

Job Position Title: Teen Urban Forester

Fall 2017 Session: September 20 – December 6, 2017 Wednesdays, 4:00-6:00pm Saturdays, 8:30am-1:00pm*

*The hours are subject to change and there may be additional special events.

Canopy is an environmental nonprofit that plants and cares for trees where people need them the most in the San Francisco mid-peninsula area. We educate residents about the importance and benefits of trees in the urban environment, inspire environmental stewardship and engage residents in planting and tree care in Palo Alto, East Palo Alto, and neighboring communities.

Canopy is seeking high school students to join the Teen Urban Forester (TUF) team. As a Teen Urban Forester, you will make a positive impact in your community and the environment, gain work experience, gain experience as a leader, and gain knowledge about trees.

Details:

- Part time: 12-14 hours per week
- Starting Pay: \$12/hour
- Responsibilities include: Planting trees; caring for trees by pruning, watering, weeding, mulching; leading volunteers; and helping at events
- Training topics include: Tree planting, tree pruning, tree care, tree identification
- Possibility to continue working through the spring

Preferred Qualifications:

- High school student entering sophomore or junior year
- Dedication to excellence
- Responsible and punctual
- Good communication skills
- Experience volunteering is a plus
- Experience with trees or gardening is a plus, but not required

To apply:

- Fill out the online application at http://canopy.org/our-work/teen-urban-foresters/ or contact Education Manager, Natalie Brubaker at natalie@canopy.org or 650-964-6110 ext. 6.
- Applications are due by September 11, 2017.





