School District of Horicon Course Outline Learning Targets

Wellness & Healthy Living

UNIT 1: Safety & sanitation

- Students will be able to identify the causes & symptoms of common food borne illnesses.
- Students will be able to analyze the effects of common food borne illnesses on the body.
- Students will be able to identify common kitchen tools.
- Students will be able to explain the importance of communication while working in the kitchen.
- Students will be able to demonstrate kitchen safety and etiquette.

UNIT 2: Kitchen Fundamentals

- Students will be able to demonstrate safe knife handling.
- Students will be able to identify and demonstrate eight different knife cuts.
- Students will be able to define common cooking & kitchen terms (i.e. Simmer, chop, saute, etc).
- Students will be able to explain the function of common kitchen ingredients (i.e. baking powder, baking soda, flour, etc).
- Students will be able to demonstrate kitchen conversions.
- Students will demonstrate proper measuring techniques.
- Students will be able to explain the pros and cons of cooking in a microwave.
- Students will be able to analyze the pros and cons of convenience vs. scratch foods.
- Students will be able to demonstrate kitchen safety & etiquette.

UNIT 3: Nutrient Needs

- Students will be able to identify the six essential nutrients needed by the body
- Students will be able to explain the main function of the six essential nutrients.
- Students will be able to analyze and compare food labels.
- Students will be able to convert the amount of sugar on food labels to teaspoons.
- Students will be able to explain the effects of sugar on the body.
- Students will analyze the ingredients and nutrients in their favorite fast food meals.
- Students will be able to identify the components of MyPlate.
- Students will be able to create a balanced meal that includes at least 4 of the 5 food groups.
- Students will be able to demonstrate kitchen safety & etiquette.
- Students will be able to identify a fad diet.
- Students will be able to analyze the health effects of fad diets on the body and mind.
- Students will be able to explain the importance of eating breakfast.
- Students will demonstrate making quick bread.
- Students will demonstrate how to reduce the saturated fat in a recipe.

UNIT 4: Fruit, Vegetables, & Grains

- Students will be able to describe qualities of fruits and vegetables and how they contribute to overall health
- Students will be able to identify various cooking methods for fruits and vegetables based on time, equipment needs, and nutritional value.
- Students will demonstrate preparing vegetables by different cooking methods.
- Students will demonstrate preparing fruits by different cooking methods
- Students will be able to analyze the difference in enzymatic browning when using different prevention methods.
- Students will demonstrate how to cook different style grains.
- Students will be able to explain different reasons a person may choose to be vegetarian

UNIT 5: Protein & Dairy

- Students will be able to explain how the nutrients in different protein sources contribute to good health.
- Students will be able to identify the different cuts of meat from different animals.
- Students will be able to describe a variety of ways to include meat, poultry and fish choices in your eating plan.
- Students will be able to demonstrate proper lab safety & sanitation when handling poultry.
- Students will be able to identify the nutrients in different dairy products as well as dairy alternatives.
- Students will be able to identify the nutrients in eggs.
- Students will demonstrate cooking eggs in 4 different ways.

UNIT 6: Lifelong Nutrition

- Students will be able to identify why certain age groups need more/less amounts of certain nutrients, calories, and food times.
- Students will be able to list the different types of stores available for buying groceries.
- Students will be able to determine when and what to purchase when grocery shopping.
- Students will analyze the pros and/or cons of eating organically.
- Students will demonstrate using coupons and/or sale prices to plan and prepare a recipe on a budget.
- Students will be able to describe how advertising affects food choices
- Students will be able to describe the differences between informative and persuasive advertisements.

Students will be able to meet the learning targets above as evidenced by formative and summative classroom assessments.