



## **Agronomy Applicator/Plant Operations**

### **Company Information**

**Organization Name:** Farmers Cooperative Association & Vision Ag LLC

**About Our Organization:** At FCA/Vision Ag, we serve our communities in southeastern Iowa with a sense of purpose. We're here for our members and customers at the highest level. Choose us for your needs for your farm, home, and business and you'll become part of the FCA/Vision Ag family! We're looking to start a relationship that can endure for generations.

**Website:** [www.keotafarmerscoop.com](http://www.keotafarmerscoop.com)

**Effective Date:** 4/10/2024

**Hiring Manager Job Title:** Location Manager

**Job Function:** Agronomy Operations

**Employment Status:** Full-time Regular

### **Job Summary**

Mix or apply pesticides, herbicides, fungicides, or insecticides through sprays, dusts, vapors, soil incorporation, or chemical application on crops. Requires specific training and state or federal certification.

### **Education and Experience**

- High school diploma or general education degree (GED); or one to three months related experience and/or training; or equivalent combination of education and experience.
- CDL, or ability to obtain.
- Applicators or handlers license, or ability to obtain.

### **Primary Job Duties**

- Operates and maintains applicators in a safe and accurate manner.
- Performs necessary maintenance & calibration on assigned machines.
- Responsible for following the label when blending crop protection products to ensure quality chemicals.
- Reads maps, follow directions, and operate equipment with computer assisted operations.
- Provides accurate and efficient unloading and delivery of products.
- Assists sales agronomist with scouting fields to determine appropriate chemical mix, if necessary.
- Communicates with supervisor and agronomists about which fields to go to and what chemicals need to be sprayed.
- Expected to assist in plant operations when needed.
- Executing processes and operating machinery and equipment as required, including loading, and unloading trucks such as filling or transferring. Ability to operate bobcats, loaders, and tractors.
- Inspecting buildings, grounds, and equipment utilized by the facility to troubleshoot, perform light maintenance, and complete repair work.
- Interacting regularly with customers, peers, and management to provide exceptional customer service, pursue continuous improvement of facility operations, and promote a teamwork focused environment.



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- Adheres to all safety regulations, requirements, policies, and procedures, including OSHA regulations, the vehicle policy and fleet safety program and DOT regulations.
- Maintain good housekeeping practices and attend all safety training.
- Other duties as required.

**Job Type:** Full-time

**Salary:** Negotiable

**Schedule:**

- Day Shift
- Monday through Friday
- Weekend Availability
- Seasonal Overtime

**Benefits:**

- Health Insurance
- Coop Retirement
- 401(k)
- Dental and Vision Insurance
- Life Insurance
- Paid Time off

Reliably commute or plan to relocate before starting work.