



Make It! Cooking Business Program

Are you interested in cooking and starting your own business?

This no-cost program jointly delivered by Vancouver Community College (VCC) and DIVERSEcity is designed to help immigrant and refugee women to potentially generate income as a business collective.

Program Description

- Increase your English language skills
- Improve your cooking skills and make products that are marketable
- Gain basic Canadian business knowledge
- Operate a business collective



Eligibility Criteria

- Permanent residents (naturalized citizens not eligible)
- Cooking skills and experience
- Interest in working and learning in a group
- Applicants must have Canadian Language Benchmark (CLB) Level 5 or above (including reading & writing)
- Interest in starting a group business

Training Schedule & Location

Training dates:

January 21, 2019 to March 29, 2019

(5 days/week, 3 hours/day, 10am- 1pm)

Cooking Lab Hours:

Wednesdays and Fridays, 1:30 – 3pm

Training is at the **VCC Downtown Campus**,
250 West Pender Street, Vancouver

Childminding Service and Transportation Support is available on a needs basis

Information Session & Application Process

Information Sessions will be held at VCC
Downtown Campus on the following dates:

December 20, 2018 10:00am-12:00pm (room 822)

January 14, 2019 10:00am-12:00pm (room 822)

All eligible participants must attend information session to apply to the program. To register for an information session please contact **Lina Sehgal** at lsehgal@vcc.ca

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