

Mehmet Şemsettin Efendi

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Mehmet Şemsettin Efendi was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1269 (1852–1853). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1289 (1872–1873), 20 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 34 distinct AH years in AH 1290–1323 (1873–1906); it begins with Muhasebe Kalemi in İstanbul (120 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: tekellum.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1269 (1852–1853); dersaadet
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	2 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	0
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	1
Father's occupation	Evkaf-i Humayun mucellidi
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: tekellum

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1289 (1872–1873)
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	120 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.

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0

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

Annual chronology

34 annual entries in 34 recorded AH years. Gregorian equivalents are shown in parentheses; source G years are retained separately. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1290 (1873–1874)	1873	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	120
AH 1291 (1874–1875)	1874	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	170
AH 1292 (1875–1876)	1875	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	170
AH 1293 (1876–1877)	1876	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	170
AH 1294 (1877–1878)	1877	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	400
AH 1295 (1878)	1878	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	400
AH 1296 (1878–1879)	1879	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	400
AH 1297 (1879–1880)	1880	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	380
AH 1298 (1880–1881)	1881	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	380
AH 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	380
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	400
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	400
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	500
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	500
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	500
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	500
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	700
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	700
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	700
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	icmal kitabeti	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	700
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	Muhassebe Kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	750
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	750
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	750
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: dersaadet	850

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	800
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	800
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	800
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1321 (1903–1904)	1903	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1322 (1904–1905)	1904	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	850
AH 1323 (1905–1906)	1905	muhassebe kalemi	istanbul; Province: darsaadet	1000

Citation and sources

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