WJEC Level 3 Food Science and Nutrition

Summer Bridging Task

The purpose of giving you a summer bridging task

- i. To provide a bridge from level 2 to level 3 study, and lead into the early stages of the course
- ii. To engage you in independent learning which is required at level 3
- iii. To encourage you to develop your work ethic and commitment to study
- iv. To measure your suitability for the course and assess your initial levels of achievement

All of your work must be typed and clearly presented – please reference your work where possible

Task 1: Define the following key terms (30mins):

- Macro-nutrient
- Micro-nutrient
- Allergen
- High-risk food
- Cross-contamination

- Food fortification
- Malnutrition
- Protein complementation
- Energy balance
- Glycaemic index

Task 2: Below is a recipe for Lasagne (30mins):

6 sheets of white lasagne pasta

100g diced pancetta

750g minced beef

1 tin chopped tomatoes

2 garlic cloves

1 onion

1 beef stock cube

2 tbsp oil

100g parmesan cheese

300ml milk

50g flour



Describe, in detail, how you could alter the recipe to make it:

- a) higher in fibre
- b) lower in fat
- c) lower in salt
- d) suitable for someone who is a Coeliac
- e) suitable for someone who is a Lacto-ovo vegetarian
- f) suitable for someone who is a Vegan
- g) suitable for someone who is lactose intolerant

Task 3: Carry out some research on food safety legislation. Demonstrate your knowledge and understanding of The Food Safety Act 1990 and The Food Safety and Hygiene (England) Regulations 2013 by producing an information document (in any format). The document should also include a clear outline of what HACCP means/entails for food businesses (90mins).

Useful websites: https://www.food.gov.uk https://nutrition.org.uk

Useful books: WJEC Level 3 Certificate in Food Science and Nutrition A Tull/J Bryant ISBN 9781911208587

BRING YOUR WORK TO YOUR FIRST LESSON

