

**Sanborn Mills Inc.**  
**2021 Draft Animal Farm Internship**  
**Job Description & Scope of Work**



**About the Internship:**

The goal of the Draft Animal Farm internship is to provide a hands-on educational experience in the art and skill of draft animal use on a New England farm. With supervision from the Farm Manager, the intern will work to develop skills needed to safely utilize draft animals in a traditional New England farming environment. Skills such as harnessing, yoking, line of draft, equipment set up, equipment maintenance, and field and garden lay out. The intern will be given the opportunity to learn these skills through daily hands-on farm work with draft animals. The intern will also work with the Sanborn Mills Inc.'s gardeners to help provide high quality food and grains by using best past practices.

**Hours/Compensation:**

The Sanborn Mills Farm Internship is a 13 week program with an estimated 40 hours per week that includes some weekend chores. Compensation will be processed weekly based upon an hourly rate of \$ 15.00. Housing will be provided in the Red House. Meals are not included but there is a shared kitchen available in the Red House for preparing meals.

**Primary Duties/ Responsibilities:**

- Assist teamsters with daily activities
  - Care and driving draft animals
  - The use of draft animals in grain and row crop fields
  - Utilizing draft animals in vegetable gardens
  - Working in the forest (firewood and logging)
  - Training draft animals
- Assist with vegetable gardens
  - Weeding, disease, and pest control
  - Planting, harvest, wash, and storage of vegetables
  - Composting
  - Watering
- Chores (Occasional/as needed)

I agree to the above scope of work:

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Date

F. Colin Cabot, SMI ED Pro Tem

Date