Rubric for Iron Chef Challenge Competition					
Judges: Teams will present their recipe with the secret ingredient. They may explain the steps taken, the difficulty of the recipe, how the secret ingredient was used, and how they plated for presentation. • Appearance (Plating) • Taste • Degree of difficulty (of recipe chosen) • Use of secret ingredient (incorporated) Recipe(s):					
Criteria	weight	Professional 4	Practitioner 3	Novice 2	Beginner 1
Appearance (Plating)	25%	☐ Food item(s) arranged neatly and with flair ☐ Imagination and creativity were visible	☐ Food item(s) arranged neatly☐ Little creativity used	☐ Food item(s) placed on plate	☐ Little or no planning for plating food
Taste	25%	☐ Full of flavor, ingredients well blended, good texture	☐ Good flavor	☐ Flavor is mild	☐ Little or no flavor
Degree of Difficulty	25%	☐ Recipe(s) involved many steps and difficulty level was high	☐ Recipe(s) involved many steps but difficulty level was medium	☐ Recipe(s) involved a few steps and difficulty level was low	☐ Recipe was simple to cook/bake
Use of Secret Ingredient	25%	☐ Used secret ingredient and enhances flavor of food item	☐ Used secret ingredient but not noticeable	☐ Used secret ingredient but overpowers flavor	☐ Did not use secret ingredient ☐
Assignment Score + Beyonder/Bonus = Final Score					

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