

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:	Fixed term position up to 10 December 2019 (paid until 27 January 2020)
Responsible to:	Learning Area Director, Sciences, HOD Junior Science and HOD Biology
Direct involvement with:	Science and Biology departments
Primary responsibility:	To contribute to the development of a learning environment in which the aims of the Learning at EGGGS Statement may be achieved within the specific context of the Science Learning Area.
Key Tasks:	Teach Y11 Biology, Earth and Space Science and Junior Science
Key Skills:	Strong knowledge of Biology, Earth and Space Science and General Science, good communication with the ability to maintain a functioning laboratory

The successful applicant should be:

- 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 Biology as well as Earth and Space Science to NCEA level 1 and the relevant sciences to year 9 and year 10.
- Strong knowledge of science as relevant to the NZC
- Knowledgeable about standards based assessment and NCEA
- Good communication skills, both with professional colleagues and students
- Committed to on-going personal professional development
- Confident in working in a practical situation
- Aware of health and safety issues relating to the teaching of Science and ensure safety requirements are adhered to
- Able to maintain a functioning laboratory
- Willing to work with a range of teaching and learning strategies
- Able to integrate ICT resources and BYOD in a variety of ways in order to support student learning.