

Mechanic Intern

Candidates must be CURRENTLY enrolled in a degree program/curriculum.

GoTriangle, the regional public transportation organization for Wake, Durham, and Orange counties, has an opening for a Mechanic Intern. GoTriangle maintains a fleet of 69 diesel transit buses, 25 paratransit light transit vehicles, and support vehicles. The Internship will provide opportunities for gaining hands on experience with a wide range of maintenance and repair duties. The intern will perform preventative maintenance services and repairs on agency vehicles under the direction of a mechanic to supplement the formal learning obtained as part of the formal curriculum of a local technical/trade school.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities:

- · Assist with performing preventive maintenance services and repairs on transit vehicles.
- · Use diagnostic equipment and repair manuals to assist with troubleshooting system failures.
- · Provide technical information to Transit Operations regarding vehicle status.
- Document work performed, parts and materials used in the computerized maintenance management system.
- · Maintains compliance with all Safety rules and regulations.
- · Perform other duties as assigned.

Requirements:

The position requires enrollment in a current technical/trade school for vehicle repair. Must be familiar with the use and care of diagnostic equipment and hand tools. Must have a positive attitude and willingness to grow. Must have own set of basic tools. Must be able to report to work during Adverse Weather and emergency situations, weekends, holidays, off hour's shifts and occasional emergency overtime. Requires a good driving record and have or be able to obtain a class B Commercial Driver's License with a passenger endorsement and the ability to meet the Department of Transportation's physical requirements and maintain a valid DOT card. The successful candidate will be required to pass a preemployment drug test and a pre-placement exam/functional assessment test. Ideal candidate will be computer proficient and knowledgeable of OSHA compliance requirements. The internship will begin August 2018 and continue through July 31, 2019. GoTriangle Maintenance hours of operation is 4:00am - 12:00am. This is a seasonal/part-time position averaging thirty three (33) hours weekly during the summer work based learning program and no more than thirty (30) hours during the fall/spring semester. Work schedule may be modified to complement candidate's school schedule. The length of this internship may be extended (i) based on departmental needs, (ii) available funds and (iii) the intern's own expectations exceeding performance.