



**Job Title:** Durham Inner-City Gardeners (DIG) Crew Member, Summer 2021 at SEEDS

**Job Salary:** \$15/hr

**Job Dates & Schedule:** DIG will begin June 5, 2021 and continue through August 7, 2021. The planned DIG Summer Schedule is as follows:

Monday through Friday, from 7am-10am, includes breakfast

**Job Summary:** SEEDS is looking for youth ages 14-20 with an interest in farming, cooking and food justice to join our team as a DIG Crew Member. DIG Crew Members are primarily responsible for managing the DIG urban farm space, harvesting produce for weekly food distribution, and sharing skills with community via skillshare workshops. This will be a learn-work-share environment and will require candidates who are comfortable with being outside, getting dirty, doing physical work, and working alongside members of the community. DIG Crew Members will work alongside and receive mentorship from SEEDS staff and develop peer-to-peer mentorship relationships with other DIG Crew Members.

**Responsibilities and Duties:**

- 12-16 hours per week
- 2-3 hours each week will be cooking and sharing a meal
- 9-12 hours each week will be dedicated to Farm Work, such as:
  - Weeding (5-8hrs each week)
  - Caring for chickens (1 hr each week)
  - Planting & Tending crops (1-6 hrs each week)
  - Harvesting produce and packing food bags (2 hrs each week)
  - Aid Community Members on the Pot Luck Farm (up to 4 hours each week)
- Work outside in heat, cold, and sometimes light rain
  - We do not work outside during storms, if it is colder than 45 degrees, or if it is raining and colder than 55 degrees.
- Attend field trips to local farms, helping with farm projects as well as learning about and connecting to land
- Attend workshops and lessons related to preparing food, food justice, herbal medicine, agroecology, restorative justice, and more

**Desired Qualifications and Skills:** Must be between ages 14-20, no prior farm or cooking experience necessary but an interest and desire to learn are required.

Additional preferred skills: ability to work outside in a farm setting, willingness to engage with community, leadership skills, marketing skills, communication skills, project management skills.

**To apply:** Fill out an application online located at <http://www.seedsnc.org/about-dig/> and send to Trevor (thyde@seedsnc.org)

**Questions:** Contact Trevor [thyde@seedsnc.org](mailto:thyde@seedsnc.org), or with any questions you may have.