



ST. BRIGID'S COLLEGE

A Ministry of Mercy Education Ltd

'Light the Way'

Full-time Ongoing College Counsellor

St Brigid's College is committed to providing excellence in education within a Christ-centred environment. St Brigid's supports students in their growth as contributing members of the community whilst living the ethos of the Catholic faith within the spirit of Mercy.

The Counsellor reports to the Heads of School and Head of Boarding and performs an integral role, guiding the support of students, families and staff, as well as implementing and evaluating solutions focused counselling and support programs at the College.

The Counsellor is an important member of the College Pastoral team. The successful applicant will have the ability to develop positive relationships, fostering a culture of wellbeing and collaboration, and being proactive in the support of the Mercy values and ethos of the College, as well as its co-curricular activities. Applicants must be fully supportive of the objectives and ethos of Catholic education.

Key Selection Criteria:

- Experienced working with children and their families in a mental health, clinical or educational setting
- Managing the legal, ethical and organisational requirements of a clinical, counselling role within an educational setting (e.g. privacy, confidentiality and disclosure)
- The ability to effectively operate as a member of a dynamic team
- A strong work ethic, the ability to work independently and be self-motivated

Qualification and Essential requirement:

- Commitment to the values of St Brigid's College
- Hold relevant counselling qualification and appropriate registration with the relevant professional membership (PACFA or ACA)
- Current Working with Children Check
- Cleared Nationally Coordinated Criminal History Check
- Completed, or undertake to complete, Accreditation to Work in a Catholic School
- Evidence of receiving all required COVID-19 vaccinations or approved exception as per current legislation. More information can be found at Mandatory COVID-19 vaccination policy for WA workforces.

Desirable:

Current WA "C" class Driver's Licence

St Brigid's College encourages applications from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people, people with a disability, people of all ages and people from culturally diverse backgrounds. To be eligible to apply for this role you must be legally permitted to work in Australia.

Applicants must be fully supportive of the objective and ethos of Catholic education.

Applicants will need to complete the College's Application form, provide a current CV, and submit a covering letter addressed to the Principal. Email: sbchr@stbrigids.wa.edu.au

Applications close at 3.00p.m. on Friday 3 December 2021