation Commission." You will also be sent a link from Credly to download your program's digital accreditation badge.

As part of the continual monitoring of your program by the Accrediting Commission, your accredited programs will have an Annual Program Update due to the ACF National Office each year. Starting this year, 2024, the annual report will be submitted through our new accreditation platform Weave. We will be rolling out Weave in late March or early April. Please watch your email for an introduction to this exciting new platform.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the accreditation department, at 800-624-9458.

Best wishes for continued success during your upcoming academic year.

Congratulations,

Alexander Bladowski, CEC, CCE
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