

1. Name of the Certificate ¹

Field of study 2964 H confectioner

2. Translated title of the Certificate ²

Učebný odbor 2964 H cukrár (sk)

3. Profile of skills and competences

The holder of the certificate is able:

- to act independently in social and professional life,
- to express themselves in the official language and one foreign language in written and spoken form,
- to apply the basic principles of financial literacy, consumer protection and to understand business and the world of work,
- to use information and communication technologies to solve practical tasks,
- to work in diverse groups, to cooperate in a team, to organise their work,
- to act environmentally with a view to a sustainable development strategy,
- to receive, assess the quality and store raw materials for the production of confectionery products, to prepare materials, tools, instruments, machines and devices necessary for a specific technological process and use them economically,
- to work according to valid standards and progressive procedures in the production of confectionery products,
- to comply with the principles of good manufacturing practice, relevant standards and legislation including hygiene, safety and precautionary measures,
- to make confectionery semi-finished products, bases, finished products, ice cream and desserts according to the technological process and to complete them artistically and aesthetically,
- to store, pack, dispatch and sell products, assess their quality and perform quality control at each stage of production, control various stages of the production process,
- to carry out all hygienic and sanitary measures,
- to set up and operate machines and equipment, perform their basic maintenance,
- to use the prescribed records: stock, production, dispatching and other records,
- to use and to understand progressive methods and raw materials,
- to check for compliance with standards applicable to the confectionery products, the methods of handling food and their continued storage and preservation, to apply HACCP regulations.

4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate ³

Graduates find work as confectioners employed in small, medium and large confectioneries and in the sale of confectionery products. After obtaining experience, they are ready to establish a private business.

¹ In the original language. | ² If applicable. This translation is not legally binding. | ³ If applicable.

The Certificate Supplement provides additional information to the certificate and as such it is not legally binding. Its format is based on the Decision No 2018/646 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18th April on a common framework for the provision of better services in the field of skills and qualifications (Europass) and on repealing Decision No 2241/2004/EC.

For the purposes of a document issued in Slovakia, a certificate encompasses any document as specified in the Decree of the Ministry of Education of the Slovak Republic No. 326/2008 Coll. on the Types and Pertinent Details of Certificates and other Educational Forms, including Methods for their Recording and Archiving.

5. Official basis of the certificate

Body awarding the certificate

Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate

Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sport of the Slovak Republic
 Stromová 1
 813 30 Bratislava
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www.minedu.sk

Level of the certificate (national or European) ¹

Secondary vocational education

SKQF/EQF: 3

ISCED 353

Grading scale / Pass requirements

1 – excellent
 2 – praiseworthy
 3 – good
 4 – sufficient
 5 – insufficient

Access to next level of education / training ¹

Advanced study educational programmes for graduates of the 3-year and 4-year field of study
 SKQF/EQF 4, ISCED 454

International agreements on the recognition of qualifications ¹

Legal basis

Act No. 245/2008 Coll. on Education and Training (Education Act) and on amendment of certain acts; Act No. 61/2015 Coll. on Vocational Education and Training and on amendment of certain acts; Decree of the Ministry of Education of the Slovak Republic no. 318/2008 Coll. on the completion of studies at secondary schools, as amended.

6. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate

Successful completion of the four-year training program in the given field of study by passing the final examination.

7. Additional information

This Europass Certificate Supplement is valid together with the school leaving certificate issued by the relevant secondary school (the name and address of the school is specified on the certificate). In addition to the school leaving certificate, the school issues also the certificates of apprenticeship. More details about the education and training system are available at www.minedu.sk/data/files/7421.jpg, more details as to the organisation of the educational system are available at www.minedu.sk, and the details of educational programs are available at www.siov.sk and at the website of the specified school.

Entry requirements ¹

- Completion of 9th year of primary school
- Demonstration of required knowledge prerequisites via admission procedure

More information (including a description of the national qualifications system)

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<https://www.minedu.sk/18673-sk/studijne-a-ucebne-odbory-sauo/>

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¹ If applicable