

# BAKING BUSINESS COURSE

Info pack || 5 Day Program

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At the end of this training, you will be able to:

- Master baking scones, muffins, cupcakes, and biscuits.
- Create a themed buttercream cake.
- Understand and apply key business management techniques, including financial management, customer service, branding, and costing.
- Implement business strategies that support growth and success in the baking industry.

# **COURSE CONTENT:**

**Practical Baking Skills:** 

- Scones, Muffins & Cupcakes:Learn the techniques and recipes for light, fluffy baked goods that are perfect for any occasion.
- Biscuits: Master the art of baking soft, crumbly biscuits that are sure to impress.
- Themed Buttercream Cake:From cake design to decoration, you will learn how to bake and decorate a beautiful, themed buttercream cake and incorporating a range of decorative techniques.

**Business Essentials:** 

- Business Management:Understand the ins and outs of managing a successful baking business.
- Financial Management: Learn budgeting, pricing, and managing costs to ensure profitability.
- Customer Service & Branding:Gain strategies for building and maintaining strong customer relationships while creating a memorable brand.
- Costing: Learn how to price your products effectively while maintaining profit margins.



## **Training Details:**

- Training Times: Daily from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM (5 Days)
- Meals: Breakfast and tea breaks are provided during training.

# Eligibility & Participants:

- This course is open to all skill levels, including beginners.
- Maximum Class Size: 10 participants (minimum of 6 required for the course to run).

#### This course is perfect for:

- Anyone looking to enter the baking industry and start their own baking business.
- Aspiring bakers wanting to refine their skills and gain business knowledge.
- Those seeking professional retraining or wanting to pivot their career.

Private and corporate groups are also welcome to book this class and will receive a training report to support BBBEE scores and tax initiatives.

#### Important Information:

- Dress Code: Please wear comfortable cotton pants and a cotton top (avoid thick sweaters or clothing that may drop particles).
- A professional jacket will be provided for the duration of the training (please maintain it in good condition).
- For hygiene reasons, clean shoes are required.
- You are welcome to bring your own lunch. We have a microwave and refrigeratoravailable for use.
- You will take home everything you bake during the course!

## **Evaluation & Certification:**

- Pre-Training: A positioning questionnaire will be completed to assess your current skills.
- Ongoing Evaluation: Feedback will be provided daily by the trainer.
- Final Assessment: At the end of the course, you will take a multiplechoice test to evaluate your business knowledge.
- Certificate of Completion: A certificate specifying the successful completion of the course and achieved objectives will be awarded.

# **Teaching Methodology:**

- Practical Learning: Hands-on experience in a dedicated workshop.
- Workstations: Each participant will have an individual workstation equipped with all necessary tools.
- Professional Support: You will receive demonstrations and hands-on assistance from the trainer throughout the course.
- Training Materials: A complete training manual with all recipes covered will be provided.

# Accessibility:

We are committed to providing an inclusive learning experience. If you have a disability, please contact Amanda, our Finance and Operations Manager, at <u>078 575 1443</u>, so we can discuss and accommodate your needs.

# **Registration & Fees:**

- Registration Fee: R200 (Secures your space)
- Course Fee: R4000 (payable upon arrival)
- Classes fill up quickly, so be sure to secure your spot early!

For more information or to book your place, please contact The Office at <u>071 956 4470</u>.

