

Mehmet Rauf Efendi

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Mehmet Rauf Efendi was born in Selanik in AH 1290 (1873–1874). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1303 (1885–1886), 13 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 22 distinct AH years in AH 1303–1324 (1885–1907); it begins with Muhaberati Ecnebiye Memuriyeti in Beyoglu (250 kuruş monthly). Basmudur Kitabeti appears later, in AH 1324 (1906–1907), with 600 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1290 (1873–1874); selanik
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	0.5 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	0
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Tuccar
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

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

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1303 (1885–1886)
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	250 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

22 annual entries in 22 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 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	selanik; Province: selanik	380
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	selanik; Province: selanik	380
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	selanik; Province: selanik	380
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	selanik; Province: selanik	380
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	selanik; Province: selanik	380
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	Muhaberati Ecnebiye Memuriyeti	kutahya; Province: hudavendigar	800
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kutahya; Province: hudavendigar	800
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kutahya; Province: hudavendigar	800
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	750
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	675
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	675
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	675
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	675
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	2. mudur	limni; Province: cezairi bahri sefid	675
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	2. mudur	drama; Province: selanik	750
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	2. mudur	drama; Province: selanik	750
AH 1321 (1903–1904)	1903	2. mudur	drama; Province: selanik	750
AH 1322 (1904–1905)	1904	2. mudur	drama; Province: selanik	750
AH 1323 (1905–1906)	1905	2. mudur	drama; Province: selanik	750
AH 1324 (1906–1907)	1906	basmudur kitabeti	selanik; Province: selanik	600

Citation and sources

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