***Cloverdale Paint is the largest family owned and operated paint company in North America. With over 65 Company stores and 120 Authorized Dealers across Canada, Cloverdale Paint has had a special relationship with its customers ever since the company was founded in 1933. That relationship was built on a commitment to exceptional quality in manufactured coatings and superior customer service.***

Chemist position

Reporting to Team Lead and Technical Manager, the employee at this position collaborates with other chemists in synthesizing polymers, preparing experimental paint samples for improving existing formulation and monitoring production batches.

**Key Activities**

* Evaluate and test new raw materials under supervision of Team Lead;
* Update existing formulations and manufacturing processes to ensure best technological and manufacturing efficiency and current regulatory compliance;
* Provide assistance to Production Department by ensuring that all formulations issued are accurate and process friendly;
* Coordinate with suppliers to keep abreast of new raw materials and technology available to maintain the highest quality formulations and processes.
* Update the knowledge and competency by attending relevant training available related to the paint industry.
* Ensure good time management to provide timely results when managing multiple priorities.
* Maintain comprehensive records of all project work carried out and provide weekly progress reports.
* Ensure that laboratory equipment is properly maintained and constantly improve the standard of housekeeping of the laboratory.
* Perform other duties as assigned

**Qualifications:**

* Bachelor’s degree in Chemistry with minimum of 5 years lab experience.
* Master degree or higher in organic chemistry or polymer chemistry is preferred.
* Previous work experience working in a paint manufacturing lab environment will be an advantage
* Ability to communicate effectively in cross-functional teams as well as with internal and external customers
* **Willingness to learn and respect group members.**
* Committed, dedicated and a team player
* Must have excellent listening and communication skills
* **Capable of working as part of a team, and individually with minimal supervision.**
* Computer literate with good knowledge of MS Office suites;
* Quick learner;
* Details oriented

**Salary range: varies with the candidate’s experience. CAD$53,000 to $65,000**