



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs
Kwalificatie: Vakexpert voeding en voorlichting
Kwalificatiedossier: Voeding

In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education
Qualification: Food and advice expert
Qualification file: Food

This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Core task 1: Taking care of food

- 1.1 Is responsible for the quality of the food
- 1.2 Is responsible for internal and external information exchange
- 1.3 Is responsible for food safety

Core task 2: Guides the use of food and nutrition

- 2.1 Familiarises oneself with the client demand
- 2.2 Advises client on the use of food and nutrition
- 2.3 Presents nutritional information
- 2.4 Participates in projects (research, events, education, etc.)
- 2.5 Develops oneself in the field of nutrition and education in the chain

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Food and advice expert works in small, medium and large organizations in various branches of the food sector. Companies in this field contribute to the development and preparation of food or to mastering the preparation methods of artisanal or industrially produced food. This sector includes companies that focus on animal food/nutrition and companies that advise on food/nutrition and health.

The Food and advice expert works in the private and public sector, both for companies and for individual customers. He works as an employee or as a self employed person, in the primary process and/or in projects. He guides customers on nutritional issues in all areas.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate

The certificate issued on completion of the programme is signed by the examination board at the school where the pupil attended the programme.

Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate

Ministry of Education, Culture and Science

*** Explanatory note**

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

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| <p>Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 4 of the Dutch VET qualification structure Characteristics: non-job related skills such as tactical and strategic capacities. The professional bears his or her own responsibility, which is not only related to practical implementation in terms of monitoring and supervision, but also a more formal, organisational responsibility. The range of tasks also includes drafting new procedures. NLQF-niveau 4 - EQF level 4 - ISCED 3A</p> | <p>Grading scale / Pass requirements</p> <table style="border: none;"> <tr><td>10</td><td>excellent</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>very good</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>good</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>very satisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>pass</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>fail</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>very unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>poor</td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>very poor</td></tr> </table> | 10 | excellent | 9 | very good | 8 | good | 7 | very satisfactory | 6 | pass | 5 | fail | 4 | unsatisfactory | 3 | very unsatisfactory | 2 | poor | 1 | very poor |
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| 1 | very poor | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>Access to next level of education/professions The Food and advice expert has transfer possibilities to a Higher Vocational Education (HBO) courses such as Food technology or Food and dietetics.</p> | <p>International agreements Food and advice expert is not a regulated profession in the Netherlands. However, the education and training for this profession on qualification level 4 is regulated under the European directive 2005/36/EC, amended by directive 2013/55/EU. The regulated education and training gives access to regulated professions at the level of a diploma according to article 11 of this directive.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <p>Legal basis Act on Vocational Education and Training (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 25464 The education and training for this qualification is offered as of 01-08-2015.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

Senior secondary vocational education features two learning pathways: the school-based pathway (bol) and the training on the job pathway (bbl).
 In the school-based pathway, the majority of the course consists of theory at school. The extent of the practical component (vocational practice) is between 20% and 60%. In the training on the job pathway, the extent of vocational practice is at least 60% of the course. The participant works four days a week in a training company, and attends school for theory subjects just one day a week.
 In principle it is possible to follow both learning pathways, but which pathway is offered will depend on the individual educational institution.

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| <p>Average duration of the education/ training leading to the certificate</p> | <p>3 years (4800 study hours) (depending on previous education)</p> |
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Entry requirements

The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) advanced vocational programme, combined programme, or theoretical programme, or a comparable level.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dutch senior secondary VET is based on qualification files, that each contain one or more qualifications. The information included in part 3 and 4 is derived directly from the qualification file determined by the Minister of Education, Culture and Science. The complete qualification file can be found at kwalificaties.s-bb.nl, only in Dutch.

Optional subjects are linked to the qualification. The optional subjects have a total size of 15% of the course duration. The optional subjects completed by the student are listed on the certificate.

Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP): www.s-bb.nl. The NRP is the information centre for vocational qualifications in the Netherlands. SBB has been appointed in this capacity by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science.