



# L.B.J. & C. Head Start

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## Outside Job Advertisement

July 14, 2025

Penny Meadows, Head Start Director, is advertising to fill a position vacancy.

**Position:** Cook

**Location:** Smith County Head Start  
Carthage, Tennessee

**Fringe Benefits:** Health, Dental, Vision, and Life Insurance, Retirement Program, Paid Holidays, Sick and Annual Leave.

**The salary is:** \$14.79 per hour, 8 hours per day

### **Job Qualifications:**

#### **Requirements:**

1. Minimum proof of high school diploma or equivalent.
2. Willingness to learn Agency Policies & Procedures and follow Head Start requirements.
3. Ability to pass physical examination prior to beginning work and every year thereafter.
4. Possess a valid Driver's License.
5. Furnish own transportation to travel within designated service area.
6. Must complete satisfactory criminal background check prior to hire and as required thereafter.
7. Drug testing as required.
8. Resume submitted with job application.

#### **Preferred:**

1. One-year experience in quantity cooking preferred.
2. Experience working with groups from low-income, community service, or non-profit.
3. Bilingual (English/Spanish) preferred.

All applications must be on the Corporation's current employment form. The applicant must also submit three references, which will be check in accordance with State licensing requirements.

The application must be submitted no later than **July 21, 2025** to the L.B.J. & C. Development Corporation, 1150 Chocolate Drive, Cookeville, Tennessee 38501-2206. Applications received by mail must be postmarked no later than **July 21, 2025**.

For information contact Gale Stone at (931) 528-3361, ext. 228 Application forms are available at the L.B.J. & C. Central Office, Head Start Centers, Indeed.com, or [www.lbjc.org](http://www.lbjc.org).

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