

Epsom Girls Grammar School Vision and Values

Vision: Enabling students to be confident, active, resilient learners

Epsom Girls Grammar School is a leading New Zealand school founded on traditions of service and commitment to girls' education and focused on developing young women to become confident and resilient learners, actively contributing to their communities.

Values: Courage, compassion, curiosity, community

Position: Teacher of Sciences – junior science and state specialist subject

Fixed term, full time position, 2021

Responsible to: Learning Area Director, Sciences and HOD of relevant Science

Direct involvement with: Science Learning Area

Primary responsibility:To contribute to the development of a learning environment in which

the aims of the Learning at EGGS Statement may be achieved within

the specific context of the Science Learning Area.

Key Tasks: Teach Specialist Senior Science, and Junior Science

Key Skills: Strong knowledge of Specialist Science and General Science, good communication, maintain a

functioning laboratory

The successful applicant should be/be able to:

- Teach junior Science and senior Science to meet the diverse learning needs of our students
- Understand and use restorative principles in all interactions with students, staff and parents
- Enthusiastic about teaching and learning in a girls' school environment
- Willing to work as a member of a team, able to contribute to shared decisions and accept decisions
 made by the team
- Qualified, knowledgeable and enthusiastic about teaching Specialist Science to NCEA level 3 and the relevant sciences at junior levels
- Have a strong knowledge of Science as relevant to the NZC
- Knowledgeable about standards based assessment and NCEA
- A strong communicator, both with professional colleagues and students
- Committed to on-going personal professional development
- Aware of health and safety issues relating to the teaching of chemistry and science
- Maintain a functioning laboratory
- Willing to work with a range of teaching and learning strategies
- Use ICT in a variety of situations