

## **GROUNDSKEEPER III**

**DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS:** This work involves the supervision of, and participation in, tasks required to properly maintain and develop grounds. The work is performed under the general supervision of the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds or other higher level employee. Supervision is exercised over the work of lower level employees. Does related work as required.

**TYPICAL WORK ACTIVITIES:** The typical work activities listed below, while providing representative examples of the variety of work assignments in the title do not describe any individual position. Incumbents in this title may perform some or all of the following, as well as other related activities not described.

Assigns and instructs grounds crew;

Supervises and participates in the planting and pruning of trees, shrubs and flowers;

Supervises and participates in the maintenance and marking of athletic fields;

Supervises and participates in the cutting, weeding, watering and seeding of grass;

Supervises and participates in the maintenance of driveways and sidewalks;

Supervises and participates in the snow removal and related winter maintenance;

Drives trucks and operates power equipment;

Performs minor maintenance to grounds keeping machinery and equipment.

**FULL PERFORMANCE KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, ABILITIES AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS:** Good knowledge of grounds maintenance activities and equipment; working knowledge of horticultural principles; ability to supervise the work of others; ability to operate a motor vehicle; ability to operate power equipment used in grounds maintenance; ability to follow oral and written instructions; willingness to perform manual work; physical condition commensurate with the demands of the position.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** Two (2) years of full-time paid experience, or its' part-time equivalent, in park or grounds maintenance activities.

**Special Requirement For Appointment:** Possession of an appropriate New York State Driver's License.

ULSTER COUNTY  
3300 GRDSKP III  
Classification: Non-Competitive  
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