



## **Municipality of Southwest Middlesex Horticultural Summer Student**

**Position:** Horticulture Summer Student

**Department:** Community Services and Facilities

**Duration:** May to September 2026

**Rate of pay:** \$18.20 - \$21.30

**Hours:** 40 hours per week

**Vacancy reason:** Summer Contract

### **Description of position:**

Under the general direction of the Manager of Community Services and Facilities, the successful applicant will be responsible for day-to-day operations and maintenance of the community services and facilities department. General maintenance duties at outdoor sports fields, indoor sporting venues, cleaning of washroom facilities, watering flower baskets, and litter/debris pickup. Perform preventative maintenance tasks at municipal amenities. Successful applicants will be required to work within standard operating procedures as outlined by the Municipality of Southwest Middlesex.

### **Qualifications, experience and education:**

- Must be legally eligible to work in Canada
- Valid Standard First Aid and CPR (C) (or willingness to obtain)
- Valid driver's license (G)
- Satisfactory Vulnerable Sector Background Check
- Competency in operating powered maintenance equipment such as mowers, tractors, string trimmers and hand tools
- Experience working in turf management, forestry and horticulture will be considered an asset
- Good knowledge of the methods and best practice for servicing equipment
- Experience with aquatic pool chemistry and mechanics will be considered an asset
- Willingness to work in all weather conditions
- Ability to drive vehicles with trailer attachment

See the full job description at [www.southwestmiddlesex.ca](http://www.southwestmiddlesex.ca).

**How to Apply:**

Please submit your resume and a cover letter outlining your qualifications and relevant experience to the Manager of Community Services and Facilities, Kevin Miller, at [kmiller@southwestmiddlesex.ca](mailto:kmiller@southwestmiddlesex.ca) by **Friday, February 27, 2026 at 4:30 p.m.** In your cover letter, please specify why you are interested in the position and how your skills align with the job requirements.

**Application Deadline:** Friday, February 27, 2026, at 4:30pm

**We thank all applicants for their interest in joining our team. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.**

**Southwest Middlesex is an equal opportunity employer and is committed to inclusive recruitment and selection processes. Please advise us, confidently, of any accommodations needed to ensure your access to a fair and equitable process.**