



Job Posting: Assistant Grower (Surrey, B.C. Site)

Pan American Nursery Products is a major wholesaler of plants to garden centres throughout Canada and the United States. With locations in Surrey, BC and Millgrove, Ontario we have seen growth accelerate in the last number of years. We require an assistant grower to aid in the care of the plants and day to day monitoring of the nursery.

Responsibilities:

- Work with nursery manager to produce and ship high quality product across multiple product categories.
- Managing, training, and mentoring staff.
- Staying up to date on current horticultural practices.
- Irrigation monitoring and adjustment.
- Checking crops and monitoring for pests.
- Applying pesticides as required.
- Maintaining clear records of all above procedures, and decisions.
- Regularly inspecting nursery buildings, structures and equipment. Reporting maintenance to nursery manager.
- Working in adverse weather conditions and staying physically able to meet demands of the position.
- Being available to work extended hours during peak season from January to June.
- Be willing to assist in other areas as required.

Education and qualifications:

- Highly motivated to continually improve production; providing top quality plants to our customers.
- Two-year diploma in horticulture / nursery production or equivalent experience.
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively with the team.
- Excellent English communication skills both oral and written.
- Must have strong organization and planning skills paired with attention to detail.
- Proficient in Microsoft office (Outlook, Word and Excel).
- Experience with Argus and web based inventory management systems are a plus.
- Must have a certified pesticide applicator certificate. Or, be willing to get certified at the next available date.

Compensation:

- Salary of \$40,000 – \$50,000 per year to start. May be adjusted based on experience.
- Company benefit package: Medical & Extended Health.
- Appreciation Bonus based on company performance.

Please submit cover letter and resume to:

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