



## **Are you interested in a career in the food service industry?**

### **Sodexo Program Description**

Participants will be working with a job coach from Sodexo to prepare and serve community dinners at New Covenant United Methodist Church on 16 Church Street in East Hartford. The dinners will be held twice a week on Tuesday and Thursday from about 4-7:30PM. Students' families are welcome to come and eat at the community dinners and students eat after the meal is served. Participants will work on kitchen etiquette, food preparation, storage techniques and food service. There will be an opportunity to interview for a position with Sodexo when positions become available. Participants may also be given the opportunity to become ServSafe certified if Sodexo chooses to hire them. ServSafe is a food and beverage safety training and certificate program administered by the National Restaurant Association which many restaurants look for in potential employees. This is a wonderful opportunity to build practical experience to add to a resume and also gain references from the Sodexo staff.

### **Requirements:**

- must be enrolled in either Basic Literacy or ESOL classes
- must continue to attend classes regularly while participating in the Sodexo program
- must commit to at least one community dinner per week
- must have access to transportation to and from the church
- must maintain a neat and clean appearance

### **Qualifications**

- Some restaurant experience is preferred but not mandatory
- Level 3 BL or ESOL or higher is preferred

### **If you are interested please contact:**

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