

# TEACHING IN AN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL SEMINAR

Tuesday, 25 July Wesley College, South Perth 6.00 pm – 8.30 pm (approx)

## PANELISTS REQUIRED

Planning for the **2017 Teaching in an Independent School (TIS) Seminar** is now underway. Panel members for both the Principal's Panel for the first session and the **three panels during the final session** are needed (*please see the following program*).

Approximately an hour of time is sought from panel members to give those graduating students and teachers who are interested in teaching in the Independent sector an insight into what makes it such a unique and rewarding employment and career opportunity. The early childhood, primary and secondary education panelists will be required to answer questions attendees have about teaching at varying levels within these teaching areas. That's why we require a Principal (panel leader), at least one experienced teacher and one new teacher to take part in each panel – so graduates can get an all-round picture of what it's like to work in this sector. Principals participating in both the Principal's Panel and the final session panels will be required for the full event.

If you, or some of your staff members, are interested in being involved in the seminar please forward the following details to: npreston@ais.wa.edu.au by Friday, 23 June.

Name:	
Position:	
School:	
Email:	
Phone:	

POSITION and PANEL (please tick the appropriate box/es)	Principal Panel	Early Childhood	Primary	Secondary
Principal/Chair				
A "New" Teacher				
An "Experienced" Teacher				

#### PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO:

Niki Preston via: npreston@ais.wa.edu.au by 4.00pm Friday, 23 June



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### **PROGRAM**

6.00pm – 6.20pm SESSION ONE Approx. 20 minutes

**Executive Director of AISWA**, to speak on the nature of independent schools, what makes an Independent school different from other schools, philosophies and styles of schools, what a Principal looks for in an application and interview, salaries and conditions. The Executive Director will also speak on curriculum issues, Aboriginal Independent Community Schools and support services in Independent schools.

6.20pm – 7.20pm SESSION TWO Approx. 60 minutes

**A Panel of Principals** – Approximately six Principals from a variety of different types of schools to speak on the key features of their respective schools. This session includes time for questions from the floor.

7.20pm – 7.40pm REFRESHMENTS Approx. 20 minutes

7.40pm – 8.30pm SESSION THREE Approx. 50 minutes

Panel discussion - three panels: ECE, Primary and Secondary to be held in breakout rooms. Ideally, each panel will comprise at least one Principal, a new teacher and an experienced teacher.

8.30pm (approx) CLOSURE