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Position Description

Position Title: **Primary Teacher**
FTE: **1.0 FTE (Full-time)**
Commencement Date: **Term 1, 2027**
Reports to: **Head of Primary School**

The successful applicant will deliver high-quality, Christ-centred teaching and learning in our Primary School (Kindergarten – Year 5), aligned with the Australian Curriculum (Version 9). They will promote student engagement, wellbeing, and achievement by creating meaningful learning experiences that encourage lifelong knowledge, personal growth, and Christian character formation.

Key Responsibilities

Curriculum & Teaching

- Teach an allocated timetable as determined by the school, ensuring a safe, supportive, and engaging learning environment.
- Plan, implement, and assess learning programs in accordance with the Education Australian Curriculum (Version 9).
- Integrate Christian perspectives into lessons, ensuring that a distinctive Christian worldview underpins all teaching programs and relationships.
- Deliver engaging lessons that build students' knowledge, problem solving skills, collaboration, resilience, and a joy for learning.
- Differentiate teaching to meet the needs of diverse learners.
- Use data and assessment to inform practice and track student progress.

Pastoral Care & Relationships

- Establish and maintain positive, respectful, and supportive relationships with students.
- Create safe and inclusive learning environments that promote respect, resilience, and collaboration.
- Partner with parents in supporting students' development.

Professional Practice

- Participate in collaborative planning with colleagues and contribute to faculty development.
- Engage in ongoing professional learning in pedagogy, curriculum, and Christian education.
- Maintain accurate records of student attendance, assessment, and reporting.
- Contribute to extracurricular activities, including camps, excursions and wellbeing initiatives, as required.

Christian Commitment

- Model Christ-like character and values in personal and professional life.
- Support the school's mission: to provide a Christ-centred, biblically grounded, and academically rigorous education that enables students to grow in wisdom and character, to the glory of God.
- Participate in devotions, prayer, and other expressions of the school's Christian community.

Selection Criteria

Essential

- A current teaching qualification and registration with the ACT Teacher Quality Institute (or ability to obtain prior to commencement) and Working with Vulnerable People (WWVP) card.
- Demonstrated experience teaching Primary Education in accordance with the Australian Curriculum (Version 9).
- A proven capacity to build positive, respectful, and effective relationships with young people.
- Commitment to professional growth, reflective practice, and collaboration with colleagues.
- Active membership of an evangelical Christian church and wholehearted support of the school's Christian mission and values.

Desirable

- First Aid and CPR certification (or willingness to obtain).