

ADVERT ID 259990

Deputy Principal

Leckaun National School

Leckaun Via Sligo F91N923
<https://www.leckaunns.ie>



MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Mon Aug 3 2026
Application Closing Date: Thu Aug 20 2026
Commencement Date: Mon Aug 31 2026
Status of Post: Acting

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 3
Current Enrolment: 33
Droichead school: No

POST DETAILS

Additional Information:

The Board of Management of Leckaun National School invites applications from suitably qualified primary teachers for the position of Acting Deputy Principal for the 2026/2027 school year. The post arises from a career break.

Leckaun N.S. is a small, rural, co-educational, multi-grade vertical school under Catholic patronage, with two mainstream class teachers and a special education teacher post. The Acting Deputy Principal works closely with the Principal, supporting strong leadership and the smooth day-to-day running of the school.

Key Responsibilities:

The roles and responsibilities of the post are aligned with the four domains of leadership and management set out in Circular 0044/2019:

- Leading Teaching and Learning
- Managing the Organisation
- Leading School Development
- Developing Leadership Capacity

Desirable Skills, Experience and Knowledge:

- Previous teaching experience across a range of classes in a multi-grade setting, particularly with junior classes.
- Proven leadership skills, including experience in policy development and implementation.
- Ability to work collaboratively as part of a small team and with the wider school community.
- Ability to foster a culture of learning, creativity and wellbeing within the school.
- Willingness to engage in Continuous Professional Development.

How to Apply:

Applications should be submitted by email to applications@leckaunns.ie

or by post to:

Chairperson Fr. Paul Casey,
St. Patrick's Parochial House,
Dromahair,
Co. Leitrim
F91 YR82

Please include "Acting Deputy Principal Application" in the subject line of the email or marked clearly on the envelope.

Application Deadline: 12 noon on Thursday 20th August 2026.

Note: Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. Canvassing will disqualify. Appointment will be subject to current vetting requirements, occupational health screening and satisfactory references.

You can learn more about Leckaun N.S. by visiting our website, www.leckaunns.ie or by following us on social media.

[It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position upon offer of employment.](#)

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [Standard Application Form for Principalship/Deputy Principalship - in English](#)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- Teaching Council Registration
- Recognised Certificate to Teach Religious Education

Applications may be submitted by

- Email
- Post

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number:	18329M
Apply To:	Chairperson Fr. Paul Casey, St. Patrick's Parochial House, Dromahair, Co. Leitrim F91 YR82
County:	Leitrim
Website:	https://www.leckaunns.ie
Further Information:	https://leckaunns.blogspot.com

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