



Seasonal Gardener Position

Position description:

The Cedar Valley Arboretum & Botanic Gardens is hiring one (1) seasonal gardener for our 2020 season. We are looking for an individual who is hard-working, friendly, and loves to be outside. 90-95% of work time will be spent outdoors, rain or shine. Applicants shouldn't be afraid to get their hands dirty. Seasonal gardeners will report directly to the Executive Director.

Job Duties:

- Weeding various areas of the Arboretum's 40 acres
- Watering, often daily during the hottest parts of the season
- Planting and transplanting various annuals, perennials, trees, and shrubs
- Frequent weed trimming with a gas powered weed trimmer
- Working in all types of weather conditions (rain, heat, humidity, etc.)
- Often requires lifting 50+ pounds
- Mulching garden beds
- Maintaining the Arboretum's trail system
- May include driving a golf cart, tractor, mowers, or Gator
- Setting up Children's Garden each morning
- Cleaning of Education Center facilities
- Working in the Welcome Center, greeting guests, on occasion

Qualifications:

- Valid Driver's License
- Preference given to those with outdoor work experience
- Applicants should be able to multitask, work alone or with a group, and be able to follow instructions
- Applicants must be 18 years of age or older

Work Schedule:

- Mid-April – Mid-October
- Monday-Saturday, 8am-3pm, approximately
- 35 - 40 hours/week

Compensation:

- \$12.00 / hour

How to Apply:

Please email resumes to office@cedarvalleyarboretum.org . Please include three (3) references (names, phone numbers, and relationship to applicant) in your initial email.