



Position Vacant

**Heritage College Lake Macquarie is seeking
to appoint a School Psychologist (0.4 FTE)
Commencing March, 2021**



"Working Together for Good"

School Psychologist

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KEY PERSONAL QUALITIES:

- Calm and amiable personality;
- Ability to liaise pleasantly with parents, staff, students and visitors;
- Must retain confidentiality;
- Ability to work autonomously, meet deadlines, prioritise and work as part of a team;
- A sense of humour is a useful asset;
- Self-directed and highly motivated.

ABOUT THE POSITION:

Heritage College is an innovative and creative teaching and learning environment. HCLM is a K - 12 Christian school committed to preparing every child to meet the challenges of a changing world with courage and confidence. This is achieved through a program of holistic education focused on developing the Spiritual, Physical, Intellectual and Emotional dimensions that characterise a balanced and purpose-driven life.

We have a part time opportunity (2 days a week / 0.4 FTE) for an experienced School Psychologist interested in working in a school environment.

The successful candidate will provide high quality counselling and support services to students, as well as provide educational development within the college to parents, carers, teachers and support services staff. You will be working with students experiencing psychological, social, behavioural or emotional difficulties to promote resilience, personal growth and wellbeing.

This is a part-time (0.4 FTE) position, with a commencement date during Term 2, 2021.

SKILLS AND ABILITY:

- the ability to work with people from a range of backgrounds;
- a friendly and courteous manner;
- good problem-solving skills;
- good communication and people skills;
- strong sense of professionalism;
- uses initiative and is reliable.

ESSENTIAL SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Full Registration with Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA)
- Membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS)
- Expertise and experience to fulfil the responsibilities outlined above
- Experience working with or having a good understanding of the needs of children and adolescents
- Excellent written and communication skills
- Ability to give attention to detail as in record keeping and careful follow up
- To be professional with high ethics when working with staff, students and their families
- Current NSW Driver's Licence
- A requirement of this role will be participation in the College's 2-to-4-day outdoor education camps with various year groups throughout the year.

REQUIREMENTS FOR WORK:

- All applications must demonstrate positive support for the College's Christian values.
- It is a requirement for all employees of the College to have a valid Working With Children Check (WWCC).

APPLICATION:

Should you wish to apply for the position please email your resume to applications@heritage.edu.au by Friday, March 26th 2021.