

MasterChef

Video Submission Instructions

Length: We strongly encourage you to make sure that your video is no longer than 5 minutes in duration

Content: WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO HAVE SOMEONE ELSE FILM YOU; WE WANT TO SEE YOU THROUGHOUT ALL OR MOST OF THE VIDEO. Please make sure we can see and hear you clearly. Please start with saying your name, age, what city/town you currently reside in and what your current occupation is.

We would like to see you in the kitchen showing off your cooking skills! Show us your cooking utensils, your plating skills, your pantry, your favorite ingredients (especially ones that make you stand out), etc. **COOK & PLATE YOUR SIGNATURE DISH (there is no need to film the full cooking process).**

Tell us what food/cooking means to you and your cooking experience. How did food play a role in your life when you were growing up? Where did your inspiration for cooking come from? Has your heritage played a part in your cooking skill? If yes, how so? How often do you cook? How often from recipes and/or from scratch? Have you had any training in the kitchen? What kind of cook are you? What type of food do you enjoy to cook? What do you think makes you a good cook? If you are married, have kids or have a girlfriend/boyfriend, quickly introduce us. Outside of food, what wouldn't we know about you based on our first impressions? We also want to know about your personal life (hobbies, accolades, goals, etc).

We need to **SEE YOU IN ACTION** and we want to see your **PERSONALITY!!!** Be as creative, big and bold as you can! There is no "right" or "wrong" thing to say on video, we just want to get to know you. Have fun with it and make it as personal as possible. Please do not edit your video or add music, we prefer you send it as raw footage.

We strongly recommend that you do not wear any clothing on your video which includes any logos, photographs, artwork/drawings, posters, or any other copyrighted material and we strongly recommend that you do not include logos, photographs, artwork/drawings, posters, or other copyrighted material on your video.

Deadline: Postmarked by **December 12, 2011 (but, the sooner the better!) at 11:59pm EST** to be considered; deadline is subject to change as determined by producers.

If for any reason you're unable to upload your video online, please mail the below materials to:

**MasterChef Season 3 Casting
1741 Ivar Ave.
Los Angeles, CA 90028**

Materials Checklist:

1. Your completed application
 2. A current photo of yourself
 3. A photo of your plated dish
 4. Your videotape submission
- Please clearly label the videotape and case (only DVD, MINI DV, or VHS will be accepted) with your name, phone number and **"MasterChef Season 3 Casting"**.
 - Make a copy of your video to keep in case anything should happen to it.
 - Your video will become sole property of the Producers.

Please note these video submission instructions are subject to change as determined by the producers. These video submission instructions are suggestions not requirements;

producers reserve the right to select individuals who do not comply with all or some of these video submission instructions to participate in the series. All those considered for the series will be required to submit and sign additional documents (which may include, without limitation, a participant agreement, waiver, and series rules) in order to be considered to participate in the series. If there is any conflict between the information on this website and the foregoing documents, the foregoing documents shall control.