



Paid Internship: Teen Urban Forester

Tryout Date: September 14, 2019

**Location: Rich May Memorial Field (1425 Bay Rd, East Palo Alto, CA 94303)
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM**

Fall Session:

Internship Dates: September 26 – December 14

Optional Days: Some Wednesdays in October (2:00 – 4:30 PM)

Group 1: Thursday (4:00 – 6:30 PM)

Group 2: Friday (4:00 – 6:30 PM)

Saturdays, 8:00am-2:00pm*

*The hours and days 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 paid 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: 6- 10 hours per week
- **Starting Pay: \$15/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
- Dedication to excellence
- Responsible and punctual
- Great 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 the Tree Care and Youth Programs Coordinator, Jack Dorsey at jack@canopy.org

