

SANBORN MILLS Inc.
Position Description



Job Title: Assistant Vegetable Gardener
Reports To: Farm Manager

Mission

Sanborn Mills Farm preserves and teaches traditional New England craft and farming skills through hands-on education.

Vision

The Mission, Programs, and work at Sanborn Mills Farm cultivate and promote community and environmental stewardship to foster a sense of place and respect for knowledge.

Position Summary

Sanborn Mills Farm (SMF) is seeking an Assistant Gardener to aid in all aspects of care for the vegetable gardens. Working closely with the Vegetable gardener, the assistant gardener will effectively maintain the vegetable gardens through all manner of horticultural applications. This is a full-time Seasonal position. The standard work schedule is (8) hours a day (40) hours a week between the month of March through November. Some weekend work is required. The position requires a working knowledge of vegetable plants, seed starting, and soil building, and a strong work ethic.

Primary Responsibilities

- Assists in all vegetable gardening duties.
- Task will include but not limited to seed starting, bed prepping/soil building, direct seed sowing, transplanting, accurate weed identification/removal, watering, harvesting, and record keeping.
- Natural pest and disease control
- Help maintain a clean and orderly work environment
- Assist the Farm team with any other duties

Qualifications

- 2 years gardening, farming, or equivalent experience preferred, but willing to train a hardworking and motivated person
- Must be able to work outdoors in all conditions and perform repetitive tasks for prolonged periods
- Able to lift 50 pounds
- Have the ability to work independently or with a team.
- Comfortable with a flexible daily task schedule

Please send resume, cover letter, and (3) references to Farm Manager, ray@sanbornmills.org