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Profile

Barista with two years in busy independent cafés, confident making espresso drinks, dialling in grinders and steaming milk for latte art. Fast and friendly on a queue and careful with hygiene and allergens.

Experience

Barista, The Copper Kettle

Manchester | Aug 2023 – Present

- Make around 250 drinks on a busy weekday, keeping morning rush waits to a few minutes.
- Dial in the espresso grinder each morning and adjust through the day to keep shots consistent.
- Take orders and payments, answering allergen questions using the café's allergen matrix.
- Open the café 3 days a week, including setting up the machine and completing the cleaning checklist.

Café Assistant, Little Oak Garden Centre Café

Stockport | May 2022 – Jul 2023

- Served hot food, cakes and drinks to up to 200 customers on weekend days.
- Kept the counter, tables and kitchen area clean and followed food hygiene procedures.
- Learned espresso basics and moved onto the coffee machine within 3 months.

Education

A levels, Aquinas College

Art (B), English Language (C), Sociology (C) | Stockport | Sep 2020 – Jun 2022

Skills

Espresso and milk drinks, Latte art, Grinder calibration, Cash and card payments, Allergen awareness, Food hygiene, Opening and closing, Working fast under pressure

Certifications

- Level 2 Food Hygiene and Safety
- Allergen awareness (online course)