

Prep Cooks Test

Score / 20

Multiple Choice (1 point each)

- D 1) A gallon is equal to _____ ounces ✓
a. 56
b. 145
c. 32
d. 128
- C 2) Mesclun are what type of vegetable? ✓
a. Roots
b. Beans
c. Salad Greens
d. Spices
- B 3) What does the term braise mean? ✓
a. Sear quickly on both sides
b. Slowly cook in covered pan with little liquid
c. Cook on high heat and quickly
d. Slowly cook in simmering water
- B 4) At what internal temperature must chicken be cooked so that it is safe to eat? ✓
a. 155 degrees F
b. 165 degrees F
c. 175 degrees F
d. 185 degrees F
- A 5) How do you blanch vegetables? ✓
a. Immerse for a short time in boiling water
b. Cook lightly in butter over med heat
c. Soak in cold water overnight
d. Rub with salt before cooking
- C 6) Which of the following ingredients would you pack before measuring? ✓
a. Olive Oil
b. Salt
c. Brown Sugar
d. White Sugar
- A 7) What is Al Dente? ✓
a. Firm but not hard
b. Soft to the touch
c. Very hard
d. Very soft
- A 8) Food should be left out no more than X
a. 2 hours
b. 3 hours
c. 4 hours
d. 5 hours

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B

9) Which is the improper way to thaw frozen food? X

- a. In the fridge
- b. In a sink with cold water
- c. On the counter
- d. In the microwave

A

10) Which of the following can you use to put out a grease fire? ✓

- a. Baking Soda
- b. Baking Powder
- c. Flour
- d. Water

B

11) What is the temperature range of the danger zone? ✓

- a. 25-135
- b. 40-140
- c. 50-160
- d. 30-130

B

12) Which of the following is listed from smallest to largest? X

- a. Dice, chop, mince
- b. Mince, chop, dice
- c. Chop, dice, Mince
- d. Mince, dice, chop

D

13) Which direction should pan handles be turned while cooking on the stove? X

- a. Over the fire at all times
- b. Turned towards you for better control
- c. Turned towards the right or left at all times
- d. Over the countertop at all times

C

14) When you poach something, you cook it with what? ✓

- a. Noodles
- b. Vegetables
- c. Liquid
- d. Oil

C

15) Which spoon is used to remove fat from soups and stews? X

- a. Basting Spoon
- b. Ladle
- c. Slotted Spoon
- d. Portion Spoon

B

16) Which of the following means to cook in a small amount of fat? ✓

- a. Season
- b. Sauté
- c. Broil
- d. Boil
- e. Fry

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17) What is a Julien cut? ✓

- a. Food cut into long thin strips, matchstick
- b. Food cut into long thin strips then turned and cut into a 1/8' dice
- c. Food diced into finely chopped and uniform pieces
- d. Cutting and peeling into oblong seven sided football like shapes

A

18) To cook a food in a pan without browning over low heat until the item softens and releases moisture. ✓

- a. Sweat
- b. Boil
- c. Roast
- d. Grill

Fill-in the Blank (1 point each)

19) Salt & ^{Black}Pepper are the basic seasoning ingredients for all savory recipes. ✓

20) Chop: to cut into very small pieces when uniformity of size and shape is not important. ✓

