

**Green Gulch Farm**  
**Guest Program Apprenticeship Application**  
**Part B**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dates of Guest Student Stay:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PROGRAM & REQUESTED DATES**

There are three Guest Program apprenticeships offered per year, and each is approximately four months long. Generally these are mid-October through January, February through mid-June, and mid-June through mid-October. Please check the website for exact dates. Preference will be given to applicants who can commit to the entire program. If there are open spaces during a program, we may accept late-arrivals.

**What program start-date are you applying for?**

Date of Program/s (see online): \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you able to begin early if there is space and need?**

Earliest Possible arrival date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PROGRAM SPECIFIC QUESTIONS**

Please answer the following questions. Please number your answers as follows and attach additional sheets of paper as needed:

A1. Describe any hotel, conference, or kitchen work experience you have

A2. Describe your particular interest in the Green Gulch Guest Program Apprenticeship

A3. Are you currently in a relationship?      Yes       No

If yes, please describe what expectations you have to spend time together during the apprenticeship program.

**RESIDENTIAL WORK PRACTICE REQUIREMENTS (Please see specific program schedules for more detail)**

1. Following the schedule of morning and evening meditation, and morning and evening services of bowing and chanting.
2. Following the work practice schedule.
3. Attending all scheduled Dharma talks, classes, and ceremonies.
4. Attending WPA meetings, crew meetings, and Community meetings.
5. Participating in monthly one-day sittings, either in the zendo or kitchen.
6. Participating in weekly oryoki (ceremonial) breakfast (Oct-April only).
7. Refraining from drug and alcohol use.
8. Refraining from initiating any new sexual relationships.
9. Not leaving the Green Gulch watershed for the first month of the apprenticeship (except for emergencies).
10. Following the Green Gulch Residential Guidelines (Shingi).
11. Communicating with Crew Head and the Tanto or Director in a timely way if having difficulty with any of these requirements.

**I agree to honor these requirements, have read the Green Gulch Residential Guidelines (Shingi) posted on the website application process page for this program, and agree to follow them completely.**

Signature

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*Please note that if the program you're applying for is full, there may be space in another apprenticeship program. **Please fill out a supplemental form for each program you'd like to be considered for, and indicate your order of preference, if applicable.***