



agriculture & rural development

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PROVINCE OF KWAZULU-NATAL

Further education and Training Certificate (FET): NQF LEVEL 4 in Plant Production Learnership

The opportunity to acquire skills, knowledge and workplace experience in the field of Plant production and earn a stipend of R3 990.00 for the twelve months' duration of Learnership.

Closing Date: 15 March 2019

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development is looking for persons from various communities, with interest and appropriate qualification to enter into Further Education and Training Certificate in Plant Production Learnership (NQF Level 4).

Basic enlistment requirement

- South African who are in possession of Grade 12/Standard 10 and must have passed English, Maths and Natural Science
- or who have completed NQF 3 in Plant Production

Furthermore, applicant must be South African whom

- Are least 18-35 yrs.;
- Are prepared to subject themselves to written assessment conducted by DARD

The FET Certificate in Plant Production Learnership

This Learnership comprises of 30% of theory work/instructional learning and 70% workplace learning

The Learnership is outcome-based and is intended to contribute towards skills shortage in South Africa

The DARD Learnership is based on a legal binding agreement between the employer, learner and the training service provider

HOW TO APPLY

Complete the application form in your own writing. This application form is obtainable in the DARD website (www.kzndard.gov.za). Make sure that you do not leave empty spaces and the applicant signs the application form. Attach certified copies of your certificates and identity document that are not older

The Learnership programme shall be presented for a period of one year consisting of:

Theory

A 30% intensive instructional learning theory,

Workplace Training

This 70% workplace learning shall take place at the DARD facilities. During this phase, learners shall continue receiving a stipend. Learners shall be responsible for **accommodation, meals and transport**.

The employer shall provide no pension fund, housing allowances, housing subsidy, medical aid nor overtime during the theoretical as well during the practical training.

The learner shall be regarded as competent after the successful completion on the instructional learning phase, the workplace-learning phase and the final submission of the Portfolio of evidence (POE). Also the successful external verification by AgriSeta.

Any contravention or deviation from the Learnership agreement during the twelve months period shall be dealt with by the DARD in accordance with section 17 and 18 of the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998

It should be noted that after the successful completion of your Learnership, FET National Certificate in Plant Production NQF 4 would be issued. However, the Department of Agriculture and Rural Development does not guarantee any permanent employment.

than three months. No late incomplete or unsigned application form shall be accepted. Fax and Emailed application shall not be accepted.

The Department of Agriculture and Rural Development is an equal opportunity employer and the provision of the employment equity act shall be taken into consideration in the enrolment into the Learnership.

Enquiries: Ms NM Mveli 0333559471 Cell. 0765450849 or MP Mthanti 0333559551 Cell 0769356835 or NNT Khambula 0333559272 Cele 0769377373

Application forms can be hand delivered to

The nearest Department of Agriculture and Rural Development Offices

Or

posted to the following address:

The Senior Manager: The Human Resource Development
Department of Agriculture and Rural Development
P/Bag X9059
Pietermaritzburg
3200

NB: Correspondence shall be limited to shortlisted candidates only. Should you not be contacted within three (3) months after the closing date of this advertisement, regard your application for Learnership has been unsuccessful



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