



POSITION DESCRIPTION

Farm Support - Farmgate Market Operations

Be part of something beautiful – Join the Green Thumb Farm Team

Location: Green Thumb Farm, Samford Valley

Hours: Saturdays 6:00am – 9:00am

Employment Type: Casual, paid role

Reports to: Farmgate Market Manager

About Green Thumb Farm

Green Thumb Farm is a vibrant, educational, community-focused farm where people of all ages and abilities reconnect with food, nature, and each other.

Our Saturday Farmgate Market is a growing weekly community space offering seasonal produce, seedlings, herbs, baked goods, and local products. It is a hands-on, energetic morning where teamwork helps bring the market to life.

Role Overview

The Farm Support – Farmgate Market Operations role provides hands-on support during the early setup of our Saturday market.

This role is ideal for enthusiastic young people (minimum age 15) who are keen to gain practical experience in a real working market environment and learn about teamwork, farming systems, and community food systems.

You will work as part of the Market Support Team to help prepare the site and ensure the market is ready to open smoothly.

Key Responsibilities

- Assist with early morning market setup (6:00am–9:00am)



- Erect marquees, move tables, and set up signage
- Assist in bringing produce and goods to market stalls
- Support Green Thumb Farm stalls (produce, bakery, and other displays)
- Assist with general farm and garden tasks where required
- Follow all Workplace Health & Safety (OHS) procedures at all times
- Work respectfully as part of a team and follow instructions from supervisors
- Support a positive, calm, and organised market setup environment

Key Attributes / Selection Criteria

Applicants should demonstrate:

- Enthusiasm and reliability
- Willingness to learn and follow instructions carefully
- Ability to do physical work including lifting, carrying, and outdoor tasks
- Respectful communication and a team-focused attitude
- Interest in farming, food systems, or sustainability

Why Join Us

- Gain real, hands-on experience in a working farm and market environment
- Learn practical skills in teamwork, setup, and basic farm operations
- Be part of a supportive and community-focused team
- Contribute to a vibrant weekly market that connects local growers and community

How to Apply

Please submit a short application (1 page) explaining:

- Why you are interested in this role
- Any relevant experience (school, sport, volunteering, or other activities)

Please also include at least one referee (parent, teacher, or coach).

Applications are welcome at any time as we build a small, ongoing Market Support Team.

Send applications to: admin@greenthumbfarm.org.au