

Job Application

Cook's Valley Farm is taking job applications for the 2018 season. We are looking for people to work the Cook's Valley Farm booth at farmers markets, people to work in the production of fruits and vegetables, and people to work in the retail farm stand. Below is a brief description of the various jobs followed by an application form.

Farmers Markets

Must Have:

- Must be energetic and able to frequently lift and carry 50 lbs.
- Have a valid driver's license with a good driving record
- Be able to drive a cargo van in and around Providence, RI
- Able to multi-task and work quickly and efficiently
- Markets run from June thru October-part time seasonal job (every week)

Ideal:

- Enjoy the outdoors and able to work in any weather condition
- Present themselves in a professional clean approachable manner
- Be able to work independently and able to improvise when things don't go as planned
- Have a passion for food and agriculture-represent Cook's Valley Farm in a positive manner

Responsibilities required but not limited to:

- Driving the van to and from the market-able to back a van with mirrors
- Setting up and taking down the tables, tent, produce and signs
- Pack and unpack the van
- Most important sell produce

Field Help

Must Have:

- Must be energetic and able to frequently lift and carry 50 lbs.
- Be able to work quickly and efficiently
- Be able to work independently without supervision
- Be able to work as a team when required
- Be able to use hand garden tools well
- Enjoy the outdoors and be able to work in any weather condition
- Be able to communicate in English

Ideal:

- Have a valid driver's license with a good driving record
- Able to work from June thru October
- Able to drive and operate farm equipment is desirable

Responsibilities Required but not Limited to:

- Assist in all aspects of vegetable and fruit production-field preparation, seeding, transplanting, pruning, trellising, weed control, harvesting, clean up

Retail Stand

Must Have:

- A friendly outgoing personality-enjoy interacting and helping customers
- Have a passion for food and agriculture-represent Cook's Valley farm in a positive manner
- Present themselves in a professional clean approachable manner
- Must be energetic and able to lift and carry 50 lbs.
- Be organized and efficient

Ideal:

- Good communication skills-able to answer customer's questions
- Able to work part time from late June to the end of October
- Be able to work independently-without constant supervision

Responsibilities Required but not Limited to:

- Work the counter waiting on our customers in a friendly helpful manner
- Keep the stand neat, clean and well stocked
- Prep produce for various markets

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Employment Application

Name _____

Address _____ **email** _____

Phone Number _____ **Date of Birth** _____

List Last 3 Employers

Name	Address	Phone number	Relationship
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____

List 3 References:

Name	Address	Phone Number	Relationship
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
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Are you looking for employment for working the farmers markets, field work, or the stand?

How many hours a week are you looking to work? What days and hours are you available?

When are you not available?

You would be working outside where there is pollen, bees, occasionally poison ivy, etc. Are there any allergies that we would need to know about?

You need to be able to lift and carry 50 lbs. easily. Is this something that you are able to do?

Have you ever operated heavy equipment or farm machinery? If so what types of equipment?

Do you have a valid driver's license and a good driving record?

Have you worked on any kind of farm? If so what kind of work did you do?

