



CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The National Works Agency, an Executive Agency of the Government of Jamaica is seeking suitably qualified individuals for the under-mentioned position.

LABORATORY TECHNICIAN (Level 4) *Corporate Office*

Salary: \$2,803,771.00

Minimum Requirement

QUALIFICATION AND EXPERIENCE:

- Passes in five (5) subjects at Ordinary level/CSEC level including Mathematics, English Language, Information Technology and preferably other technical subject i.e. Physics, Chemistry or Geography
- Certificate in soil/material testing or equivalent
- Specialized training in lab testing techniques
- Minimum of (1) year experience in Soil and Material testing

PRINCIPAL DUTIES/RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Good interpersonal skills.
- Excellent organizational skills.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Excellent problem-solving skills.
- Must possess an eye for detail.
- Ability to demonstrate a high level of integrity and ethical standards.
- Perform tests on soil and other engineering material using required standard test methods and submit test report sheets to supervisor immediately upon completion of test.
- Ensure that all testing equipment assigned is calibrated if required and in good working condition and reporting defective equipment.
- Ensure that all files related to jobs in progress are up to date.
- Ensure that all samples received are clearly labeled and easily identified throughout the testing process.
- Prepare graphs and sketches relative to various tests performed both in the field and laboratory.
- Conduct various tests on roads under construction.
- Maintain general cleanliness of the laboratory including storage and disposal of samples, washing and cleaning of equipment and accessories etc.
- Monitor and maintain adequate supplies of material, chemicals etc.

**Submitted application in writing no later than
Wednesday, September 11, 2024 to:**

**Human Resource Manager
National Works Agency,
140 Maxfield Avenue, Kingston 10
or
email: recruitment@nwa.gov.jm**

**The Agency thanks all applicants in advance.
Only individuals short-listed will be contacted.**