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Employment Opportunity

Quality Control Lab Shift Technician

Thiele Kaolin LLC, a leading provider of tailored mineral solutions, is currently recruiting for a Quality Control Lab Shift Technician. This position is located in Deepstep, Georgia.

MAJOR DUTIES:

- Duties include performing all necessary testing on both in process clays and final products to ensure quality is acceptable and within internal and customer specifications.
- The technician will be required to perform or assist in sample analysis including but not limited to % residue, pH, viscosity, % moisture, brightness, color, % solids, particle size, bacteria testing, loss on ignition, and hard particle determination.
- The technician is required to enter test results into computer databases and release product for shipping.
- Job requirements may include other lab functions related to production support such as plant trials and process improvement projects.
- Assist in monitoring and implementing the departmental safety plan by conducting routine laboratory safety inspections including daily shift safety inspections.

SKILL REQUIREMENTS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Good attendance and safety record.
- Well-motivated with a strong desire to learn and a willingness to attend any training that may be required to learn the necessary job skills.
- Ability to organize and work independently or with a minimal amount of supervision.
- Ability to work well with others.
- Ability to become familiar with process targets, product specifications, and processing methods for various clay grades.
- Generally familiar with plant and mine production systems.
- Ability to communicate well through written and oral reporting.
- Demonstrated personal computer skills.
- Ability to work rotating shifts.
- Good scientific (preferred but not required) and mathematical ability and background.
- Familiarity with lab procedures and techniques (preferred but not required).
- Knowledge of basic statistical process control techniques (preferred but not required).

Thiele offers excellent pay and a comprehensive fringe benefits package. This package includes medical and life insurance, dental, vision, sick pay, LTD, paid vacation and holidays, 401K, and educational assistance. Qualified candidates should email a resume to careers@thielekaolin.com. **Please note "QC Lab Shift Technician" in the subject line.**

Any job offer will be contingent upon the successful candidate passing a physical exam, including a drug screen and a background check as warranted.

Thiele Kaolin, LLC is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Thiele Kaolin, LLC is a Drug Free workplace.