

May 5, 2023

Student Assistant Worker Position—Soil & Crop Sciences
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension, Lubbock, Texas

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension's alternative crops program based at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research & Extension Center, Lubbock, needs an immediate student assistant in May 2023. The Center is located about 7 miles north of downtown Lubbock just off I-27 at Exit 11 (FM 1294/1102 Drew Street) or just north of Lubbock International Airport.

Major/Essential Duties of Job: Will assist on a range of crops including grain sorghum, sunflower, alfalfa, guar, industrial hemp, sesame, wheat, winter canola, etc. Responsible for assisting project leader, professor & Extension agronomist Dr. Calvin Trostle, and staff with organizing, planting, field maintenance (hoeing, irrigating, recording data), harvesting, and processing plant & soil samples for applied research and/or demonstration trials under the direction of supervisor.

Undergraduate students in this position comment they learned so much about different crops, agronomy, and research it was better than having a three-credit course + lab at Texas Tech Univ.

Required Education: Working toward a B.S. degree in a campus-based scientific agricultural discipline or closely related science.

Farm and/or research experience: Basic knowledge of operating farm machinery is a plus. Also, any previous experience with field research is a plus. Trostle will train as needed.

Preferred work schedule: Up to full time for Summer 2023. Begin 8 to 9 AM Monday through Friday. Position will readily extend to the end of the Fall 2023 semester for part-time work.

Required Licenses: Texas driver's license.

Successful employment is dependent upon passing a State of Texas background/DUI check.

Job Open Date: Immediate. For questions, contact Dr. Trostle through the below phone or email.



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