


STUDENT ACTIVATION

Flour Production Manager

CHS is the largest farmer-owned cooperative in the United States and one of the biggest names in **grain processing**. Grains like wheat or soy are extremely important to domestic and international trade. They are readily available crops with minimal spoilage that are easily stored, transported, and used in many food products. This is where **Flour Production Managers** come in!

Grain Processing: Refining grains through a milling process that removes the bran and germ.

FLOUR PRODUCTION MANAGER

Flour Production Managers plan, control, and coordinate all production operations, consistent with quality and product safety demands, ensuring quality and consistency of all finished flour products. They ensure the proper health and safety regulations are being adhered to throughout the production cycle.

The **Flour Production Manager** is responsible for managing a safe, clean, and efficient operation. These professionals determine the best way for a processing facility's workers and its equipment to meet the company's goals for goods, all while they ensure production stays on schedule and within an allotted budget. They track and create production schedules according to client's needs, specifications, and projected budgets, and discuss the logistics with their clients. Their clients include food manufacturers that use flour to produce products such as bread, baking products, glue, play dough, plywood, and more!

IS FLOUR PRODUCTION MANAGER A GOOD CAREER FOR ME?

Me	Flour Production Manager
I am a multitasker and quick decision maker.	Flour Production Managers have a demanding job that requires them to problem-solve quickly while juggling multiple important tasks.
I often take the lead when working in groups.	Flour Production Managers are leaders who must collaborate with others to ensure quality, consistency, and efficiency through the production process.
I am an excellent communicator who works well with others.	Flour Production Managers must communicate effectively with their colleagues and clients in their role.

How does this career help me?	How does this career help the world?
<p>Flour is an important ingredient in many of the foods we eat. It can be found in bakery items such as cakes, breads, and pastries. There are vital nutrients found in flour that keep us healthy while giving us energy to work and play. However, flour is also used to make industrial products like plywood that is used in home and furniture construction!</p>	<p>People around the world use various types of flour that are culturally relevant to them and often grown in their region of the world. Flour is a staple food for most people and cultures around the world.</p>

What are some similar careers?
<p>Quality Assurance and Food Safety Managers are responsible for directing food safety, quality assurance, and sanitation programs at food production facilities. They help ensure that all products created at a manufacturing facility meet food safety, customer, and federal and state compliance.</p> <p>Co-op Location Manager manages employees and works with customers to make sales recommendations. They also ensure that all equipment is properly maintained, repaired, and working efficiently to keep production on track.</p>

Here are some ways to practice the skills to be a successful **Flour Production Manager**:

- Consider shadowing a production manager at a local facility to see how they multitask and manage their plant to ensure the success of their business.
- Research the “dos” and “don’ts” of handling flour and other food products, along with food safety. Share this information with your family and classmates.
- Learn about the various types of flour around the world and how they are safely transported from one area of the world to another. Discover how this is done safely to provide this staple to people worldwide.

1 <https://g.co/kgs/w6QXtwV>

2 <https://www.chsinc.com/-/media/project/chs/chs-inc/files/products-and-services/oilseed-products/mankato-overview.pdf?rev=dc892a150a244fd88e712e58883195f1>

3 <https://www.fpmsystems.com.au/head-miller-production-manager>

4 <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/management/industrial-production-managers.htm>