

# Food and Nutrition Entrepreneurship, Minor

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Gain the knowledge and skills necessary to build your nutrition-focused brand, understand the inner workings of a restaurant and launch your own food-related business.

## Description

The food and nutrition entrepreneurship minor is available to any ASU student interested in developing a greater understanding of nutrition, the food industry and food service operations.

Students gain basic knowledge and skills that can be used toward starting and managing their own business in the food industry. Some areas of study include:

- food service purchasing and management
- nutrition communication
- nutrition management and leadership
- nutrition science

## At a glance

- **College/School:** [College of Health Solutions](#)
- **Location:** [Downtown Phoenix](#)

## Program requirements

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The minor requires a total of 19 credit hours. A minimum grade of "C" (2.00 on a 4.00 scale) is required for each course.

## **Required Courses -- 19 credit hours**

[NTR 100: Introduction to Nutrition Science](#) or [NTR 241: Human Nutrition](#) (3)

[NTR 142: Applied Food Principles](#) (3)

[NTR 343: Food Service Purchasing](#) (3)

[NTR 344: Nutrition Management and Leadership \(L\)](#) or [NTR 360: Nutrition Entrepreneurship](#) (3)

[NTR 351: Nutrition Communication \(L\)](#) or [NTR 448: Community Nutrition \(L\)](#) (3)

[NTR 445: Management of Food Service Systems](#) (4)

Prerequisite courses may be needed in order to complete the requirements of this minor.

## **Enrollment requirements**

**GPA Requirement:** 2.00

**Incompatible Majors:** BS in dietetics, BS in food and nutrition entrepreneurship, BAS in food and nutrition entrepreneurship, BS in nutritional science

**Other Enrollment Requirements:** None

Current ASU undergraduate students may pursue a minor and have it recognized on their ASU transcript at graduation. Minor requirements appear on the degree audit once the minor is added. Certain major and minor combinations may be deemed inappropriate by the college or department of either the major or the minor program. Courses taken for the minor may not count toward both the major and the minor.

## **Career opportunities**

Minor programs allow students to develop additional competencies that complement the marketable knowledge and skills they acquire in their majors.

Graduates with a minor in food and nutrition entrepreneurship have additional knowledge in nutrition basics and leadership, which is beneficial for a career in restaurant management or food marketing.

## **Contact information**

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