## Oz Farm Apprenticeship Application 2024

Name:

**Optional**: include a photo for us!

Date of birth:

Preferred gender pronouns:

Email address:

Mailing address:

Health Record

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| Do you have any long-term medical conditions, special medical needs, or a history of physical illness or limitations? | Yes / No |
| Have you had a serious illness or major surgery within the last 5 years? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any physical conditions or repetitive stress injuries that might limit your work? | Yes / No |
| Have you ever/are you currently being treated for a psychological condition? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any dietary or health restrictions? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any serious allergies? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any history of substance abuse, drug or alcohol addiction? | Yes / No |

Experience

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| Do you have any experience using hand or power tools? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any carpentry experience? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any plumbing experience? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any auto mechanic skills? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any experience driving large trucks? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any experience driving tractors or other heavy machinery? | Yes / No |
| Do you have any other specialized skills you think we should know about? | Yes / No |

*If you answered Yes to any question, please briefly describe:*

Short Answer: *please answer the following concisely but directly – no need for essays!*

*1. Please write a brief personal history to help us get to know you.*

*2. What is your intention in applying to apprentice at Oz Farm?*

*3. What do you hope to learn during your farm season? (Be as specific as possible). How might you apply what you’ve learned in the future?*

*4. Please describe your work experience and skills, including any farm or garden experience you have.*

*5. Please briefly describe the hardest physical work you’ve done, and any experience with manual labor, working outdoors, spending long amounts of time on your feet, etc.*

*6. Please briefly describe your personal preferences and habits around work. How do you work in teams? How do you work alone? Are you a self-starter or team player? Please describe your work pace and attention – are you detail or big picture oriented? Do you have any leadership experience?*

*7. Please describe any experience you have living in intentional community. If not, explain to us what you are looking for in community and what you anticipate may be challenging for you. Please describe your level of organization and cleanliness.*

*8. Please describe any experience in living rurally, with rustic accommodations, or simplifying your lifestyle.*

*9. Are you able to commit to the full timeframe of the apprenticeship? Do you have any existing commitments during this time period that could take you out of work?*

Please send this completed application, along with a resume and two references to [produce@ozfarm.com](mailto:produce@ozfarm.com) by January 1, 2024.