

Farm Store Associate

Location: Clover Nook Farm, 50 Fairwood Rd, Bethany, CT 06524

About Us

Clover Nook Farm is a family-run farm with a history dating back to 1765. We take pride in growing high-quality produce, raising livestock, supporting other small, local farms and businesses, and offering a farm store full of quality items. Our mission is to provide the community with the best farm-fresh products while practicing sustainable agriculture.

Position Overview

We're looking for friendly, reliable individuals to join our farm store team! Farm Store Associates play a key role in providing excellent customer service, keeping our store running smoothly, and sharing the farm experience with our community. Don't have previous farm shop experience? Don't worry. We offer on the job training for the right candidate. Whether you're a high school student looking for a first summer job, an adult seeking part-time work, or someone interested in a full-time position, we welcome all applicants.

This is a **seasonal or year-round** position with **flexible hours**. Shifts vary based on store needs, and weekend availability is a plus but not required. This position can be seasonal or year-round, with the potential for part-time roles to transition into full-time if desired and able to.

Responsibilities

- Provide excellent customer service in all aspects, both over the phone and in person
- Assist shoppers with inquiries, purchases, and other transactions
- Operate Checkout counter/ cash register operation (sales, returns, discounts, etc.)
- Stock and organize all retail displays. Ensure only high quality, unblemished fresh produce is displayed
- Wash, sort, and pack fresh produce for display
- Maintain a clean and welcoming retail space
- Follow directions and work on tasks assigned by the Retail Manager and collaborate with team members as needed
- Assist with the intake process of deliveries (checking in, stocking, etc.)
- Assist at offsite farmers' markets if needed

What We're Looking For

- A friendly, outgoing personality with good communication skills
- Ability to correctly identify different types of produce
- Someone who works well both independently and with others
- An individual with integrity, who is eager to learn, and takes pride in their work
- Someone who listens to and adheres to instructions

- Ability to work in a fast-paced environment where multi-tasking is sometimes necessary
- Comfort and efficiency handling cash register transactions and various forms of currency
- Comfort making and taking phone calls
- Comfort using an iPad-based point-of-sale system
- Basic math skills for making change without computer assistance
- Ability to lift up to 50 lbs safely, repeatedly, and easily
- Interest in local food, sustainability, and farm-fresh produce
- Some weekend availability is a plus, but not required.

Perks & Benefits

- Wage commensurate with experience
- Employee discount for use with any in-store purchases
- Free fresh produce grown on the farm
- Flexible scheduling
- Hands-on experience working at a 9 generation family farm!

If you enjoy working with people, have a strong work ethic, and love good food, we'd love to have you on our team!

How to Apply

Complete our employee application form and submit it along with a resume (if applicable) to clovernookfarm@gmail.com