

Horticulturist

The ideal candidate is a passionate and knowledgeable plant lover who enjoys working with others and has a strong desire to keep learning and growing in the field of horticulture. The Horticulturist will assist with watering, care and display of plants in the garden center and provide impeccable customer service. This is a retail role that will allow you to get your hands dirty, share your love and knowledge of plants with others and work directly with Tangletown Gardens unique and varied plant inventory. We value curiosity, creativity and continuing education to help each individual grow as part of our talented and hardworking team.

Who we are: Tangletown Gardens is a trend-forward, multi-faceted business that has grown and evolved over two decades. At the heart of everything we do is our 140-acre farm in Plato, MN where we grow plants for our garden center and landscape operations as well as food for our restaurant, CSA program and Farm Direct store. We are committed to growing locally, using regenerative agriculture practices and humane animal husbandry. This means that we actively work to rebuild our soils, we never use harsh chemicals, and our animals are pasture-raised. The garden center in South Minneapolis is a destination where our customers can experience our signature design-driven style and explore ways to go beyond the ordinary. We offer a diverse selection of rare and unusual houseplants, perennials, trees and shrubs, distinctive pottery and garden art and a curated collection of art, gifts and decor. Our landscape and design teams bring the Tangletown Gardens aesthetic to life in public spaces, private gardens, containers and interior plant installations throughout the area.

We are committed to beauty as a core value, creativity as a way of being, and sustainability as the foundational principle of everything we do. We thrive on doing things differently.

What we are looking for:

- Must be able to lift up to 50 pounds repeatedly and up to 70 pounds occasionally throughout the workday.
- Must be able to perform strenuous physical work outside year-round, occasionally under unfavorable weather conditions.
- Ability to interact in an appropriate and professional manner with the general public and staff.
- Strong communication skills.
- Horticulture or related degree, and/or 3+ years of relevant experience.
- Previous experience and knowledge of irrigation and plant maintenance.
- This role is a retail role availability needed weekdays and weekends.
- In-depth knowledge of plant culture and plant identification preferred.
- Design experience a plus.





This job will be:

- Full-Time or Part-Time; Year-Round or Seasonal.
- Weekdays and Weekends, some Holidays.
- Shifts are typically 8.5 hours.
- Weekend availability is required.
- Overtime is available on an as-needed basis.

Why you should join our team:

- Competitive pay based on experience and performance.
- Paid Time Off for all employees.
- Complimentary CSA Share Membership.
- 25% discount at Tangletown Gardens.
- 25% discount at Wise Acre.
- We support and encourage continuing education opportunities including MNLA certification, ProHort Courses through the Arboretum, and others.
- Our people are the most important part of our business and we are committed to helping each individual to grow and thrive during their time with us.

How to join our team: Please send your résumé and cover letter to info@tangletowngardens.com. If you have any questions, please call us at 612-822-4769.

Tangletown Gardens is an equal opportunity employer. We celebrate diversity and are committed to creating an inclusive environment for all employees.

