



the lemon drop



#WPEP-2438283



THE LEMON DROP, 1 Broad Street, Tramore,
Co. Waterford, X91 XN36



No of positions : 1



Work Placement Experience Programme



As per WPEP guidelines



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13/03/2026



08/05/2026

How to apply

Application Method :

This programme is for jobseekers that are in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment and those transferring from a social welfare scheme. Full eligibility details are available [here](#)



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Front of House/ Barista Assistant - WPEP Scheme

Application Details

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Job Description

Are you passionate about food and coffee. We are offering a 6-month placement in a busy welcoming Café/Restaurant. Perfect for anyone looking to gain real experience in the hospitality industry.

The participant will gain practical experience in Barista training, you will be trained in skills of a Barista, Coffee presentation and hygiene standards.

You will also receive training in Kitchen skills: Safe food handling and hygiene (HACCP practices), Customer service: Taking orders and handling payments.

Communicating with customers professionally, day to day operations in a friendly team focused environment.

You'll receive on-the-job training, daily support from experienced staff to help you build confidence and valuable hospitality skills.

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The participant will receive formal/ informal training in the following

Formal Training:

Food Safety Laws and Regulations

Health & Safety Training

Barista Training

Food Safety Basics

Safe food handling and hygiene (HACCP practices)

Informal Training:

Personal Hygiene

Cleaning and Sanitizing

Allergen Awareness

Kitchen Skills Customer Service & Front-of-House

Taking orders and communicating efficiently

Processing payments (cash, card, digital)

Handling discounts, refunds, and receipts

Opening and closing the till Order flow

Communication with baristas/kitchen

POS-Learn how to confidently operate a Point of Sale (POS) system with our hands-on training.

- **Sector:** accommodation and food service activities

Career Level

- Not Required

Candidate Requirements

(Essential)

- **Minimum Experienced Required (Years): 0**