Beginning Teacher Registration Policy

Rosehill College

Introduction

Provisionally registered teachers have a right to expect a supportive environment and to undertake a planned programme of professional learning. The Principal will ensure that there are formal observations of their teaching and that they are supported by a Deputy Principal in charge of Beginning Teachers as well as their Head of Department. This support will include an advice and guidance programme based on their needs and on the NZ Teachers Council's Registered Teacher criteria.

Guidelines

1. All beginning teachers must attend orientation provided by the College before beginning teaching classes.

2. The Deputy Principal in charge of beginning teachers will ensure that:

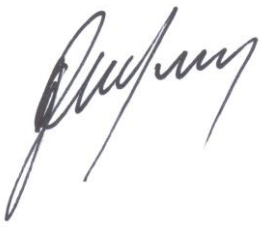
   a) Each beginning teacher has an experienced mentor responsible for his/her guidance and assessment.

   b) Beginning teachers have access to materials and resources which support their induction..

   c) Year one teachers, in their first year of teaching attend regular in-service programmes. Year two teachers will meet with the relevant senior leader as required.

3. A provisionally registered teacher's suitability for full registration will be considered at a meeting of the Principal, Deputy Principal in charge of beginning teachers and mentor of the teacher concerned. Regard will be given to the criteria as set out by the Registered Teacher Criteria Professional Standards.

Signed for the Board of Trustees



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