



POSITION TITLE:	Classroom Teacher ELC – 6
DEPARTMENTS:	Junior School
LOCATION:	Masons Drive, North Parramatta NSW 2151
THIS POSITION REPORTS TO:	Deputy Principal and Head of Junior School All positions ultimately report to the Principal
CO-ORDINATES WITH:	Academic Staff
AWARD/AGREEMENT RELATIONSHIP:	Independent Schools NSW Standards Model (Teachers) Multi Enterprise Agreement 2017
SPECIAL CONDITIONS:	Full Time Temporary 12 month position Starting Term 1 2022 Supportive of the School's Christian aims and ethos

WHAT IS THE FUNDAMENTAL PURPOSE OF THE JOB?

Tara is an International Baccalaureate (IB) World School implementing the Primary Years Programme (PYP). We are a community of teachers and girls who are eager to learn, inquire about our world, ask 'unGoogle-able' questions, and care deeply about our School. It is an environment where teachers thrive professionally.

We are seeking to outstanding and enthusiastic teachers with a vision for excellence and innovation in education, and with the qualifications and capacity to work collaboratively with others, as well as show initiative with lessons and programs. The successful applicants will be self motivated, well organised and willing to enthusiastically support the School's Christian mission and be involved in the wider life of the School.

PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Our preferred candidate will:

Support girls by bringing a positive and joyful demeanour into every interaction, and undertaking their role with energy and enthusiasm.

Qualifications

- Have graduated with appropriate teaching qualifications to teach in NSW
- Have current maintenance of accreditation with NESAs, as relevant
- Have understanding and compliance with the National Standards for Teachers
- Have proven and relevant experience teaching in primary school classrooms

Professional Knowledge

- Have a thorough understanding of, and ability to implement the NESAs NSW syllabus
- The ability to implement contemporary programs with effective assessment strategies in order to meet the range of student needs and maximise the learning engagement of every student within the regular classroom or within specialist areas of Spanish, art, music, and PE
- Ability to infuse a Christian worldview in teaching and learning experiences

Professional Practice

- Be a confident practitioner in inquiry learning, differentiation and assessment for learning
- Deliver quality teaching and learning experiences for students that develop deep understanding through exploring the 'big ideas' inherent in and across curriculum areas
- Effectively integrate ICT (including digital media) for teaching and learning, administration and professional learning
- Build learning relationships through employing restorative practices
- Use one's talents and interests to contribute to the life of the School
- Undertake playground supervision and additional duties at the discretion of the Deputy Principal and Head of Junior School



Professional Engagement

- Work effectively within a team environment to support learning within the School. This will include negotiating and collaborating with other Specialist and Class Teachers to facilitate cross curricular thinking within transdisciplinary units of inquiry
- Possess excellent communication and interpersonal skills to develop positive relationships with students and teaching staff
- Demonstrate loyalty to the School and its educational mission

PERSONAL REQUIREMENTS

- An awareness of the academic, pastoral and community aspects of School life
- Loyalty to the School and its educational vision
- Active participation in the extracurricular life of the School
- Support of and participation in the Christian ethos of the School

Tara staff are expected to be committed to the overall life of the School, willing to participate in the School's extracurricular program and supportive of its Christian ethos.
Tara is a non-smoking workplace.

For more information about Tara, visit www.tara.nsw.edu.au

Application, including full CV, cover letter, academic transcripts and details of three referees, should be sent to:

The Director of Policy, Compliance and Human Resources

Tara Anglican School for Girls

Masons Drive

North Parramatta NSW 2151

Phone: (02) 9630 6655

Email: employment@tara.nsw.edu.au

Closing Date for Applications: Wednesday 6 October 2021

Employment will be subject to providing evidence of a current and valid Working With Children Check.