

Fahan School

Mathematics-Science Teacher

Position Description

This is an ideal position for a teacher who has an academic background in Mathematics and Science to join this unique school for girls.

Reports to: Co-ordinator of Mathematics and Science

Essential Criteria:

- 1. Qualifications to teach Mathematics and Science with at least one of these to pre-tertiary level.
- 2. Ability to inspire girls to participate in Mathematics and Science.
- 3. Sound knowledge of technology and its application to the classroom.
- 4. Enthusiasm, energy and an excellent understanding of current practice.
- 5. Well-developed communication and interpersonal skills.
- 6. High level of organisational and management skills.
- 7. Clear understanding of Occupational Health and Safety guidelines and regulations.
- 8. A willingness to uphold the values of Fahan School.

Primary Responsibilities:

- 1. Be responsible for the delivery of the Mathematics and Science curriculum in Years 7 to 12.
- 2. Participate in Fahan's Pastoral Care Program as a tutor.
- 3. Be actively involved in the School's extra curricular program.
- 4. Contribute to assessment and reporting in collaboration with the Co-ordinator of Mathematics and Science to determine appropriate procedures that reflect the learning experiences of the students.
- 5. Actively promote the concept of, and participate in activities related to, the development of the "whole child" for all students.
- 6. Assist in the continued development of programs to facilitate the transition of students throughout the School.

- 7. Support the integration of appropriate ICT resources to enhance the learning of girls in this subject domain.
- 8. Maintenance of high standards of personal and professional conduct.
- 9. Comply with the requirements of the Tasmanian Workplace Health and Safety legislation and Fahan School Workplace Health and Safety policies and procedures.
- 10. Abide by Fahan School's Code of Conduct in the performance of duties. Furthermore, staff are required to exercise discretion and maintain the confidence of the Fahan School community concerning the activities of the School.
- 11. And any other tasks as appropriate.

Workplace Health and Safety

- 1. Comply with the requirements of the Tasmanian and Australian Workplace Health and Safety legislation and Fahan School Workplace Health and Safety policies and procedures.
- 2. Provide risk management information as requested, and of their own initiative, to the best of the employee's experience and knowledge.
- 3. Make risk prevention a priority whilst undertaking daily tasks in the School's operations.
- 4. Perform duties in a manner which is without an unacceptable level of risk to your own health and safety, other employees, students or the community in general.
- 5. Report any illness, injury, hazard, near miss or incidents and losses as soon as they are detected.

Code of Conduct

- 1. Abide by Fahan School's Code of Conduct in the performance of their duties.
- 2. Exercise discretion and maintain the confidence of the Fahan School community concerning the activities of the School.

Essential Requirements

- 1. Teacher Registration
- 2. Permanent Australian Residency

Remuneration: In accordance with the Fahan Award.

DETAILS REQUIRED OF APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITION

The applicant is asked to provide the following information:

- 1. A Letter of Application which should address the questions: Why you? Why Fahan? and Why now?
- 2. A Resume containing:
 - Academic and professional qualifications.
 - Current and previous employment details.
 - Membership and involvement in Professional Associations.
 - Cultural, sporting and community interests including membership of clubs and societies.
 - Names, addresses and telephone numbers of three (3) confidential referees and any testimonials.
- 3. A statement outlining your approach to educational leadership in Mathematics and Science, particularly as it might relate to Fahan's character and ethos (max 300 words).
- 4. An outline of your ability to meet the specific role description for this position.

Applications should be addressed to :

The Principal Mr Tony Freeman Fahan School PO Box 2090 Lower Sandy Bay TAS 7005 or by email to employment@fahan.tas.edu.au by Friday 15 September 2017.