Mise en Place (Meez-On-Plahss)

Planning & Organizing for Prep
Everything in Place
All Your Ducks in a Row

The term used in professional kitchens to describe the organizing and arranging of the work space, ingredients and equipment before beginning to cook.

It translates directly from French as, <u>"to put in place"</u>

- Saves time by having everything ready to combine.
- Eliminates the chance of culinary disasters that occur from lack of preparation
- Save space on the counterrrs



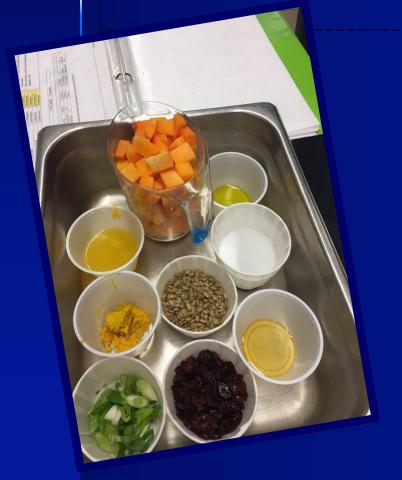
Why Practice Effective Mise en Place????????



What's wrong with this?



EXAMPLES OF EFFECTIVE MISE EN PLACE





Disadvantages of Mise en Place

- Takes extra time at the beginning to prepare
- May take a few more dishes

Advantages of Mise en Place

- Less stressful cooking
- Know that you have all the necessary ingredients
- Won't overcook foods while trying to prepare the next ingredient
- Saves time and energy running around looking for food items while cooking