

Groundskeeper (SHORT-TERM, TEMPORARY)
West Valley-Mission Community College District

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Job Title Groundskeeper (SHORT-TERM, TEMPORARY)
Department West Valley College
Institution West Valley-Mission Community College District
Saratoga, California

Date Posted Oct. 3, 2025

Application Deadline Open until filled
Position Start Date Available immediately

Job Categories Professional Staff

Academic Field(s) Administration - Other

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Job Description

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Closing Date:

Definition:

SHORT-TERM, TEMPORARY STAFF POOL

This recruitment is being conducted to fill temporary assignments for the upcoming semester that can begin as soon as summer 2023. Applications for Short-Term, Temporary Staff pools are continually accepted (unless otherwise specified) by the District and will be added to the application pool for

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review by hiring authorities on an as-needed basis. Should you be invited for an interview, you will be contacted by a District representative.

POSITION DEFINITION

To perform a variety of routine maintenance functions related to grounds maintenance and gardening of campus grounds, landscaped areas, or athletic fields; to operate equipment related to assignment; and to assist with minor maintenance projects on a community college campus.

Assignment:

This is a temporary, hourly position, with possible assignments located at either WVMCCD campus:

- Mission College, Santa Clara, CA
- West Valley College, Saratoga, CA

Generally, most assignments are Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm. Hours may vary depending on departmental needs.

Salary and Benefits:

\$30.86 (hourly)

Due to the temporary nature of this position, benefits are not included.

Desired Qualifications:

Not Applicable

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Knowledge and Abilities:

Examples of Duties and Responsibilities:

EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL DUTIES - Duties may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Mow and edge lawns, using hand and power equipment including gang mowers.
- Spray shrubs, trees, weeds, and lawns, applying appropriate chemicals as necessary.
- Sweep or blow parking lots, roadways, and walkways; pick up litter and refuse.
- Prune trees and other plants; inspect trees for damage from pests and disease; plant, transplant, fertilize, and propagate ornamental plants.
- Use hand tools to work soil and to remove weeds and undergrowth from landscaped areas.
- Prepare athletic fields, including line striping and re-seeding.
- Monitor and treat for pest activity, including gophers, wasps, and others.
- Repair sprinklers, and assist in the repair and installation of irrigation systems; clean drainage and other similar areas.
- May cut sections of sod for replacement.
- Operate, maintain and repair a variety of tools and equipment, including power mowers, trimmers, and all gardening equipment.
- Perform related duties as assigned.

Working Conditions:

Other Duties:

Physical Demands:

Application Information:

APPLICATION INFORMATION:

- Interested applicants must submit online all materials requested, including:
 - A completed online West Valley-Mission Community College District application; and

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■ Resume

- All sections of the online application, including Education and Work History, must be completed thoroughly.
- Supervisor(s) name(s) and telephone numbers must be included in the application.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Do NOT send unrequested materials. Unrequested materials will be removed from your application and will not be used for consideration of employment.
- The employment application and supporting documents represent you; it is to your advantage to fill out the application form carefully and completely.

For reasonable accommodations and assistance, contact:

Office of Human Resources, Attn: Recruitment

14000 Fruitvale Ave, Saratoga, CA 95070

Phone: (408) 741-2174 Fax: (408) 867-9059

Email: Jobs@wvm.edu

Selection Process:

SELECTION PROCESS INFORMATION:

- Applications will be screened by appropriate department representatives on an as-needed basis. Qualified applicants who best meet the needs of the division will be contacted for an interview.
- Travel expenses to attend the interview are the responsibility of the candidate.
- Applications will remain in our online system for 1 year. Each year, part-time pools will be refreshed and applicants will be notified of the opportunity to re-submit application.
- Application materials become the property of the District and will not be returned or duplicated.
- The District reserves the right to contact former, current, the most recent employers, and others to investigate past employment records of applicants.
- Offers of employment are contingent upon the successful clearance from a criminal background check, freedom from tuberculosis, and proof of identity and eligibility to work in the United States prior to the first day of work.

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COVID-19 Vaccine Requirement

West Valley-Mission Community College District is committed to protecting the health and well-being of students, faculty, staff, administrators, and the communities it serves. As such, the Board of Trustees has adopted policies requiring COVID-19 vaccinations for all employees and students of the district. Accordingly, new employees must comply with the vaccine mandate prior to hire. See vaccine mandate information at (<https://www.wvm.edu/covid-19/Pages/District-Vaccination-Policy.aspx>).

Special Instructions to the Applicant:

Posting Detail Information

Posting Number: FY21/22-012POOL

Open Date: 03/11/2022

Close Date:

Open Until Filled: Yes

For more information on this position and to apply, please visit our website at the following link:
wvm.peopleadmin.com

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Contact Information

Please reference Academickeys in your cover letter when

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applying for or inquiring about this job announcement.

Contact

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