

FINDING WORK



Sam's Cleaners

The Company

Sam's Cleaners has operated as an independently owned and managed dry cleaning and commercial laundry for 40 years in Vermilion. The company also operates a coin laundry and drop off laundry service. The company also rents out coveralls, doormats, and kitchen whites and tablecloths.

The company specializes in dry cleaning oilfield coveralls, as well as wedding dresses "and everything in between".

Sam's Cleaners employs four full-time employees and one part-time employee, in the following positions: driver, pressers and relief worker.

The Work

The work environment is busy and employees may be required to work with dry cleaning or chemical solvents and operate pressing/finishing machines at high temperatures. Accordingly, the environment may not be advisable for pregnant workers. At present dry cleaning duties are performed by the owner/manager.

The Ideal Candidate

The ideal candidate for Sam's Cleaners will have the following attributes:

- Friendly and courteous
- Clean and presentable appearance
- Must have good attitude
- Ability to withstand heat
- Ability to stand and/or walk continuously
- Must be in good physical condition
- Able to operate cash register
- WHMIS certification is an asset



Pressers

- Operate big press to press clothes
- Assemble clothes
- Check clothes for stains or damage
- Check finished garments and articles to ensure they are properly dry cleaned or laundered
- Customer service and operation of cash register
- Make change for Laundromat patrons
- May be required to train on and operate dry cleaning machinery
- Clean and maintain dry cleaning area and Laundromat



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- Work with chemicals, removing stains
- Perform laundry tasks: washing, drying and folding towels, sheets and blankets and other items.

Driver

- Must have valid driver's licence
- Able to lift moderate weight, such as door mats
- Makes dry cleaning and laundry deliveries to Wainwright, Lloydminster, Mannville, Derwent, Kitscoty and Elk Point as required
- Must be reliable, with good customer service skills

Training

In-house training is provided to all employees.

Hours of Work, Pay and Benefits

Sam's Cleaners is open from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday and from 9:00 a.m. until 12 Noon on Saturday. Staff work a Monday to Friday eight hour shift.

Salaries are paid in accordance with training and experience. Vacation and vacation pay are provided in accordance with the Labour Standards Act. There is a three month probationary period for all employees. Drivers must produce a Driver's Abstract.

How to Apply

Vacancies are typically advertised in the local newspapers. Candidates wishing to apply to work in this friendly, family oriented business, may apply in person with a résumé. References are required, and applicants will be asked to fill out a company application form.

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