

Employment Skills Positions 2023

Employer information for all the following positions:

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All positions are part time, after school, or over the summer with flexible hours. All information used should be factual.

Farm Soil Sampler

Reporting to a District Operations Manager, you will use GPS equipment and specialized vehicles to collect soil samples from our customer's fields, to be analyzed for a Farmers Edge laboratory. In this role you will travel and sample a territory in and around your local area. Key tasks are to travel to assigned rural locations to take core soil samples from grower's fields, ensure quality control and accurate recording of sample data, regularly communicate with leadership to discuss field conditions, and safe operation of motorized vehicles and specialized sampling equipment.

Field Worker Nursery

The primary responsibilities are performing all tasks related to nursery operations including but not limited to: planting (by hand or mechanically), cultivate, preparing packets and media for planting, tissue sampling, re-array, selections, transplanting, harvesting, threshing and packaging resulting seed (manually and/or using hand tools/equipment), scouting, rogueing, thinning, weeding, tagging; take a tissue sample (Ex. leaf) and deposit it on a special container provided for analysis; collects and enters data using agriculture technologies; manually weed fields during the growing cycle of the crops; use and maintain in good conditions the personal protection equipment (PPE).

Ranch Hand

Looking for a dedicated part-time, including weekends, ranch hand for the corporate owned ranch. The ranch hosts corporate employees and hunters for the majority of the year with an extremely busy hunting season. Key responsibilities include: ensure all water wells and troughs are full and functioning properly, maintain salt and mineral program, fill protein feeders using a feed truck, provide water and feed for livestock, inspect livestock for signs of injury or illness, assist with administering medications and vaccines to livestock, lawn care within the irrigated and fenced yards, assist guest hunters and provide transportation to and from hunting stands, and plant and cultivate pivots for wildlife forage

Food Science Creation, Design and Development Intern

The responsibilities within this internship is to batch, make minor base modifications, screen ingredients and execute minor formulation changes with supervision of the Scientist; update formulas accordingly in the formula database, generate data for customer demo sheets and prepare sample shipments, understand and perform basic math conversions, maintain lab safety, organization and cleanliness; take personal responsibility to engage in plant and food safety practices to prevent hazards that cause foodborne illness or injury and provide a clean, safe work environment, and monitor and order stock of ingredients for use in sampling; correctly store all products to ensure product integrity.

Team Member (Cashier/Sales Associate/Retail)

This position is responsible for interacting with customers and team members, supporting selling initiatives and performing assigned tasks, while providing legendary customer service. Essential duties are to maintain regular and predictable attendance, take the initiative to support selling initiatives, operate cash register/computer following cash handling procedures, assemble merchandise, perform janitorial duties, execute price changes/markdowns, assist customers with loading purchases, and sanitize and maintain poultry holding tanks and care for birds as required.