

Mehmet Şerif Efendi

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Mehmet Şerif Efendi was born in Varna in AH 1289 (1872–1873). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in Beyazit in AH 1304 (1886–1887), 15 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 11 distinct AH years in AH 1307–1318 (1889–1901), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Bitlis (300 kuruş monthly). 3. Mudur appears later, in AH 1318 (1900–1901), with 540 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1289 (1872–1873); varna
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	3 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	0
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Telgraf Muduru
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1304 (1886–1887)
Place	Beyazit
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.

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

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Annual chronology

11 annual entries in 11 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 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	muhabere memuru	bitlis; Province: bitlis	300
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	muhabere memuru	bitlis; Province: bitlis	300
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	muhabere memuru	bayezid; Province: erzurum	300
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhabere memuru	van; Province: van	380
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhabere memuru	van; Province: van	450
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	3. mudur	bargiri; Province: van	500
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	3. mudur	bargiri; Province: van	500
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	3. mudur	bargiri; Province: van	500
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	3. mudur	bargiri; Province: van	500
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	3. mudur	bargiri; Province: van	500
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	3. mudur	semdinan; Province: van	540

Citation and sources

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