

School Dinners

Setting

The players take on the role of imaginary characters called ProtoChefs (PCs). These PCs are **students** at the Internationally renowned and respected **Kidling Academy for the Culinary Arts**.

Kidling's is recognized as the *Alma Mater* of all the World's top chefs, bakers and confectioners. This is the fine tradition to which the PCs aspire.

Notable Members of the Faculty

Head Chef

Mr (in the same sense as a surgeon) Kidling.

Master Baker

Cakemaster Flash – A ghetto kid made good. Rose to fame by coming up through the ranks of underground bakeoffs in the the projects in the early 80s. Now a universally respected figure, he brings his own interpretations to the classic techniques.

Confectioner Supreme

Lydia Luscious, Lady Bourneville – The scion of a long line of confectioners to the crowned heads of Europe.

New Teacher

Oliver Jam – The young and rising teacher of Kids' Cookery. Considered a fruitcake by the older members of the faculty but popular with the students for his slap-dash approach to food.

Assignment

The characters are trying out for the Kipling team for the Annual IntraMural Freshman Cookoff against the sinister Cap'n Hawkeye and his Nautical Galley School team. Competition is high to face the school's archrivals.

About This Game

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System

Morsels are a suitable foodstuff – I favour marshmallows. Use morsels to **perform actions** beyond your PC's normal abilities. Morsels must be **served** to the GM (Gourmand Majeur).

The GM awards morsels to players as his appetite dictates. If a PC has an appropriate ability the player need not serve a morsel to act, but may choose to do so to curry favour.

Character options

Each player chooses 1 Major subject (with a specialisation), 1 Minor subject and one Non-Academic skill for their PC.

Major (with specialisation)

Cooking

Carvery

Soups and sauces

Specialised diets

Preparation

Ingredients procurement and appraisal

Kids

Nutrition

Baking

Cakes

Breads

Pies

Icing (shared spec with Confectionary)

Confectionery

Sugarcraft

Puddings and mousses

Ice cream

Icing (shared spec with Baking)

Minor

Cooking

Baking

Confectionery

Non-Academic skills

Athletics

Spurious knowledge

Friendliness