PROVIDE EXPERIENTIAL TOUR INTERPRETATION

UNIT CODE: TO/CU/TG/CC/05/05/A

RELATIONSHIP TO OCCUPATIONAL STANDARDS

This unit addresses the Unit of Competency: Provide Experiential Tour Interpretation

DURATION OF UNIT: 130 hours

UNIT DESCRIPTION

This unit describes the competencies required to provide experiential tour interpretation. It involves, interpreting faunal and floral tour experiences, interpreting heritage sites experiences, interpreting recreational centres experiences, interpreting scenic land/waterscapes (including marinescapes) experiences, interpreting niche tourist products experiences, identifying visitors/tourists souvenirs experiences, writing experiential tour reports and surrendering experiential tour imprests. It applies in the tourism industry.

SUMMARY OF LEARNING OUTCOMES

- 1. Planning menu
- 2. Purchasing experiential tour food ingredients and beverages
- 3. Storing experiential tour food ingredient and beverages
- 4. Producing experiential tour food and beverages
- 5. Preparing area for experiential tour meals service
- 6. Packing experiential tour food and beverages
- 7. Serving experiential tour food and beverages
- 8. Clearing experiential tour utensils
- 9. Washing up experiential tour utensils

LEARNING OUTCOMES, CONTENT AND METHODS OF ASSESSMENT

Learning Outcome	Content	Methods of
		assessment
1. Planning menu	 Theory Types of menus Factors to consider when choosing a menu Menu format Menu structure Menu costing 	ObservationWrittenOralThird party report

Purchasing experiential tour food ingredients and beverages	 Menu card Practice Plan menu of a specific meal Cost a menu of a specific meal Fill a menu costing form Design a menu card Theory: Ingredients purchasing process Purchasing methods Principles of purchasing Selection of the suppliers Paying suppliers Practice: Creating purchase order Filling of the local purchase order Selecting suppliers Window shopping ingredients and beverages	 Observation Written Oral Third party report
3. Storing experiential tour food ingredient and beverages	 Paying suppliers Theory: Food ingredients supplies Food and beverage supplies Supplies specifications and records Ingredients and beverage storage standards Types of storage standard specifications Storage equipment Food store maintenance and cleanliness Food store Fumigation Practice: Receiving supplies Checking supplies against standards 	 Observation Written Oral questioning

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4. Producing experiential tour food and beverages	 Recording received supplies Confirming supplies specifications and records Cleaning food store and beverage cellar Fumigating food store beverage cellar Theory: Preparation of ingredients Preparation of recipes Development of a beverage list Factors to consider cooking methods Food preparation methods Food and beverages production methods Temporary storage of ready food Practice: Preparing a specific meal ingredient Preparation a specific meal recipe Developing a specific beverage list Preparing an accompaniment Garnishing food 	 Observation Written Oral questioning
5. Preparing area for experiential tour meals service	Theory: • Factors to consider when selecting furniture and equipment • Types of camping meal service furniture and equipment	ObservationWrittenOral questioning

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6. Packing experiential tour food and beverages	 Setting up furniture and equipment Different types of table linens Laying of table linen Setting up of covers Adjusting food service area decor Practice: Setting up meal service furniture and equipment Laying of table linen Setting up of covers Adjusting food service area deco Theory; Factors to consider when packing lunches Appropriate food for packed lunches Methods of preparing packed food Equipment required for packing food Practice: Packing a lunch for a camping tour 	 Observation Written Oral questioning
7. Serving experiential tour food and beverages	 Theory: Food and beverage service methods Interpersonal skills in food service Order taking Billing of guests Handling payment Guest handling during meal service 	 Observation Written Oral questioning Third party report

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8. Clearing experiential tour utensils	Practice: • Serving a specific meal using a particular service method • Taking a food and beverage order • Billing a guest • Presenting a bill • Collecting a payment • Appreciating a guest after a meal Theory: • Techniques of clearing Practice: Clearing of utensils used after a meal	 Observation Written Oral questioning
9. Washing up experiential tour utensils	Theory: • Methods of washing utensils • Drying of utensils • Storage of utensils • Handling utensils inventory Practice: • Creating a utensils inventory • Washing of utensils • Drying of utensils • Storing utensils • Check listing utensils	 Observation Written Oral questioning

Suggested Methods of Instruction

- Instructor lead facilitation of theory
- Practical demonstration of tasks
- Practice by trainee
- Simulation/Role play
- Group Discussion

List of Recommended Resources

• Computers	 Glassware 	Table cloths
• Internet	 Throw aways 	• Slipclothes
• Cookers	• Seats	• Guest napkins
• Fridges	 Sideboards 	Buffet cloth
• Deep freezers	• Linen	Service clothe
Bain marie	• Storage cabinets	Menu card
 Hot cabinets 	• Storage drawers	• Sand wichers
• Ovens	 Storage bins 	• Blenders
• Salamanders	 Dust bins 	Baking tins
• Coolers	•	Baking sheets
• Free friers		Small tools
• Utensils		• Riolling pins
• Tables		• Motars
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