

CLOVERLEIGH FARM
Farm Crew Member

This position is perfect for those interested in becoming involved in the local food movement through the production of organic vegetables. Cloverleigh Farm is a small-scale diversified farm that provides a Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program to residents of eastern Connecticut in addition to sales to restaurants and the local food co-op.

The farm crew will be involved in all facets of production: seeding, transplanting, weeding, harvesting, washing & packing. The work is very physical and is geared toward those to love to learn and work in an outdoor environment. This is seasonal work May-August with possible continuation through the fall if interested, as farm work demands large harvests in the autumn months and continues into December. Work schedule can be tailored to your schedule and days/times are flexible but must remain consistent during the summer season. General work times: 6am to 5pm M-F during the high season.

Requirements:

- Positive attitude and great work ethic
- Interest in working outdoors in hot, cold, buggy, rainy, sunny conditions
- Ability to kneel, bend, walk, lift, and carry 30-40 lb. crates of vegetables repeatedly and consistently
- Comfortable taking direction and asking good questions
- Good communication skills
- Comfortable working alone, in pairs, or small groups
- Attention to detail and ability to focus
- Interest in high quality vegetable production and organic growing practices

Compensation:

- Hourly pay, commensurate on experience
- Workers Compensation Insurance
- Seasonal farm share plus extras as available
- Contentment in knowing you play a critical role in the development of a growing farm business

Candidates will be required to visit the farm and participate in an hour of work. Interested folks should send a letter of interest and resume to:

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