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## Organic Vegetable Farm Worker

The Organic Vegetable Farm Workers assist the farmer with all aspects of growing and harvesting about 50 different crops in our 1.5 acre organic garden and caring for our flock of laying hens. Primary tasks will vary with the season and may include chicken chores, seedling production in the greenhouse (mixing potting soil, seeding, watering), transplanting and seeding in the garden, weeding, harvesting and packing vegetables for our Community Shared Agriculture (CSA) program. Most of the work is done by hand or with hand tools and wheel hoes. Please visit our website ([www.rootradicalrows.com](http://www.rootradicalrows.com)) for more information about our farm.

One part-time position is available. The position starts immediately and runs to the end of October when our harvest season wraps up.

### **Successful candidates must have:**

- The mental, emotional and physical endurance to do physical labour and repetitive tasks
- The ability to do physical work outdoors in a variety of spring, summer and fall weather conditions
- An ongoing commitment to skills improvement
- The ability to function as a team player

### **Other requirements:**

- Strong interest in organic agriculture
- Must have transportation to the Howe Island ferry (16 km from both Gananoque and downtown Kingston). Most of the time carpooling may be arranged with other worker(s)
- A drivers licence is an asset

### **Remuneration:**

- \$10.25 per hour
- Organic food: seasonal vegetables and six eggs per week while employed at the farm.

### **Hours of work:**

Approximately 7 to 8 hours per day for 3-4 days per week totalling about 20-30 hours per week. Must be available to work Tuesdays and Fridays (other days of work are flexible but fall between Monday and Friday). At times our work will be weather dependant and the hours may be reduced if the soil is too wet to work.

### **How to apply:**

A resume and introductory letter can be sent to Emily Dowling, 454 North Shore Rd, RR #4 Gananoque ON, K7G 2V6 or [emily@rootradicalrows.com](mailto:emily@rootradicalrows.com).