



POSITION DESCRIPTION

Position Title:	Eurythmist
Reports to:	Head of School
Employment Type:	Permanent Full-Time
Remuneration:	Dependent on Qualifications and Experience of successful candidate

Overview

Eurythmy reflects the voice of the cosmos in nature and in humanity: it makes visible in movement, gesture and form the sounds and rhythms of speech and tone. Eurythmy is considered to be of particular importance to the learning experiences and outcomes of students and for the development of teachers and the wider community.

Position Objective

To provide students and staff regular Eurythmy lessons and performance opportunities which will support the physical, emotional and mental growth of different stages of child development.

Key Accountabilities

In consultation with the Eurythmy Department

- Further develop and implement the Eurythmy curriculum and program for Shearwater
- Create Eurythmy performance opportunities for students including festivals, class plays and community events
- Assist teachers to incorporate Eurythmy and movement into their learning program
- Support and deliver Eurythmy program for teachers, support staff and parents
- Foster the development and understanding of Eurythmy at Shearwater in the wider school community
- Support teachers and students, attend staff meetings and be involved in continued Professional Learning

Key Selection Criteria

In context of the Key Accountabilities above, amongst many skills candidates should possess:

- Demonstrated experience in Eurythmy curriculum development and delivery
- Demonstrated understanding of Steiner Pedagogy and commitment to Steiner Education
- An Anthroposophical understanding of Child Development
- Commitment to further professional and personal learning through Anthroposophical study and artistic activity
- Experience working in a group setting and willingness to participate in a collegial workplace
- Willingness to participate in all aspects of the Shearwater community, including co-curricular activities such as festivals and open days

Essential

- Diploma or Degree of Eurythmy (minimum)
- Demonstrated understanding of the principles of Steiner education

Desirable

- Demonstrated experience teaching Eurythmy to Primary and Secondary students in a Steiner school
- Formal qualification relevant to an educational setting
- Current First Aid Qualification

Further information

Appointment will be subject to a satisfactory Working with Children Check as required under the Child Protection (Working With Children) Act 2012.