

# Mehmet Tevfik Efendi

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Mehmet Tevfik Efendi was born in Divrigi in AH 1253. Recorded schooling includes 4 years at Sibyan Mektebi. First work is recorded in Sivas in AH 1288 (35 AH years after the recorded birth year). The surviving career record covers 19 distinct AH years between 1288 and 1322, with gaps; it begins with cavus in Sivas (300 kuruş monthly). Tefrik Odasi appears later, in AH 1320 (270 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing).

1 field has differing source assertions; displayed values do not adjudicate the alternatives. Inspect the online evidence.

## Recorded preparation

|                                        |                         |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Birth                                  | AH 1253; divrigi        |
| School / programme                     | Sibyan Mektebi          |
| Schooling duration                     | 4 source-recorded years |
| Apprenticeship duration                | 0 source-recorded years |
| Qualification field (recorded code)    | 1                       |
| Telegraph-school field (recorded code) | 0                       |
| Religion wording                       | Musuluman               |
| Nationality wording                    | Turkish                 |

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

## First-work fields

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|--------------------|-----------|
| Recorded year      | AH 1288   |
| Place              | Sivas     |
| First-salary field | 300 kuruş |

First-work may concern earlier state service or preparation. The first-salary amount is separately recorded and is not dated by the first-work year.

## Honours, rank and legal records

Decoration wording is unrecorded in the linked text fields.

October annual indicator · raw values: 0; Additional October code · raw values: 0

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes, codes and source locators remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

## Annual chronology

19 annual entries in 19 recorded AH years. G labels are stored source labels, not exact conversions. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

| AH year | G label | Recorded title | Locality / province            | Monthly kuruş |
|---------|---------|----------------|--------------------------------|---------------|
| 1288    | 1871    | cavus          | sivas; Province: sivas         | 300           |
| 1289    | 1872    | cavus          | sivas; Province: sivas         | 300           |
| 1290    | 1873    | cavus          | sivas; Province: sivas         | 300           |
| 1307    | 1890    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 150           |
| 1308    | 1891    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 150           |
| 1309    | 1892    | Mersule Memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 150           |
| 1310    | 1892    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 200           |
| 1311    | 1893    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 200           |
| 1312    | 1894    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 230           |
| 1313    | 1895    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 230           |
| 1314    | 1896    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 250           |
| 1315    | 1897    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 250           |
| 1316    | 1898    | mersule memuru | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 250           |
| 1317    | 1899    | pul kitabeti   | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 270           |
| 1318    | 1900    | pul kitabeti   | galata; Province: dersaadet    | 270           |
| 1319    | 1901    | tefrik odasi   | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet | 270           |
| 1320    | 1902    | tefrik odasi   | topkapi; Province: dersaadet   | 270           |
| 1321    | 1903    | tefrik odasi   | topkapi; Province: dersaadet   | 270           |
| 1322    | 1904    | tefrik odasi   | topkapi; Province: dersaadet   | 350           |

## Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-10b1b17e52ff0af7/#honours-records>

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