



OPEN POSITION

Welder

BASIC FUNCTION

Working from blueprint plans, lays out and performs fabrication of weldments. Assumes ownership for processing quality work on time and adhering to standard welding processes. Must have ability to juggle multiple priorities and be customer-focused. Also needs to be a self-starter and take direction well from supervisor and/or Lead Welder.

PRIMARY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Performs daily duties such as:

- Interprets blueprints, sketches or other specifications.
- Lays out and sets up work, determines operational sequence and devises suitable jigs or fixtures.
- Selects welding rod of appropriate size and composition and selects proper equipment and settings.
- Performs fabrication – e.g., welds, cuts, and bends materials with equipment that conforms to exacting requirements.
- Varies procedures and techniques according to nature of work.
- Performs inspection of weldments to ensure world-class quality.
- Works with Engineering to incorporate changes and corrections to blueprints.
- Capable of operating flame cutter as required.
- Moves parts from Welding department to next work station.
- Maintains and ensures safety of welding equipment and related gear. Maintains a clean, safe and healthy work environment. Reports any safety issues, including “near misses” and accidents as soon as possible.

Periodic duties include:

- Thoroughly cleaning Welding area on a weekly basis.

ADDITIONAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Performs other duties as assigned by Supervisor in the event of special projects or unplanned tasks, in a timely and efficient manner.
- Serves as back up to other positions in Manufacturing to cover vacations and other absences.

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE AND/OR CERTIFICATION REQUIRED AND PREFERRED:

High school diploma or equivalent working experience. Five plus years' experience as a welder highly desired. Must have knowledge in use of Mig and Tig machines and related equipment, e.g., cutting torch, grinder, drill, overhead crane. Must have demonstrated ability in reading and interpreting blueprints.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS OF POSITION:

Manual dexterity sufficient to effectively use various hand tools and welding equipment. Visual acuity to interact with computer terminal, mechanical design prints and written instructions. Communication skills to interact with others. Tolerance to eye and upper/lower body stress associated with extended periods working with machinery and standing/walking. Regular lifting of up to 35 lbs. (e.g., machine parts), lifting apparatus to be used for items 35+ lbs. Routine machine shop environment on ground floor.

\$500 Referral Reward for this Position