

SUGAR CANE GROWERS COOPERATIVE OF FLORIDA

JOB AVAILABLE

POSITION TITLE ONE (1) LABORATORY ASSISTANT
DEPARTMENT LABORATORY, DEPT. 12
REPORTS TO: AUBREY TROTMAN, LAB SUPERVISOR
HOURLY RATE OF PAY \$16.68
EMPLOYMENT STATUS SEASONAL (CROP SEASON)
DATE OF POSTING MARCH 10, 2021
IF YOU MEET THE REQUIREMENTS DESCRIBED BELOW, CONTACT THE HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE BY 5:00PM ON: MARCH 13, 2021

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES:

Technical assistance duties and responsibilities for the Laboratory.

SPECIFIC DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Daily stock readings, monitor sample points, determination of preparation index, perform color, moisture and ash analysis on sugar, and analyses of juice and mill waste. Additional responsibilities also include filing, sample maintenance, Lab maintenance, maintaining inventory in the satellite lab as well as molasses analysis.

OTHER DUTIES MAY INCLUDE:

Any other tasks required from time to time as may be assigned.

EQUIPMENT / TOOLS USED:

Pickup truck, pH Meter, NIR, Refractometer, Spectrophotometer, balance, Ash Meter, Polarimeter, NIR, various lab ware and various maintenance equipment.

LICENSES REQUIRED: None

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

Two (2) year Associate of Science Degree with at least one (1) year of experience in Laboratory processes and procedures. Must have **intermediate** level organization and troubleshooting skills and have knowledge of scientific method. Additionally, must be able to read method sheets, manuals and use computers and their related peripherals. Must be able to work in standing, sitting, walking, bending, climbing, reaching and kneeling position. As well, must be able to occasionally lift at least 60 pounds.