

Information for applicants

Prince Alfred College

Prince Alfred College, known as PAC or Princes, is an independent, day and boarding, boys' school in Adelaide, South Australia. Founded by the Methodist Church in 1869, PAC is now a Uniting Church school.

Situated on Dequetteville Terrace, adjacent to the parklands surrounding the city of Adelaide, PAC enjoys an excellent location and fine facilities. In addition, Princes has an outdoor education campus at Scott's Creek on the Murray River and an extended-stay, Year 9 campus at Point Turton on the Yorke Peninsula.

The College currently has a record enrolment of over 1140 boys from Reception to Year 12, including around 150 boarders, which is the largest boys' boarding program in South Australia. In addition, the school has a co-educational Early Learning Centre for over 200 children.

PAC is an International Baccalaureate World School, offering PYP and IB Diploma programs, together with the South Australian Certificate of Education at senior levels. PAC is also an active member of the International Boys' Schools Coalition and the International Association of Methodist Schools, Colleges and Universities, with the Headmaster currently serving on the Boards of both those organisations.

PAC's new strategic plan, launched in June 2021 is focused on our role as a leading boys' school, both nationally and internationally, and our responsibilities to contribute, to serve, and to drive positive change. A copy of the strategic plan may be accessed **here**.

The Position

With the appointment of the incumbent, Mr Ben Evans, to a senior position in a leading independent school in the UK, we are now seeking an outstanding educational leader for the key role of Director of Teaching and Learning. Suitably qualified men and women are encouraged to apply for this position.

The Director of Teaching and Learning is responsible to the Headmaster for providing the best possible educational programs and outcomes for all our students, ELC-12, at Prince Alfred College.

Reporting to the Headmaster, as a member of the College Executive, the Director of Teaching and Learning is expected to make a significant contribution to the overall directions of the College.

Other members of the Executive are as follows:

- Headmaster
- Head of Preparatory School
- · Head of Secondary School / Deputy Headmaster
- · Director of Co-curricular Activities
- Director of Advancement
- Director of Human Resources
- Director of Corporate Services

The Director of Teaching and Learning has the following key reports:

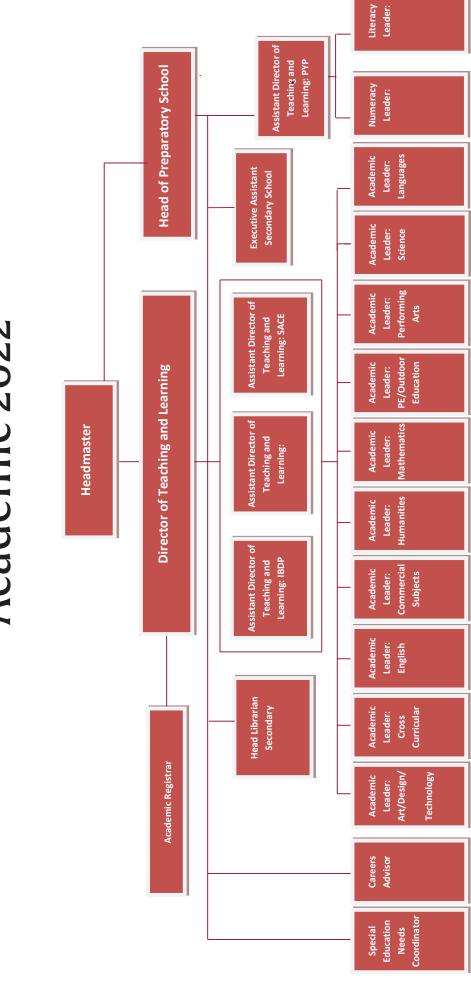
- Assistant Directors of Teaching and Learning for IB Diploma, SACE, Middle Years and Preparatory;
- · Academic Leaders;
- · Special Education Needs Co-ordinator;
- · Head Librarian Secondary;
- Academic Registrar.

This position will be required to commence at the beginning of the academic year in 2022 and will involve some teaching. Remuneration will be commensurate with the position.

A detailed duty statement may be accessed **here**.



Academic 2022



Candidate Specifications

We are seeking an outstanding educational leader to fill this key role at Prince Alfred College. The successful candidate will have a proven track record of leading high-quality educational programs and will ideally be an acknowledged leader in boys' education.

Candidates should possess the following attributes, qualities and experience:

- Sound educational qualifications
- Prior experience in a senior leadership, or senior middle management position in the academic area.
- Experience in an independent, ELC-12 school, is desirable
- Experience and expertise in boys' education is desirable.
- Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal, are essential.
- Experience with SACE and International Baccalaureate is highly desirable.
- Successful experience in leading a large and complex staff team is essential.
- Proven skills and experience in developing strategy and innovation in teaching and learning, and leading and implementing change programs.

- An overriding commitment to, and high aspirations for, students' learning and staff development.
- A strong grounding in pedagogy, course design and curriculum development and review.
- Willingness to support, promote and develop the ethos and values of the College.
- Authentic leadership skills, combining high level strategic thinking with the ability to implement major projects and initiatives.
- The ability to build strong relationships with, and inspire, the College community, including students, staff and parents.





Application Process

Applicants are asked to supply the following:

- Brief covering letter, outlining what the candidate would bring to the position.
- · Curriculum vitae.
- Names and contact details of three referees, including at least one personal and one professional referee.

These documents should be addressed to the Headmaster, Mr. Bradley Fenner, and sent to **careers@pac.edu.au** by 5pm Friday, 13 August 2021.

Any queries about the position or the selection process should be directed to the Headmaster at (08) 8334 1223 or **bfenner@pac.edu.au**.

