CONVENT OF THE SACRED HEART SCHOOL FOUNDATION DUTIES OF ASSISTANT HEAD OF SCHOOL Extracted from Call for Applications

Overall Purpose of Post

a. Assisting and deputizing for the Head of School in the efficient and effective management and control of the human, physical and financial resources of the school; and
b. Offering professional leadership in the implementation and development of the National Curriculum Framework.

Main Responsibilities

a. Assisting in managing the school or such part of the school as may be determined by the Head of School;

b. Undertaking any professional duties which may be delegated to him/her by the Head of School; c. In the absence of the Head of School, undertaking the management and professional duties of the Head of School;

d. Adopting and working towards the implementation of the school development plan of the particular school they are giving service in;

e. Providing professional support to teachers in the proper execution of their pedagogical duties, particularly by mentoring new teaching staff;

f. Co-operating with the Head of School in the implementation and evaluation of curriculum innovation and development within the school;

g. Acquiring experience in the management of different levels of school, including taking charge of the kindergarten section of the school, if applicable;

h. In cases of emergency, taking charge of a class;

i. Encouraging participation in EU projects and other projects in accordance with SDP targets and as agreed with the Senior Management Team;

j. Any other duties according to the exigencies of the school as directed by the Head of School or Board of Governors.