



Camp Cook Assistant

North Dakota 4-H Camp

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Join the fun at North Dakota 4-H Camp for summer 2026!

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Position: Part-time, temporary non-benefited position

Salary: \$600 per week (includes room, board and laundry)

This experience can be used as an internship in an accepted field of study.

Location: Washburn, ND

To apply and for more information:



Screening will begin

Open until filled

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Position Information

North Dakota 4-H Camp is seeking summer staff who can provide exceptional customer service, high-quality educational programming, and endless fun for the 400+ campers and volunteers attending 4-H camp for summer 2026.

The camp cook assistant supports the head cook to prepare three meals per day plus dessert for campers, volunteers and staff at the camp. As part of the Dining Hall team, the Assistant Cook works flexible full-time hours cooking and cleaning in the camp kitchen.

Responsibilities

- Assist the Head Cook in creating menus, managing inventory, organizing food storage, and maintaining accurate records.
- Prepare, cook, and plate meals in the camp kitchen.
- Help organize and execute camp cook-outs.
- Accommodate dietary restrictions by preparing special meals for campers and staff (e.g., gluten-free, lactose-free, vegan, keto, etc.).
- Maintain cleanliness and organization in food preparation and service areas.
- Adhere to state health department regulations for safe food practices.
- Regularly sanitize kitchen surfaces throughout the day.
- Report any accidents or injuries to the Head Cook promptly.
- Light physical effort such as sitting, standing, or walking while performing wok for sustained periods.
- Occasional light lifting up to 30 pounds.

Qualifications

- Must be 16 years old
- Must currently have or obtain a North Dakota food handlers certificate
- Desire to work in the food service area
- Knowledge of food preparation and serving, storage of food and dishwashing procedures is preferred

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