



Position Posting: PRODUCTION NURSERY WORKER (full time, seasonal)

Located in Abbotsford, 50 Km east of Vancouver in British Columbia's beautiful Central Fraser Valley, Van Belle Nursery is a leading propagator and wholesale supplier of shrubs and perennial plants. Founded in 1973, Van Belle Nursery ships to customers throughout North America, primarily in zones 3-6. Our facilities are modern and our product line is continually expanding with the newest varieties.

Our **Production Nursery Workers** are a part of every stage of plant production in propagating new plants from cuttings to shipping plants to customers.

Job Responsibilities:

Reporting to a Supervisor and the Operations Manager, your responsibilities include:

1. everything related to plant care including weeding, watering, fertilizing, potting up, pruning, and winterizing;
2. Moving plants around the nursery;
3. Assisting with propagation as requested, including taking cuttings, and sticking plugs or cuttings into liners;
4. Preparing plants for shipping, including pulling orders, grading, boxing, stacking, crating, and wrapping;
5. Performing pesticide and fungicide duties as required; and
6. Performing other tasks as needed.

Qualifications:

1. Hard working self-starter who can work unsupervised quickly and efficiently;
2. Willing to work outdoors in all weather conditions, enjoy consistent hours, and are willing to work extra hours including Saturdays from March through July;
3. Positive attitude;
4. Horticulture knowledge and experience is an asset but not required;
5. Requires repetitive bending, twisting, pulling, and lifting of up to 40 lbs;
6. Requires standing for long periods of time;
7. Van Belle Nursery is a smoke free workplace.

Remuneration:

1. Starting wage of \$12.65 per hour + 4% vacation pay;
2. Potential for profit share earnings;
3. Paid statutory holidays;
4. Employee discounts on plant purchases.

Term of Employment:

We are seeking to fill 105 available positions. Work dates vary with start dates from mid January 2019 to mid April 2019; work end dates vary from end of June 2019 to mid December 2019. Due to the seasonal nature of the work, work end dates are subject to change.

Work locations:

1. 34825 Hallert Road, Abbotsford, BC V3G 1R3
2. 35388 Hallert Road, Abbotsford, BC V3G 1R2
3. 4262 Wright Street, Abbotsford, BC V2S 7Y8
4. 34819 Harris Road, Abbotsford, BC V3G 1R7

How to apply:

If you would like to apply to join our team, please submit a resume and cover letter, to our Human Resources Administrator:

Email to: hr@vanbelle.com, fax to: 604-853-6282, or drop off weekdays from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm to:
Van Belle Nursery, Inc.
34825 Hallert Rd
Abbotsford, BC V3G 1R3

Learn more about our company at www.vanbelle.com.

We thank all applicants for their interest, but only those selected for interview will be contacted.