



STRATFORD
CHEFS
SCHOOL

ADMISSIONS INFORMATION 2010-2011

Admission to the Stratford Chefs School is based on several factors, the application form and supporting documents being one part of the process. In addition to the application, there is a personal interview, at which time you will be required to present **government issued photo identification** and **your social insurance card**.

Applicants are evaluated on their professional and personal goals, educational background and academic abilities, work experience, personal achievements, communication skills and maturity as well as suitability to the Stratford Chefs School program.

In order to be considered for admission, please complete the following form and mail it with the supporting documents listed below to the following address:

Robert Friesen
Admissions/Alumni Development
Stratford Chefs School
68 Nile St.
Stratford ON
N5A 4C5

We will contact you to confirm receipt of your application. Interviews will not be granted until all supporting documents have been received at the School. Information contained in the application is expressly for use within the Stratford Chefs School and will not be disclosed to any other person or organization without your written consent.

STRATFORD CHEFS SCHOOL APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION 2010-2011
There are four pages in total. Please make sure they are all completed.

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____ Initial: _____

Permanent Mailing Address:

City: _____ Province/State: _____ Country: _____

Postal Code: _____

E-mail address: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell: _____

Social Insurance Number: _ _ - _ - _ - _ - _

Date of Birth: _ _ _ _ / _ _ / _ _ YYYY/MM/DD

Please check one:

- Canadian Citizen
- Permanent Resident

How did you hear about the Stratford Chefs School? *(please check all that apply)*

_____ Alumni	<i>Who?</i> _____
_____ Current Student	_____
_____ Restaurant Professional	_____
_____ SCS Website	
_____ Word of Mouth	
_____ Other <i>please specify</i>	_____

I am applying for the Apprenticeship Program Yes No

I am currently indentured as an apprentice Yes No

If yes, please complete the following information:

Which MTCU office are you registered with: _____

Apprenticeship Contract Number: _____

Hours accumulated to date: _____

I am registered in the OYAP Program Yes No

If yes, please complete the following information:

What high school are you attending: _____

OYAP Number _____

OYAP Contact Person & Phone _____

Have you attended a Stratford Chefs School Open House? Yes No

If yes, when did you come? _____

Did you participate in the March Break Culinary Camp? Yes No

If yes, what year did you attend? _____

In addition to the completed application form, candidates must also include:

- A **\$45 application fee** (payable by cheque or money order made out to the Stratford Chefs School) or by credit card (Visa, Mastercard, American Express);

Card Number: _____

Name on card: _____ Expiry Date: _____

- Copy of the Ontario Secondary School Transcript or its equivalent (if not written in English, a translation must be included)
- A final report card from your last year of high school (for students who graduated from high school after 2005)
- A cover letter and detailed resume that includes **all** education (including partially completed programs) and work experience to date as well as any volunteer work

- Three letters of reference
 - One from a teacher (focusing on academic abilities)
 - One from a current employer (focusing on workplace attitude, skills and responsibilities)
 - One from a character reference who is not related to you (focusing on overall character and commitment to the food service and hospitality profession)

******If these types of references are not available, please provide additional work or volunteer placement references.***

- Biographical sketch (750 – 1000 words) answering the following questions:
 - What is your culinary experience to date?
 - Why are you interested in cooking as a profession?
 - Why do you believe that the Stratford Chefs School is the right school for your training?
 - What skills do you currently have and which skills you feel need to be developed?
 - Where you see yourself at the end of school and five years after graduation?

I, _____, confirm that the information contained in this application is accurate and complete.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please be advised that it takes from 6–8 weeks to complete the admissions process, more if the application is incomplete.