Vegetable Grower / Horticulturist

An Tairseach Organic Farm and Ecology Centre in Wicklow Town has been at the forefront of the organic food movement acquiring organic status back in 2006. The 70-acre organic farm now produces an abundance of organic vegetables as well as organic beef & pork which we sell in our organic Farm Shop.

About the Role

Reporting to the Farm Manager, the Vegetable Grower/Horticulturist must have an interest in working outdoors and producing organic vegetables. A passion for horticulture and drive to achieve results are essential for this role.

Roles and Responsibilities

- Work with the farm team to grow our organic vegetables in our garden.
- Preparation of soil.
- Seeding, planting and weeding of vegetables in garden and polytunnels.
- Harvesting of vegetables and preparing vegetables for sale in our farm shop and farm markets.
- Work at the farm market in Killruddery every Saturday.
- Helping to keep the grounds tidy around farm shop and farm yard.
- Comply with all HACCP, health & safety, and organic regulations at all times.

Key Requirements:

- Full driver's licence.
- Experience of working as a Gardener would be an advantage.
- A horticulture qualification would be an advantage but not essential.
- To be physically fit and enjoy working outdoors in all weathers.
- Team player.
- Pro-active and self-motivated.
- English speaking essential.

Hours: Part time. 31 hours over 4 days per week (including Saturdays).