

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN COLLEGE OF KANSAS

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT: GROUNDSKEEPER

VISION, MISSION, AND PURPOSE

Central Christian College of Kansas is a mission driven institution committed to providing a Christ-Centered Education for Character. As such, Central Christian seeks like-minded individuals, committed to Christian Service and Discipleship, in order to sustain a campus community focused on our vision to provide a transformative educational experience, rooted in Christ, to any person desiring to become a faithful steward of heart, mind, soul, and strength.

Founded in 1884, Central Christian College of Kansas maintains a residential program in McPherson, Kansas, though its mission extends much further through its online and graduate programs. CCKK is affiliated with the Free Methodist Church of North America and welcomes all students regardless of gender, race, ethnicity, disability or economic status. In the same way, Central Christian recognizes the benefits of maintaining a diverse faculty and staff, representing the creativity of a loving and innovative God, and who can provide a wide spectrum of perspectives and experiences. We specifically encourage inquiries from candidates from racial and ethnic backgrounds that are currently underrepresented on our faculty and staff.

SUMMARY DESCRIPTION

Central Christian College is seeking a Groundskeeper. Reporting directly to the Director of Facilities, this position performs work in the maintenance, care, and modification of College grounds and landscapes which includes the operation of electrically-powered and gasoline-powered grounds keeping equipment and machines, and the use of small hand and power tools or equipment in planting, cultivating, and trimming grounds and landscaping. The Groundskeeper also performs maintenance on grounds keeping equipment and tools, and makes minor repairs (within demonstrated capability) as directed. The incumbent also works as a member of the general maintenance team, assisting on projects as needed and time allows.

Position requires the ability to work varied shifts and irregular hours during inclement weather and considerable and strenuous physical exertion such as climbing ladders, handling and mixing of chemicals, exposure to the elements, frequent lifting of objects over 50 pounds, crawling or crouching in restricted areas. Occasional lifting of heavy objects weighing 75 pounds or more is required.

This is a staff position, serving as a non-exempt 12-month employee. The salary is based on credentials and experience. A generous complement of benefits is offered, including health insurance, vacation, personal time, retirement plan contributions, and tuition remission for the employee and his or her dependents. Beyond those measurable benefits, CCKK is a great place to work, with dedicated faculty and staff serving with whole hearts, shaping the next generation of Christian leaders.

As a member of the Association of Free Methodist Educational Institutions and recognizing that College's commitment to its vision and mission, all employees are required to affirm of the College's evangelical statement of faith and lifestyle expectations. The applicant should consider the missional perspective of the College, before applying (<https://www.centralchristian.edu/about/>).

Additional requirements include:

- Must have High School Diploma or higher
- Knowledgeable on aspects of carpet cleaning, floor maintenance, and general cleaning methods
- Have basic math and science skills to dilute and mix chemicals
- Valid driver's license

Interested candidates should submit a cover letter describing their interest in the position and qualifications for this specific position, a resume or curriculum vitae, statement of faith, and the contact information for two professional references and one character reference (include phone and email). **All applications and nominations will be considered highly confidential.** All nominations and applications should be mailed electronically to katherine.potter@centralchristian.edu. The position will remain open until filled.

For a full job description, visit: <https://www.centralchristian.edu/employment/>.

Central Christian College of Kansas reviews all applications and hires individuals based on their qualifications for the position. Therefore, the College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, political affiliation, marital status, parental status, or military or veteran status. As a Christian college, affiliated with the Free Methodist Church of North America, Central Christian College of Kansas asserts its right to employ persons who subscribe to the intent, mission, Statement of Faith, and Core Values of the College, as well as the lifestyle expectations articulated in the Free Methodist Book of Discipline (Para. 3000-3430; 2011).