

JobFeed Expression of Interest

Head Teacher
James Cook Boys Technology High School

Application Information

If interested in this opportunity, submit by email an expression of interest of no more than two pages addressing the position criteria and outlining your qualifications and teaching experience. Include the names of two professional referees who are familiar with and able to discuss your professional abilities and suitability for this position.

Applications and enquiries should be forwarded to Jim Mallios, Deputy Principal

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Unless otherwise indicated, applications close 3:00pm Wednesday, the week following publication.

School Information

James Cook Boys Technology High School is a comprehensive secondary school with three inclusive education classes. Located in the southern Sydney suburb of Kogarah.

The student population of 480 has been steadily increasing over the last five years. Our school community is culturally and linguistically diverse. While 73% of students have a non-English speaking background, 60% require some level of EAL/D (English as an additional language or dialect) support. Less than 3% of all students identify as Aboriginal.

As a technology high school, the school is committed to ensuring all students have access to and develop the necessary skills to equip them to be successful learners and contributors in a rapidly changing world. Students have the opportunity to participate and be challenged in a wide range of learning experiences that occur through curriculum choices and co-curricular activities. The school has a focus on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) through inquiry-based learning that develops student's innovative and collaborative learning skills.

The school has a strong focus on improving student literacy outcomes through a sustained program of teacher professional learning. Additionally, a whole school approach to the teaching of numeracy is being implemented.

There is an aspirational emphasis on promoting and supporting students in leadership roles to positively contribute to the school and the future of the broader community. Positive Behaviour for Learning underpins student wellbeing with our expectations of safe, respectful, responsible and active learning.

The school has developed and maintains successful community and learning partnerships with local organisations and schools such as those in Bayside Learning Community (BLC) and Kogarah Cluster of Schools. The BLC consists of two secondary and six primary

schools that strategically work together to improve teacher practice and supports the academic and wellbeing needs of students transitioning from primary to secondary school. The Kogarah Cluster of Schools consists of six secondary schools working collaboratively to develop and assess faculty teaching and learning programs.

Additional information about the school can be located at the James Cook Boys Technology High School
website: www.jamescookb-h.schools.nsw.edu.au

Position Information

Head Teacher Inclusive Education Unit. Relieving for a staff member on leave, teaching and supervising three classes consisting of IM, IO/AU and AU.

Applications are required to include the names of two referees, with one being your current Principal/supervisor.

Applicants will need to seek endorsement from their Principal/supervisor to take up the position for Term 2, Weeks 1 to 6.

Position Criteria

- Experience in teaching students with mild and moderate intellectual disabilities, autism and challenging behaviours.
- Well-developed organisational and interpersonal skills to lead an Inclusive Education team of teachers and student learning support officers in implementing learning programs.