Red Butte Garden – Horticulture

The Horticulture Department at Red Butte Garden is seeking seasonal gardeners who want to work with and learn more about plants and gardening. Do you like nature or being outdoors? Would you enjoy learning more about gardening, and working with people who are passionate about plants and nature? We strongly prefer people who are committed to the role of a Botanical Garden and want to be a part of a great team!

Exact duties vary depending upon assigned team.

1) Outdoor Garden: planting, weeding, mulching, deadheading, pruning, watering, fertilization, pest control, trash removal, sweeping, event support, etc.

2) Entrance & Natural Areas: same as above and including trail maintenance and noxious weed removal, etc.

3) Greenhouse: plant production, indoor and outdoor seasonal displays including watering, transplanting, weeding, deadheading, pruning, fertilization, pest control, sweeping, event support, etc.

4) Irrigation/Lawns/Equipment: push mowing, weed-eating, irrigation system repairs, trash removal, sweeping, event support, etc.

Related experience preferred but not required.

Prefer people who enjoy gardening and working with plants and/or a desire to learn more, and are able to work outdoors in a variety of weather conditions and temperature extremes.

Must have a valid Utah vehicle operator’s license required; and demonstrated human relations and effective communication skills. Must commit to working 16-29 hrs/wk beginning early March, have proven written and oral communication skills, a commitment to provide excellent customer service and ability to work cooperatively with others, and understand the physical commitment required for gardening.

For more information and to apply, submit an application on-line at http://www.employment.utah.edu/staff/index.php

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