



Urban Tree | Climber

Urban Tree · Hixson, TN

Position Purpose

A Climber is responsible for safely meeting production goals of tree removal/pruning activities as assigned. Climbers are expected to use good judgement and sound industry practices relative to rigging, climbing, and felling trees.

Basic Requirements

- At work, on time every day – “Camera Ready”
- Able to work with hand tools and perform labor related tasks
- Proficient with heavy equipment required for tree removal
- Advanced knowledge of rigging in trees
- Adheres to company policies
- Must maintain a clean driving record and a current health card
- Be able to pass a drug test

Essential Job Functions (NOT a comprehensive list)

Climbing / Trimming

- Trims and/or removes trees by climbing with the aid of a ladder, safety belt, climbing line, powered trimmer lift truck, or works from the ground using gasoline, air, and hand-powered saws, pruner, etc.
- Responsible adhering to safety standards when rigging, climbing, and dropping or lowering branches or trunk sections
- Ensures production goals are met by working safely and efficiently
- Turns in any receipts on time and in order
- Loads and unloads trucks with logs, stumps, brush, and debris and/or feeds brush into a wood chipper
- Repairs slight damage to lawns, fences, and walks caused by tree trimming
- Performs other work, as assigned by crew leader

Equipment Maintenance

- Is responsible for the upkeep of shop trailer
- Responsible for pre-trip inspection of vehicles and reporting any maintenance/repair needs to the Logistics Coordinator



- Services gasoline, air, and hand-powered tools and other equipment
- Makes sure equipment is greased, fueled, and saws are sharpened at the end of each day
- Makes sure tools are accounted for and stored properly

Experience:

- Minimum 1 year experience performing production climbing activities with and without spikes
- Advanced rigging knowledge and experience

Work Schedule

Determined by assigned work group or seasonal demand. Normally 5 X 10 day/hour scheduled workweek; may include some weekends.

Rain days: employees will report to work rain or shine unless otherwise requested by management.

Location

Hixson, TN

Department

Urban Tree

Employment Type

Full-time

Minimum Experience

Mid-level

Compensation

\$18 - \$25/hr