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**Principal (International Section)  
Japanese International School  
Hong Kong**

Application Deadline: February 28, 2025

Hong Kong | Start date: August 2025

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## **Principal - International Section**

### **Job Description**

#### **Criteria for Applicants:**

- **Leadership Experience:**
  - Proven track record in leading primary schools with successful development initiatives.
  - Confidence to guide the school into its next phase of growth.
- **Qualifications:**
  - High-level academic and professional qualifications.
  - Demonstrated commitment to professional growth with recent achievements in learning and development.
- **Key Skills:**
  - Strong expertise in administrative management, including budgeting and strategic planning.
  - Deep understanding and experience within International Baccalaureate (I.B.) communities (preferred).
  - Familiarity with international learning and teaching environments.
- **Personal Attributes:**
  - Creativity and a strong desire to work collaboratively with the school community.
  - Enthusiasm for curriculum innovation and addressing environmental issues.
  - Ability to serve as a role model within the school community.

#### **Additional Information:**

- Interested candidates can request an information pack for further details.

#### **School Overview:**

The Japanese International School of Hong Kong opened in 1997 and has developed a very special niche in the provision of top quality international education within Hong Kong.

Voted 'Primary School of the Year' in June 2021, in the first ever HK Education Awards, JIS sits on a large, purpose built campus in the North East New Territories of Hong Kong, where we provide a unique, multi-cultural context for our students. We have a strong commitment to quality education supported by a dedicated learning community. We have been a fully authorized IB world school since 2007 and utilise the Primary Years Programme (PYP) as our curriculum framework.

The PYP curriculum framework compliments our desire to be an international school that develops a deep understanding within our students of issues that relate to their lives locally and globally. Our students come from a range of nationalities and cultures which is reflected in our

curriculum design. We set ourselves high standards in all that we do, both through academic study and the provision of a broad curriculum that encompasses a wide range of creative learning experiences and additional language study. We have a major focus on the environment and exploring the great outdoors. Students at JIS develop an appreciation and love for nature and the environment.

At JIS we offer a unique environment that offers high quality facilities. Our school is accessible from all areas of Hong Kong, with easy access from both urban areas and the New Territories. We specialize in small class sizes, fully qualified teachers from around the world and extensive resources to support learning, teaching and the development of the whole child.

Our students are happy, motivated and caring members of our learning community. We develop positive, open-minded individuals who love to learn, be creative, be active and who have a strong commitment to their community and the wider world. All members of the learning community uphold our core values of Kindness, Commitment and Respect.

## **To Apply:**

Applicants should send their letter of application and updated C.V. with the names of two contactable referees to the JIS recruitment team: [recruit@es.jis.edu.hk](mailto:recruit@es.jis.edu.hk)

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For further information or questions please contact [recruit@es.jis.edu.hk](mailto:recruit@es.jis.edu.hk)