

Job description: Islamic Studies Teacher or Arabic/Islamic Studies Teacher

The Swiss International Scientific School in Dubai is a leading day and boarding school where future generations are inspired to become confident and enthusiastic life-long learners, ready to embrace the opportunities of a global world. Our school follows the full continuum International Baccalaureate (IB) programme in English with additional languages or in two bilingual English-French and English- German streams. SISD is an IB Continuum World School authorised to offer and teach the IB Primary Years Programme (PYP), IB Middle Years Programme (MYP) and IB Diploma Programme (DP). Our unique curriculum offers an engaging learning experience, the challenge of developing a real understanding of cultural diversity and the support of a thriving international community. Our large eco-friendly campus ensures that we can offer a wide range of sporting facilities that make the most of our location adjacent to Dubai Creek.

Job title	Islamic Studies Teacher or Arabic/Islamic Studies Teacher	Department	Arabic
Start date	1 August 2018	Location	Dubai, UAE
Reports to	Head of Department	Position(s) supervised	none

Job Scope	The role of the Arabic/Islamic Studies Teacher is to implement and teach the Ministry's Curriculum of Arabic/Islamic Studies in the UAE for Muslim and Non-Muslim students from Pre-KG to Grade 6.
Main Duties and Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create syllabi for each of the courses assigned in line with the Ministry of Education requirements on Arabic/Islamic Studies • Plan, initiate and guide the units of Arabic/Islamic Studies which involve knowledge and understanding of Islam and other major world religions • Foster the understanding of religious traditions and appreciation of the cultural differences in the UAE today • Create and evaluate assessments of each student's work and keep records updated • Communicate regularly and constructively with students and parents • Use teaching methods engaging students, stimulating intellectual curiosity including the use of effective questioning, presentation and resources • Set high expectations for students behaviour, establishing and maintaining a good standard of behaviour management through well focused teaching and through positive and productive relationships

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Contribute to the extra-curricular activities programme
Key Relationships	
Internal	Students, Teachers, Head of Department, PYP Coordinator, Head of Primary School
External	Parents, KHDA, IB

Position Requirements	
Education	University teaching degree with Qualification in Arabic and Islamic Studies
MUST HAVE SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KHDA approved Bi-lingual fluency in Arabic and English
Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minimum of 2 years of teaching experience with preference in Dubai Teaching experience in an international IB school highly valued
Competencies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrate professionalism, commitment, integrity, strength of character and perseverance Inter-culturally aware with well-developed interpersonal skills Inspire trust and confidence in students and colleagues High standard of classroom management skills and knowledge of teaching techniques Articulate communicator Committed to ensuring high standards of teaching
Additional Requirements	Any additional language a plus
Salary & Benefits	The salary and benefits package is competitive, will be commensurate with the qualifications and experience of the successful candidate and is in line with UAE Labour Law.
Contract	Unlimited on Free Zone
Application	<p>Candidates are requested to submit the following documents:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cover letter, no longer than one page, explaining your strengths as a candidate and why you are interested in this particular position Current CV not to exceed two pages A list of 3 professional referees with current contact details (position, phone number and e-mail address) not older than 5 years with one being your current line manager <p>Please send your application to: hr@sisd.ae</p>