

ADVERT ID 262773

Principal Teacher

Bunscoil Mhuire

Bunscoil Mhuire O' Briens Place Youghal P36 PR62
<https://www.bunscoilmhuire.com>

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Thu Oct 1 2026
Application Closing Date: Fri Oct 23 2026
Commencement Date: Mon Jan 11 2027
Status of Post: Permanent

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream with Special Classes
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 40
Current Enrolment: 470
Droichead school: Yes

POST DETAILS

Additional Information:

Bunscoil Mhuire, Youghal, Co.Cork is a co-educational mainstream primary school with a current enrolment of 470 pupils over twenty one classes plus five special classes. The position of Principal is a fully administrative role. The position of Deputy Principal is also fully administrative and there are currently three AP1 and eight AP2 post holders . Bunscoil Mhuire has a long educational history dating back to the 1830's when a primary school was founded by the Presentation Sisters. It moved to the current campus in 1969 and came into being as Bunscoil Mhuire in 1996 following the amalgamation of the Presentation Sisters school and the Christian Brothers school under the patronage of the Bishop of Cloyne serving the town of Youghal and a wide catchment area.

Due to the pending retirement of our current principal, we are now seeking a new principal who will lead a dedicated and collaborative staff and who will work closely with the school community of parents, school management, the patron and wider community. The principal will continue to foster a nurturing, supportive and child centered learning environment where every child is encouraged and supported to achieve their full potential.

The recruitment process will be governed by the terms of the Department Circular 0044/2019 chapter 4.

The roles and responsibilities of the post relate to the four domains of Leadership and Management set out in the Circular.

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

Applications are invited BY EMAIL ONLY to the School Manager at the email address below. The appointment will be subject to Garda Vetting, satisfactory References and the approval of the Patron.

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](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Teaching Council Registration
- Recognised Certificate to Teach Religious Education

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number:	20024C
Apply To:	John O'Sullivan - Bunscoil Mhuire School Manager by EMAIL ONLY to: priomhoidebunscoil2026@gmail.com
County:	Cork
Website:	https://www.bunscoilmhuire.com
Application Form:	Application-Form-for-Primary-Principalship-and-Deputy-Principalship-June-2024.pdf

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