

FARM EQUIPMENT OPERATOR JOB POSTING



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COMPANY PROFILE

Dorenberg Orchards is a proud third-generation, family-owned farm in Lake Country, BC, dedicated to producing high-quality apples and wine grapes through innovative and sustainable farming practices. Spanning 40 acres of high-density apple orchards—including Sunrise, Gala, and Ambrosia—and an additional 10-acre vineyard, we are committed to excellence in every harvest.

As a small, close-knit team, we believe in working together at all levels, embracing a hands-on approach where everyone contributes to all aspects of farm operations. Whether it's tending the orchards, operating equipment, or problem-solving in the field, we take pride in our collaborative spirit and shared dedication to growing exceptional fresh produce.

JOB DESCRIPTION

We are looking for an energetic, well-rounded individual who is passionate about agriculture to join our year-round team. The ideal candidate will have experience working on a farm, be familiar with operating tractors and other farm machinery, and be able to work both independently and as part of a team. This position involves a variety of responsibilities related to the operation and maintenance of farm equipment, crop management, and general farm infrastructure.

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Safely operate and maintain various types of farm equipment, including tractors, machinery, and tools.
- Perform routine maintenance and repairs on equipment, machinery, farm infrastructure (fence, trellis, irrigation systems) and farm buildings.
- Maintain cleanliness and organization of equipment, tools, and work areas.
- Adhere to all health and safety policies and practices. Ensure proper safety protocols are followed, especially when handling heavy equipment and performing lifting tasks.
- Assist with general farm tasks, including seasonal tasks and general farm duties such as planting, irrigation, and harvesting.
- Collaborate with team members to achieve overall farm goals.
- Perform other duties as required by the farm management team

QUALIFICATIONS

- Experience operating farm equipment and machinery (tractors, tools, etc.).
- Ability to perform routine maintenance and repairs on equipment and farm infrastructure.
- Strong work ethic and ability to follow detailed instructions.
- Ability to perform physical tasks including standing for 9 hours per day and lifting 50 pounds in varying weather conditions.
- Ability to follow safety protocols and adhere to health and safety regulations.

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- Excellent communication skills and the ability to work well with a team.
- Willingness to learn and grow with opportunities for further training and development.
- Valid Class 5 BC Driver's Licence with clean abstract.
- Minimum 1 year farm experience and 1 year equipment operation required.
- Ability to use basic computer software such as Microsoft Word and Excel is considered an asset.

WAGE:

- \$19-24/hour

START DATE:

- January 2026

HOW TO APPLY:

- Canadian citizens, permanent residents, and those with valid open work permits are welcome to apply with a cover letter and a resume on our website. www.dorenbergorchards.com
- Nous parlons français. Indiquez-le si vous êtes francophone.