

**ADVERT ID 247943**

## Principal Teacher

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### Scoil Mhuire

Dristernan Gleneely Inishowen Gleneely F93P212  
<https://www.theglen.ie>



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### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Active  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Wed Jan 21 2026  
**Application Closing Date:** Thu Feb 5 2026  
**Commencement Date:** Mon Feb 23 2026  
**Status of Post:** Permanent  
This is a readvertisement

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### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Classification:** DEIS Rural  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 8  
**Current Enrolment:** 115  
**Droichead school:** No

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### POST DETAILS

#### Additional Information:

The Board of Management of Scoil Mhuire Gleneely invites applications for the position of principal. Our school has a Catholic ethos and operates under the patronage of the Bishop of Derry.

The roles and responsibilities for this post relate to the following 4 domains of leadership and management as specified in Circular 44/2019;

- 1 Leading Teaching and Learning
- 2 Managing the Organisation
- 3 Leading School Development
- 4 Developing Leadership Capacity

The following skills, experience and knowledge are desirable:

- Proven leadership skills including policy development and implementation.
- Experience of teaching in a DEIS school and knowledge of DEIS programmes and initiatives.
- Experience of the SSE process.
- Effective interpersonal communication and people management skills.
- Previous teaching experience across a range of classes and special education.
- Proven ability to work as a member of a team in a collaborative manner.
- Experience in the development, implementation, operation and evaluation of innovative and evidence based initiatives.
- Ability to promote a culture of learning and creativity in the school.
- Ability to work collaboratively with all staff members and the wider school community.
- Understanding of and commitment to the ethos of a Catholic school.
- Willingness to undertake continuous professional development.
- Experience with special education, ASD units and writing and reviewing of support plans is

desirable.

To be eligible for consideration, candidates:

- Must be fully registered with the teaching council under Route 1 - Primary.
- Have a Certificate to teach RE.

Applications will be accepted by post only. Please send 3 copies of all the documents.

A minimum of 3 valid applications are required for the competition to proceed.

Appointment is subject to current teaching council registration, satisfactory references, Garda Vetting and Occupational Health Screening Approval.

Applications required on or before the 5th February 2026. Please mark envelope with 'Principal Post'.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position.](#)
- [Standard Application Form for Principalship/Deputy Principalship - in English](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- Teaching Council Registration
- Recognised Certificate to Teach Religious Education

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

#### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

<b>Roll Number:</b>	18517N
<b>Apply To:</b>	Chairperson: Mr Niall Mc Guinness 11 Bayview, Carndonagh, Co. Donegal. F93 FK58
<b>County:</b>	Donegal
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