

Heritage Prairie Farm in Elburn, IL is looking for a seasonal Farmer's Market Associate for the 2023 season. We are a small, certified organic farm that specializes in vegetables, microgreens, weddings, and private events.

The Farmer's Market Associate will be responsible for running of markets at designated locations. Our ideal candidate has enthusiasm for agriculture, knowledge of seasonal vegetables, and a shared sense of purpose for organic food production.

Farmer's Market Associate

As the Farmer's Market Associate you will share in the following responsibilities:

- Transportation of supplies and produce to markets - this can include setting up tables, canopies, coolers, signage, stocking products, and making the market site ready for sales in a timely and organized fashion
- Set up and breakdown of market booth
- Sales and distribution of produce
- Processing credit/debit card and cash payments
- Provide basic knowledge of product and ability to answer customer questions
- Facilitating CSA and online order pickups at market
- Maintaining opening and closing inventory
- Performs other tasks assigned by Ownership

Qualifications:

- Passion for horticulture and basic knowledge of Heritage Prairie Farm produce
- Strong customer service and sales skills
- Valid Driver's License
- Weekend availability: Friday evenings June-October 2PM-8PM and Saturday mornings, April - November 6th 6AM-3PM.
- Must be able to lift and carry 20+ pounds
- Ability to stand for extended periods of time, kneel, bend, and lift
- Professional and positive attitude and communication skills
- Must be willing to work outside in a variety of weather conditions
- Previous experience working with plants or outdoors is appreciated but not required
- Retail and cash handling experience

At Heritage Prairie Farm, we're committed to being a great place to work. From growth opportunities to a fun culture, we provide a foundation for building successful careers. Our company culture fosters diversity, teamwork, guest service and individual accountability.

Terms of Employment:

Roughly 15 hours per week

\$25 hourly