

Bridging The Gap

Job title	<i>Seasonal Laborer</i>
Reports to	<i>Heartland Tree Alliance Program Manager</i>
Status	<i>Part Time – Seasonal</i>

Job purpose

The Seasonal Laborer will support the establishment of recently planted trees throughout the Kansas City metro by watering, pruning, and mulching.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities

- Hand water newly planted trees in parks and adjacent to the street
- Follow and perform maintenance schedule of trees
- Drive a BTG truck with water tank to assigned locations
- Use hand tools to prune branches of young trees
- Load and unload debris from truck and trailer
- Use hand tools to spread woodchip mulch around newly planted trees in parks and adjacent to streets
- Track and collect data in the field
- Participate in -organization's all-staff events and meetings, as required
- Assist in tool maintenance and the loading and unloading tools and supplies
- Represent BTG and maintain positive interactions with the public and project partners
- Be a supportive member of the team by being considerate and helpful
- Other job-related duties as requested and subject to reasonable accommodation

Qualifications

- Must have a valid driver's license and good driving record
- Experience driving a pick-up truck and trailer desired
- Capable of regular and on-time attendance
- Able to do diligent physical work all day and to lift 50 pounds
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- All candidates will be subject to a background check

Working condition

Primarily working outdoors (>75%) in a variety of weather conditions. Potential for extremes of heat and rain.

Must be able to move 40-50 pound potted trees and bags of mulch from the truck bed to the ground and around the planting site. Load and unload brush from trailer. Ability to get in and out of the truck bed.

Salary & Benefits

Flexible scheduling, when appropriate and supportive team atmosphere.

Starting pay: \$17.00/hour

Bridging The Gap is an equal opportunity employer and understands the value of having a team with a diversity of experiences and perspectives to optimize our potential for compassion, collaboration, creativity, and excellence in service. BTG encourages people from all backgrounds and perspectives to apply.

To apply, please submit an application online [here](#) or the link and job description can be found on www.bridgingthegap.org. Resumes/cover letters are welcome, however, not required. For further information, please contact: Glenda Swinton: Glenda.swinton@bridgingthegap.org