



Administration Office
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VACANCY NOTICE

Date Posted: August 31, 2026

Deadline: Until Filled

This is a notice that a vacancy exists for the 2026-2027 school year to include:

1- Part-Time Cook
Newaygo Middle School
5.75 hrs./day
Monday-Friday

Newaygo Public Schools is seeking Cooks to join our Food Service Team. As a School Cook, you will play a crucial role in preparing and serving nutritious meals to students and staff in accordance with established guidelines and standards. This position emphasizes teamwork, collaboration, and a commitment to providing wholesome meals that contribute to the well-being and success of our students.

Responsibilities:

- Prepare and cook breakfasts, lunches, and snacks for students, adhering to established menus, recipes, and portion sizes.
- Ensure that all meals meet nutritional requirements and food safety regulations.
- Collaborate with the kitchen team to streamline operations and maintain a clean, organized workspace, in compliance with health and safety regulations.
- Follow proper sanitation procedures and guidelines for the handling, preparation, and storage of food.
- Monitor food supplies and ingredients, placing orders as needed to maintain adequate inventory levels.
- Monitor and record temperatures of food and storage areas to ensure safety standards are met.
- Assist in the setup and cleanup of serving areas, including serving students during meal times.
- Adhere to school policies and procedures, as well as state and federal regulations related to school nutrition programs.
- Follow proper food safety and sanitation procedures at all times to ensure the health and safety of students and staff.
- Maintain a positive and cooperative relationship with school administration, faculty, and students.

Qualifications:

- High school diploma or equivalent.
- Proven experience as a cook, preferably in a school or institutional setting.
- Adherence to uniform and hygiene requirements.
- Knowledge of food safety regulations and procedures.
- Ability to work effectively as part of a team in a fast-paced environment caused by strict deadlines and time constraints.
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills.
- Ability to follow oral and written directions.
- Flexibility to adapt to changing menus and dietary requirements.
- Problem solving, basic math and computer skills.
- Physical stamina and dexterity necessary for prolonged periods of standing, bending, twisting and lifting up to 60 lbs.
- Ability to work effectively as part of a team.

To Apply:

Applications can be picked up at the

NPS Administration Office at 360 South Mill St. Newaygo, MI 49337 OR Printed off of the district website at www.newaygo.net/district/jobs/

Current employees need only sign the posting and turn it in to Mrs. Charette.

**Please refer to the Bidding Procedures in Article 6 (page 11) of the Support Staff Union Contract.*



Date

Ben Gilpin, Superintendent

Current Employee's Signature

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