

PEST CONTROL TECHNICIAN

GENERAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Perform skilled work in the control of pests and weeds in and around school buildings.

ESSENTIAL TASKS

(These are intended only as illustrations of the various types of work performed. The omission of specific duties does not exclude them from the position if the work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to the position.)

- Spray, fog, bait and trap to control pests and weeds in and around school buildings.
- Control roaches, ants, rodents, birds, snakes, termites, etc.
- Inspect property, determine problem and implement the most effective solution.
- Receive work orders and work requests, determine nature of the problem and undertake necessary actions.
- Ensure safety of students, teachers and employees while performing duties.
- Operate spraying equipment, bait gun, power fogger and various power and hand tools in performance of duties.
- Maintain records and files and prepares reports on activities.
- Maintain knowledge of applicable laws, rules and regulations governing pesticide application.
- Perform related work as required.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

Thorough knowledge of the common practices, tools and terminology used to control pests and weeds; thorough knowledge of the use and characteristics of pesticides; thorough knowledge of the hazards and safety precautions associated with the work. Ability to work from sketches, drawings, plans or specifications; ability to follow oral and written instructions, ability to apply pesticides chemicals in accordance with established regulations and to read, understand and follow chemical label instructions; ability to perform mathematical calculations to estimate materials and time needed to complete task; ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships and communicate with a diverse population. Skilled in the use of tools and equipment necessary to perform tasks.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

High school or GED plus 3 years experience in the field of commercial pest control; a valid Commonwealth of Virginia Registered Pesticide Technician Certification, Category 7A (General Pest) and 7B (Wood Destroying Pest) required; Certified Pesticide Applicator preferred.

A comparable amount of training and experience may be substituted for the minimum qualifications.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

Some standing, walking, moving, climbing, carrying, bending, kneeling, crawling, reaching, handling, pushing, and pulling. Ability to lift up to 50 lbs.

Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential tasks

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

Possession of a valid driver's license.

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