

**DAIRYGOLD FOOD INGREDIENTS  
SHIFT MANAGER  
MITCHELSTOWN**



**DAIRYGOLD CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED, GENERATING A TURNOVER OF C. €650M IS IRELAND'S LARGEST FARMER OWNED BUSINESS. A VACANCY FOR A SHIFT MANAGER CURRENTLY EXISTS WITHIN DAIRYGOLD FOOD INGREDIENTS (DFI) DIVISION. DFI IS IRELAND'S SECOND LARGEST MILK PURCHASER, PROCESSING C.850 MILLION LITRES OF MILK ANNUALLY FROM ITS THREE DAIRY MANUFACTURING SITES IN IRELAND. DFI IS IN THE BUSINESS OF PROVIDING TOP QUALITY CHEESES AND DAIRY INGREDIENTS TO SELECTED CUSTOMERS AND MARKETS GLOBALLY. PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT [HTTP://WWW.DAIRYGOLD.IE/](http://www.dairygold.ie/)**

We are pleased to invite applications for the following vacancy:

**Shift Manager  
(Full-time, permanent position)**

Based primarily in Clonmel Road in Mitchelstown, the successful candidate will report to the Site Manager. Managing a team of operators, the purpose of the role is to co-ordinate and control the activities of the team to meet production goals, quality & cost objectives on a day to day basis within the department.

Duties will include but is not limited to the following;

- Production Planning & Organisation of Key Resources
- Maximising outputs of all products, ensuring costs are reduced and maintained as low as possible to ensure maximum competitiveness.
- Achieving, monitoring and reporting on key performance targets.
- Solving Production issues & implementing continuous improvement initiatives.
- Motivating, training & leading staff within a team based environment.
- Controlling all production related activity in accordance with the Company's Quality Management System and Environmental best practice.
- Ensuring that the Health & Safety Company Risk Management System is implemented and adhered to.
- Promoting a culture of safety, excellence and continuous improvement.

Candidates for this position should possess;

- A third level qualification in an appropriate discipline.
- A minimum of 2-3 years experience in a similar role in a manufacturing environment.
- Experience in a dairy manufacturing environment is advantageous.
- Demonstrated competence in process technology.
- Must be commercially aware and independent minded with a strong customer focus and analytical skills.
- Must be a self starter with the ability to use his/her own initiative at all times.
- Good organisational and communication (verbal and written) skills are essential.
- Strong people management experience is critical.

A letter of application, together with a current CV should be forwarded to Emma Parkinson, HR Manager, Dairygold Food Ingredients, Clonmel Road, Mitchelstown no later than Friday 10<sup>th</sup> February 2012.

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