

Position Description: Humanities Teacher – Middle and Senior School

Department: Humanities

Level: Part-time, 1-Year Fixed Term Contract

Reports to: Head of Faculty

The School

At St Peter's Girls' School, we focus on collaboration, creative thinking, and innovation, seeking to foster independent thinking and our core values of courage, creativity, and compassion in every student. We aim to develop motivated, versatile, and curious students who carry a love of learning throughout their schooling years and beyond. We have a proud history of 130 years, providing outstanding educational opportunities for students from Early Learning to Year 12. Our all-in-one campus, located in leafy Stonyfell, just 5km from Adelaide's CBD, boasts spacious grounds and state-of-the-art facilities. We are an authorised IB PYP & DP World School.

St Peter's Girls seeks to employ people who embody character and influence within their personal and professional lives. We are committed to providing our staff with opportunities for ongoing development and career progression.

About the Role

Our School is seeking a part-time Middle and Senior School Humanities Teacher. This is a part-time, 1-year fixed-term contract commencing in Term 1, 2025.

Teachers are directly responsible to the Senior Leadership Team through the Head of Faculty. In line with the National Standards for Teachers, a teacher should demonstrate the professional knowledge, practice and engagement of Proficient or Highly Accomplished Teachers.

Knowledge and Experience

Essential

- Ability to teach Humanities to Years 7 to 10 students
- Ability to teach SACE/IB Humanities subjects
- Excellent interpersonal skills to effectively communicate with students and colleagues
- Understanding of effective pedagogies for adolescent female learners
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team
- Possess up-to-date knowledge of contemporary teaching applications and theory
- An energetic and flexible approach to teaching that complements our vibrant and contemporary learning environment, with the ability to cater to different learning styles and adjust learning activities according to student needs

Desirable:

- Experience teaching Humanities in a secondary school setting
- Experience teaching SACE Humanities subjects, including Stage 2
- Experience teaching IB Diploma Humanities subjects

- Experience working in schools with laptop and tablet programs
- Experience using an LMS such as Canvas
- Experience in contributing to school co-curricular programs
- Knowledge of and experience in the Office 365 suite and its application in an educational context.

Other Responsibilities

Pastoral care is a fundamental expectation of the staff of St Peter's Girls which may involve Home Group responsibilities, yard duty and participation in School events as required. Participation in the co-curricular life of the School is an expectation, as is participation in a full-week residential camp.

Qualifications

- Registration, or ability to gain registration, to teach in South Australia
- Tertiary qualifications in education
- Valid working with Children Check (WWCC)

A Career at Saints Girls

- A unique opportunity to work in a highly regarded independent school that upholds a culture of excellence
- Collaborative and passionate team environment with a connected and inclusive community
- Internal and external professional development opportunities
- Opportunities for Interstate and International professional learning within our network of exchange schools
- Contemporary and high-tech learning spaces
- Opportunities to engage in co-curricular offerings and School events
- Well-resourced and supported teaching and learning
- Onsite parking available
- Employee Assistance Program

Conditions

This teaching position is for teaching Humanities across Years 7 to 12. This is a part-time, 1-year fixed-term contract commencing in Term 1 2025. The salary is determined by the *St Peter's Collegiate Girls' School Enterprise Agreement*. Other conditions are as outlined in the Enterprise Agreement.

Cherylyn Skewes Principal September 2024