



EMANUEL SCHOOL

Emanuel is an independent, co-educational, Jewish day school from Pre-school to Year 12 situated in the Eastern Suburbs of Sydney. The following position is available from the beginning of Term 1, 2019.

Hebrew Teacher - Primary

We are seeking a dynamic, experienced Hebrew teacher to join our team of Hebrew teachers. The ideal candidate will have successful classroom experience, a passion for enthusing students to learn Hebrew and a commitment to Jewish pluralism.

Appointments are made without reference to the religion of the applicant. Applications including the names and contact details of two referees, should be directed to principal@emanuelschool.nsw.edu.au

Emanuel is a Child-Safe School. Applicants must provide a valid Working with Children Check at the time of application.

Role Statement

Role: Primary School Hebrew Teacher

Reporting to: Head of Hebrew, Primary

Summary of position

Emanuel teachers are highly competent, passionate and engaging in their practice. They work hard to inspire students to be critical and deep thinkers, as well as problem solvers and responsible contributors to the global community. They ensure the best possible learning environment for students and are committed to their own continued growth as a teacher. It is expected that a successful applicant would have a similar approach to teaching.

The successful applicant should have a relevant degree and teaching qualifications and be accredited with NESA.

Desired skills and attributes for the position of teacher of Hebrew are:

- Ability to teach Hebrew to K – 6 children and Jewish Studies to K – 2 children
- Competent classroom teacher who inspires students to learn Hebrew and Jewish Studies

- Love of teaching and desire to engage students in learning
- Familiarity with Tal Am and Chavarim B'lvrit Hebrew programs
- Ability to contribute to the development of Jewish Life programs
- High-level lesson planning and classroom teaching skills
- Ability to work both autonomously and within a collaborative team
- Strong verbal and written communication skills (in English and in Hebrew)
- Strong information technology skills
- Ability to make a significant contribution to the life of the school
- Support for the ethos of the school.

It is expected that the successful applicant would employ effective teaching strategies to engage and support student thinking and have a natural rapport with staff and students. He/she would have a commitment to ongoing professional learning and a growth mindset, with an approach to their profession of continual improvement and striving for excellence. He/she would be a team player who believes in the effectiveness of collaboration, and is keen to share his/her expertise with colleagues and work together for the best possible student outcomes.

In General

The successful applicant will be a member of the school's teaching community and as such, participate in the regular life of the school. He/she will undertake other duties of a teacher such as those in relation to wellbeing, supervision of students, extra-curricular activities etc, as requested by the Principal or her delegate.

About Emanuel School

Emanuel School is committed to providing co-educational excellence in a Pre-school to Year 12 continuum. We value the individuality of all students and encourage the development of their special interests and talents. Our objective is to extend our students to the best of their ability, and to foster a love of learning, a strong sense of community and a pride in their Jewish heritage. We strive to create an environment in which genuine acceptance and understanding can develop. These concepts are reflected in the School motto "Mind, Spirit, Being".

Emanuel School is small enough to provide an individual, nurturing environment and large enough to provide a wide range of subjects and opportunities for our students. Emanuel School is a dynamic learning community within an intimate learning environment delivering strong academic outcomes. The School occupies the Stanley Street site with around 880 students from Preschool to Year 12, comprising a two-stream K-4 and three streams thereafter. The School's commitment to excellence, quality, service and value ensures that it continually improves the delivery of all its programs for the benefit of its students. There are many opportunities for students to participate in a wide range of activities and students have a strong commitment to community service.

Values

Emanuel is a Jewish Community School that nurtures a commitment to Jewish community, heritage, ethical living and the State of Israel. We do this through a commitment to egalitarianism, pluralism, coexistence, tradition, mitzvot, Torah and Hebrew. We do so as Jewish, Australian and Global citizens. In particular we value:

Excellence
Perseverance
Lifelong love of learning
Respect
Integrity
Responsibility
Compassion
Generosity
Justice
Community

In General

Emanuel School acknowledges and embraces the seven elements encompassed within the domains of Professional Knowledge, Professional Practice and Professional Engagement as defined in the National Professional Standards. The seven elements are:

Teachers:

- Know students and how they learn
- Know content and how to teach it
- Plan for and implement effective teaching and learning
- Create and maintain supportive and safe learning environments
- Assess, provide feedback and report on student learning
- Engage in professional learning
- Engage professionally with colleagues, parents/carers and the community

This position requires the successful applicant to have a current Working with Children Check in accordance with the *Child Protection (Working with Children) Act 2012*. Details of how to apply are available on <http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/working-with-children/working-with-children-check>