

Mehmet Durak Bey

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Mehmet Durak Bey was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1284 (1867–1868). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1302 (1884–1885), 18 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 16 distinct AH years in AH 1305–1320 (1887–1903); it begins with Muhimme Kalemi in Dersaadet (150 kuruş monthly). Mekatib Memuru appears later, in AH 1319 (1901–1902), with 350 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1284 (1867–1868); dersaadet
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
Religion wording	Musuluman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1302 (1884–1885)
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

16 annual entries in 16 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 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	170
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	Muhimme Kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	170
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	200
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	200
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	220
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	220
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	muhimme kalemi	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	mekatib memuru	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	350
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	mekatib memuru	dersaadet; Province: dersaadet	350

Citation and sources

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