ADVERT ID 248494

Deputy Principal

Coláiste Shliabh na mBan

Kickham Barracks, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary.

MAIN DETAILS

Status:	Active
Level:	Primary
Date Posted:	Thu Mar 5 2026
Application Closing Date:	Thu Mar 19 2026
Commencement Date:	Thu Apr 30 2026
Status of Post:	Permanent

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type:	ETB School
School Structure:	Co-Educational
Droichead school:	No

POST DETAILS

Additional Information:

Coláiste Shliabh na mBan is a high-support school under the patronage of Tipperary ETB for students with a clearly identified Special Education Need in the area of Emotional and Behavioural Difficulties, or those whose diverse needs have not been met in mainstream education.

The school has relocated from Ferryhouse to Kickham Barracks, Clonmel, for the 2025/26 academic year.

The school's Mission Statement is "to provide a positive child-centred education based on care and respect for each person in the community."

The school operates a low pupil-teacher ratio (9 teaching staff), access to a range of support programmes, hot meals, a wide range of subjects, and excellent facilities.

The school provides education from 5th class to Leaving Certificate Applied. The standard primary school timetable and academic year applies.

The successful candidate will have the following:

• Full registration under Route 1 (Primary), Route 4 (Other), or Route 2 (Post Primary) with the Teaching Council of Ireland.
• 5 years recognised teaching service, two of which must be in a recognised primary school or post-primary school within the Republic of Ireland.
• An understanding of and commitment to the ethos of Tipperary ETB.
• An in-depth knowledge of the Primary Curriculum and a broad range of teaching experience and a high level of understanding and knowledge of special education needs and of inclusion and diversity in education.
• Experience working with autistic individuals, as well as experience of working with students with behaviours of concern within a special school setting.
• Excellent people management and communication skills.
• Proven leadership skills.
• A commitment to and evidence of continuing and relevant professional development.
• Experience in the development, implementation, operation, and evaluation of innovative school based initiatives.
• Knowledge and capacity to successfully lead and administer a school.
• Experience in prioritising, planning, and organising workload.
• Previous experience in policy development.

Specific roles and responsibilities for this position relate to the four domains of leadership and

management, taken from "Looking at our School, 2022".
1. Leading Teaching and Learning
2. Managing the Organisation
3. Leading School Development
4. Developing Leadership Capacity

Closing date for e-mailed Standard Application Form is 12 noon on Thursday 19th March 2026.
Please e-mail to careers@tipperaryetb.ie

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
- Foirm Iarratais Chaighdeánach ar Phost an Phríomhoide agus an Leas-Phríomhoide – as Gaeilge

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

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