

## **Dishwasher**

**Job Summary**            Cleans cooking utensils and kitchen equipment by hand; may assist other workers with simple kitchen duties.

**Duties/Responsibilities:**

1. Gathers dirty cooking utensils and kitchen equipment such as pots, pans, ladles, trays, and large spoons, using hand truck.
2. Scrapes food residue from utensils with spatula or wire brush; places residue in garbage receptacle.
3. Prepares washing tubs by mixing soap in hot water and stirring solution to create suds.
4. Washes utensils and equipment. Immerses utensils in suds mixture and rubs them vigorously with a stiff brush; scours greasy utensils with cleaning powder and steel wool.
5. Rinses cleaned equipment in tub or clear water, or by placing it under tap of running water.
6. Places rinsed equipment on drain board, or hangs utensils on pot rack, to drain and dry; may dry utensils with cloths.
7. Returns cleaned equipment to proper place in kitchen.
8. Clean working area: drains and washes tubs, sweeps and mops floors, washes and scours benches, washes and polishes other designated kitchen equipment and fixtures.
9. May perform miscellaneous tasks such as trucking supplies, running errands, and assisting other kitchen workers in simple kitchen duties similar to peeling and cleaning vegetables.