



Epsom Girls Grammar School

Te Kura Tuarua o Ngā Taitamāhine o Maungawhau

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:	Head of Hard Materials Technology Department, Permanent, Full time 1 MU for HOD and 1 MU for Technology Health and Safety responsibility.
Responsible to:	LAD Technology
Direct involvement with:	Students in Technology, Learning Area staff and the Technology workshop technician.
Primary responsibility:	To create an environment in which the Learning at EGGS Statement and the goals of the school may be achieved within the context of the Technology Learning Area.

Key Tasks:

- Planning and implementing programmes of work that reflect the needs and aspirations of students.
- Applying best practice for assessment of Technology achievement standards for NCEA.
- Manage the ordering and organisation of resources required for Hard Materials Technology programmes
- Manage the organization and maintenance of workshop machinery.
- Management of health and safety systems in the workshop and staff training to provide safe workshop practice
- Supporting staff in the department and carrying out appraisal.

Key Skills:

- Possess strengths in hard materials and product design.
- Have an awareness of pedagogies that support the implementation of the New Zealand Curriculum including:
 - approaches that support student centred learning
 - encouraging reflective thought and action
 - encouraging effective use of design thinking
- Able to develop positive working relationships with students and staff in the Technology Learning Area using Restorative Principles.
- Be enthusiastic and adaptable.
- Interested in developing their own skills and knowledge in Technology.
- Have a commitment to Te Tiriti o Waitangi.