

POSITION DESCRIPTION TEACHER_SECONDARY

POSITION OBJECTIVES

To deliver high quality teaching and learning in a safe environment that enables students to achieve their full potential.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES		
Leadership and management	 Be responsible for the achievement of the College vision and goals through the development and delivery of high quality teaching and learning outcome for all students Contribute to the development and implementation of College objectives and planning Embrace and enhance the position of the College as a leading provider of education Exercise discretion and confidentiality in regards to information Establish and maintain a supportive school environment Have a broad knowledge of the life of the College 	
Teaching	 Plan, prepare and deliver effective learning and teaching programs that provides students with opportunities to observe, question and investigate Establish clear objectives for all lessons and communicate these to students Plan and implement an education program that follows curriculum guidelines and engages students and offers a range of learning choices Adapt teaching methods and instructional materials to meet students' varying abilities and interests Show written evidence of class preparation upon request of Faculty Head or Director of Studies. Meet minimum requirements for class portal pages and feedback for students Prepare, administer and grade tests and assignments to evaluate students' progress Responsible for the care, welfare, academic oversight and guidance of students in their classes Observe and evaluate student's performance, behavior, social development and wellbeing. Report concerns to the student's Tutor or House Head/Year Level Coordinator Work closely with other teachers to provide support and ensure a consistent approach to common expectations is maintained Be prepared to develop a knowledge of each of the students in their care and be prepared to develop a knowledge of college rules within the classroom Follow all administration policies governing students including maintaining accurate and complete student records Instruct and monitor students in the use and care of equipment and materials in order to prevent injuries and damage Ensure College expectations regarding study habits, dress, behavior and respectful relationships are maintained 	
Relationship management	 Foster quality relationships with students, staff and parents Use consultative and collaborative approaches to solve problems, make decisions, develop and implement initiatives Maintain a relationship centred approach to education 	

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	 Participate in Committees as required Provide prompt, accurate and professional responses to students, staff and parents 	
Child Safety	 Be familiar with and comply with Ministerial Order 1359, the school's child-safe policy and code of conduct, and any other policies or procedures relating to child safety Assist in the provision of a child-safe environment for students Demonstrate duty of care to students in relation to their physical, social emotional and mental wellbeing 	
Professional Development	 Commit to ongoing professional development Be open to researching areas of innovation relevant to directions provided in the school's strategic plan and the role of contemporary education Continue development of ICT skills as technologies evolve Be an active member of relevant professional associations 	
General Duties	 Abide by St Kevin's College Ltd Code of Conduct Co-curricular activity is expected and remunerated. Two co-curricular activities (sporting/cultural programs) are required each year if full time, prorated for part time. These activities generally involve a weekend commitment for part of the year. Staff are expected to be Tutors which is a pastoral role caring for students. This is part of a teaching load and receives additional remuneration. Attend school meetings, conferences and after school services/assemblies, sporting events, mass, community and faith days as required by the Principal As a Tutor attend the relevant school camp for the tutor group (includes RICE Camp for Waterford staff). Be available on call during the term breaks and other 'out of school hours' times for emergency situations that may arise, noting that the beginning and concluding dates for each year is the gazetted date, or as negotiated with the Principal. Other duties as directed / negotiated by the Principal The College reserves the right to alter this position description as required to reflect emerging priorities 	

SELECTION CRITERIA					
Commitment to Catholic Education	Be fully supportive of the Mission, Objectives and Ethos of Catholic education within an Edmund Rice spirituality				
Commitment to Child Safety	 Experience working with children A demonstrated understanding of child safety A demonstrated understanding of appropriate behaviours when engaging with children Be a suitable person to engage in child-connected work 				
Education and Experience	 Essential: An extensive knowledge and passion for teaching area Registered Teacher in Victoria (or eligible for registration) Anaphylaxis and First Aid Training Non-Government Schools Protecting Children-Mandatory reporting and other Obligations Certificate Desirable other: Post graduate gualification in education 				
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Skills and Attributes	Ability to work as part of a team	
	 Presents a professional and positive demeanour and is a solution orientated person 	
	 Proven ability to work collaboratively and energetically within a dynamic organisation, by being proactive, demonstrating initiative and a willingness to accept responsibility 	
	 Demonstrates a respect for and acceptance of difference in students, parents and staff 	
	Well-developed decision making skills	
	Good oral and written communication skills, including ability to build rapport and communicate with students, parents and the College community	
	 Very good organisational and time management skills, with an ability to prioritise tasks, meet prescribed deadlines, and concurrently manage a number of competing priorities 	
	 Demonstrated capacity to participate in a range of school activities, e.g. school sports, sacramental programs, liturgies, school camps/excursions 	
	Proven ability to integrate IT into the curriculum and teaching practice	
	 Ability and willingness to accept policy directives 	

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