

Mehmet Refik Efendi

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Mehmet Refik Efendi was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1286. Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1309 (23 AH years after the recorded birth year). The surviving career record covers 5 distinct AH years between 1310 and 1314; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Mabeyni humayun (150 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). Mehmet Refik Efendi's death is recorded under AH 1315 (1897).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1286; dersaadet
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	1 source-recorded year
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Mabeyn-i Humayun-i Hazret-i sahane tablakar
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1309
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	150 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

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Annual chronology

5 annual entries in 5 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
1310	1892	muhabere memuru	mabeyni humayun; Province: dersaadet	150
1311	1893	muhabere memuru	mabeyni humayun; Province: dersaadet	300
1312	1894	muhabere memuru	mabeyni humayun; Province: dersaadet	300
1313	1895	muhabere memuru	mabeyni humayun; Province: dersaadet	500
1314	1896	muhabere memuru	mabeyni humayun; Province: dersaadet	550

Citation and sources

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