

MAURITIUS QUALIFICATIONS AUTHORITY

NATIONAL CERTIFICATE

LEVEL 3

IN

BAKERY

National Certificate Level 3 in Bakery

1. Level: 3

2. Total Credits: 100

3. Review Date: June 2028

4. Access to qualification

4.1 Entry Information

Read up to Form III or 9th Grade of the Nine Year Continuous Basic Education (NYCBE)

or

National Certificate Level 2 in Bakery

or

An alternative qualification at Level 2 of the NQF

4.2 Recognition of Prior Learning [RPL]

Potential candidates holding at least 3 years of working experience in the relevant field may access this qualification through Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) process.

4.3 Award of Qualification Requirements

SN	Unit Standard Title	Level	Credits
1	Prove products for batch baking	3	3
2	Batch bake bread products	3	6
3	Apply safe working practices in the food and related product processing workplace	3	2
4	Retard products for batch baking	3	4
5	Freeze products for batch baking		4
6	Prepare and weigh ingredients for bulk bread doughs using automated equipment		8
7	Demonstrate knowledge of common types and uses of baking equipment in the baking industry		4
8	Demonstrate knowledge of basic baking ingredients in the baking industry		2
9	Practice food safety methods in food business		5
10	Roll, laminate croissant and Danish doughs using manual production methods		4

11	Shape and cut bulk croissant and Danish doughs using manual production equipment	3	3	
12	Bake croissant and Danish products		2	
13	Thaw and prove frozen doughs	3	2	
14	Prepare and apply icings and glazes to bakery products using manual production methods	3	6	
15	Prepare to, and decorate bakery products using manual production methods	3	6	
16	Prepare and apply toppings to bakery products using manual production methods	3	6	
17	Prepare and apply fillings to bakery products using manual production methods	3	6	
18	Participate in groups and/ or teams to make decisions	3	3	
19	Read and assess texts to gain knowledge	3	3	
	Associated Studies			
20	Demonstrate effective communications skills		8	
21	Demonstrate good work ethics		1	
22	Demonstrate knowledge of and apply safety and health measures		1	
23	Demonstrate knowledge of entrepreneurship development		2	
24	Demonstrate knowledge of sustainable development		1	
25	Demonstrate understanding and use of information technology	3	4	
26	Demonstrate knowledge of physical education		4	
Total Credits				

Purpose:

The purpose of the qualification is to impart knowledge and develop skills in breadmaking techniques in the hotel sector and local market.

Holders of this qualification should be able to:

- Prepare basic bread dough items under close supervision of an experienced baker (bread maker).
- Prepare basic viennoiseries and Danish products under close supervision.
- Prepare toppings and fillings for viennoiseries and Danish products.
- Initiate and control cooking processes for simple recipes in bread making
- Organize their workspace and demonstrate positive attitudes and customer awareness.

Qualification Pathway:

Learners who possess the National Certificate Level 2 in Bakery can choose to enrol for qualifications National Qualifications (National Certificate Level 3 in Food Production) and accredited foreign qualification at Level 3 of the National Qualifications Framework (NQF).