Dynamic On-Demand Training for Baking Professionals

An extension of fundamental knowledge, training programs establish employees as operational experts in baking facilities.

Specialized Training

Focused lessons include important information for specific cookie and cracker manufacturing such as equipment overviews, pre-operation checks, safety and sanitation, and key process conversions.

Time investment: 4-5 total hours, up to 6 weeks to finish

Courses include:

Now Available
1. Wire Cut
2. Rotary
3. Sandwiching

Coming Soon
4. Sheet and Laminating
5. Fat Based Icings and Enrobing
6. Cold Press Bars
7. Water Based Icings and Post Oven Depositing
8. Extrusion

ABA Member: $250/student
Non-Member: $500/student

Cookie and Cracker Manufacturing Course

The industry’s gold standard, graduates of the program will possess the technical knowledge, and best practice information necessary to supervise a cookie and/or cracker bakery shift, department, or facility.

Time investment: 1-2 years

Resources include: ABA Technical Advisor mentor, course manager, two textbooks, workbook, and supervisor manual. Yearly award for top two graduates.

ABA Member: $1995/student
Non-Member: $3550/student

Economical training solutions reduce in-bakery onboarding time for new hiring and transfers.

BAKING BASICS 101

Fundamental knowledge for all employees new to working in any wholesale baking facility.

Time investment: 1 hour, up to 2 weeks to finish
Lessons include: Workplace Safety, Food Safety and Hygiene, Technical Training

ABA Member: $50/student
Non-Member: $100/student

Cookie and Cracker Entry-Level

Foundational knowledge in English and Spanish for all employees new to cookie and cracker plant operations.

Time investment: 4-5 total hours, up to 6 weeks to finish

Lessons include: Ingredients, Mixing, Forming, Baking

ABA Baker/International Member: $150/student
ABA Allied Member: $250/student
Non-Member: $300/student

Student Enrollment Form

Facility Enrollment Form

For Beginner and Specialized Training

Graduate-level coursework establishes plant employees as in-house experts in the highly precise process that drives successful operations.

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Non-Member: $3550/student