

ADVERT ID 249810

Deputy Principal

Scoil Mhichil Naofa

Mount Hawkins Athy R14 XD86
<https://www.smnathy.ie>



MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Thu Apr 2 2026
Application Closing Date: Mon Apr 27 2026
Commencement Date: Mon Aug 17 2026
Status of Post: Permanent

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream with Special Classes
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Classification: DEIS 1
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 59
Current Enrolment: 497
Droichead school: Yes

POST DETAILS

Additional Information:

Scoil Mhichíl Naofa is a Vertical Co-Educational school under the Patronage of the Archbishop of Dublin. The Board of Management of Scoil Mhichíl Naofa invites applications for the position of Administrative Deputy Principal. This is a permanent position appointed through open competition in line with Circular 0044/2019 and Information Note 0008/2022.

The successful candidate will be an experienced educational leader who is:

- Committed to the Catholic ethos of the school and the values of the Mercy tradition: compassion, respect, inclusion, service, and justice and hold a recognised Certificate to teach Religious Education;
- A clear visionary to lead quality teaching and learning in a DEIS 1 context;
- Skilled in leadership, management and communication;
- Experienced in working with a large ISLM team, with strong delegation skills;
- Proficient in human resource management, including staff development and well-being;
- Committed to inclusive education, with proven capacity to lead and support Special Classes as well as mainstream provision;
- Experienced in DEIS planning, pastoral care, parental involvement and the promotion of positive behaviour strategies;
- Able to promote pupil voice and choice;
- Able to foster a collaborative and motivated school community.

Applications will only be accepted by post to the school address below.

Please include 3 copies of your application and ensure that your application is clearly labelled "Deputy Principal Application".

Applications must arrive by post, no later than 3pm on Monday 27th April 2026.

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

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number: 18288B
Apply To: Mount Hawkins
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