

Kosti Efendi

BOA, DH.SAİD, Sicill-i Ahvâl Defterleri, Dahiliye Nezâreti

Archival reference as recorded: 116_78; 153

Kosti Efendi was born in Nevsehir in AH 1287. Recorded schooling includes 4 years at Rum Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1310 (23 AH years after the recorded birth year). The surviving career record covers 14 distinct AH years between 1310 and 1323; it begins with Muvezzi in Sariyer (200 kuruş monthly). Muhaberati Ecnebiye Memuriyeti appears later, in AH 1323 (400 kuruş monthly). Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing).

1 field has differing source assertions; displayed values do not adjudicate the alternatives. Inspect the online evidence.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1287; nevsehir
School / programme	Rum Mektebi
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	0 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Religion wording	Hristiyan
Nationality wording	Rum

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

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1310
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	200 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.

October annual indicator · raw values: 0; Additional October code · raw values: 0

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

Annual chronology

14 annual entries in 14 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	muvezzi	sariyer; Province: dersaadet	200
1311	1893	muvezzi	sariyer; Province: dersaadet	200
1312	1894	muvezzi	sariyer; Province: dersaadet	200
1313	1895	muvezzi	sariyer; Province: dersaadet	200
1314	1896	muvasil	tarabya; Province: dersaadet	200
1315	1897	muvasil	tarabya; Province: dersaadet	200
1316	1898	muvasil	tarabya; Province: dersaadet	200
1317	1899	muvasil	tarabya; Province: dersaadet	200
1318	1900	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	buyukdere; Province: dersaadet	310
1319	1901	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	buyukdere; Province: dersaadet	310
1320	1902	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	buyukdere; Province: dersaadet	310
1321	1903	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	buyukdere; Province: dersaadet	310
1322	1904	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	buyukdere; Province: dersaadet	310
1323	1905	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	400

Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-fc72f5821158fae3/#honours-records>

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