



DAIRY FARM ASSISTANT – Heywood, Victoria

Ag Diagnostics are pleased to be recruiting for an exciting opportunity for a Dairy Assistant on a small-medium scale, pasture based dairy farm near Heywood – South West Victoria.

Job Title	Dairy Farm Assistant
Job Type	Full Time, Permanent
About the Business	<p>A steady state dairy business milking around 200 cows split calving Mar-May (70%) and August (30%), the farm is located ten minutes from Heywood and 25 minutes from Portland. 15 AS Herringbone Dairy with ACR's, Auto-Draft, Stall Gates and Cow Collars for heat detection ensure milking is a breeze. Per cow production is at the higher end of the spectrum along with grass harvest per ha so someone who wants to learn in an intensive and supportive system would suit. Export heifer production and dairy beef are additional important farm activities.</p> <p>Accommodation is an option for an appropriate candidate.</p>
About the Role	<p>The Dairy Assistant role will report to the manager Duties and responsibilities include (but not limited to)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Milking harvesting and dairy hygiene- Assisting with feed allocation and feeding out- Assisting with calf rearing under supervision- Implementing animal health procedures under supervision- Tractor work- General farm maintenance
About the Candidate	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Experience is not essential if you have a keen learning attitude- Punctuality is paramount- Ability to follow instructions and take responsibility for your actions- Strong observational skills and the ability to report what you see- The desire to develop further skills in milk harvesting, animal health and pasture management.- Strong awareness of workplace safety and risk management- Current driver's licence- Eligible to work in Australia
Package	Attractive remuneration based on ability/experience
Applications Or Enquires	Please send a cover letter and CV to admin@agdiagnostics.com.au or further enquires.
Closing Date	20 th October 2021
Position Start Date	1 st November 2021

