

Position: COOK

Location: Norway, Hønefoss

Avika Indisk Mat is a well-known Indian takeaway and catering place, also featuring a small and cozy dine-in space for around 10 guests. Based in the heart of Hønefoss, about 80 km north of the capital Oslo, it is known for the authentic Indian flavours, freshly prepared food, and warm, personal service.

The company is looking for an enthusiastic, creative cook with a passion for food and a willingness to learn Indian cuisine. **Experience with Indian cooking is not required.**

Note: Job vacancy open to nationals with a valid work permit in Norway and EU/EFTA nationals willing to relocate to Norway.

Main tasks / responsibilities:

- Prepare and present Indian dishes for take-away, catering, and dine-in
- Maintain kitchen hygiene and documentation required by Mattilsynet
- Monitor stock levels and report shortages
- Provide friendly, professional customer service
- Assist front-of-house on quieter days (taking orders, serving)
- Handle the cash register and payments when needed
- Suggest new dishes and contribute creative menu ideas
- Support catering and outdoor events during summer

Required profile:

- Enthusiasm for cooking professional Indian cooking
- Willingness to learn Indian cuisine and experiment with flavours
- Basic knowledge of food safety & hygiene rules in Norway (or willingness to learn)
- Good communication skills (English required; Norwegian is an advantage)
- Reliable, flexible, independent and a team player

The company offers:

- Full-time work (40 hours/week)
- Training in Indian cooking
- Salary according to the Norwegian collective wage agreement for cooks:
 - Cook without vocational training – beginner (gross) NOK/month 34 077 ($\pm 2.861\text{€}$)
 - with 2 years' experience (gross) NOK/M 34 341($\pm 2.883\text{€}$) and upwards
 - Cook with vocational training – beginner (gross) NOK/month 35 702 ($\pm 2.998\text{€}$)
 - with 2 years' experience - (gross) NOK/M 35 966 ($\pm 3.020\text{€}$) and upwards
 - Supplement evening work: 16,01 NOK/hour (gross)
 - Supplement weekend work: 30,42 NOK/hour (gross)
- Help in finding affordable accommodation

How to apply: send your CV and a short cover letter in English to jobs@avika.catering until **15th January 2026**. Applications are reviewed continuously we encourage you to apply soon!

Further info: on the company: <https://avika.catering/>

on this job vacancy: Mrs. Kavya Burla (chef and manager) - jobs@avika.no

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