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Deputy Principal

Glenasmole NS

Glenasmole Bohernabreena D24yc57

MAIN DETAILS

Status:	Active
Level:	Primary
Date Posted:	Fri Nov 6 2026
Application Closing Date:	Fri Nov 20 2026
Commencement Date:	Wed Jan 6 2027
Status of Post:	Permanent

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type:	Mainstream
School Patronage:	Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff:	5
Droichead school:	Yes

POST DETAILS

Additional Information:

Glenasmole National School is a welcoming, small rural primary school nestled in the foothills of the Dublin Mountains. Located just minutes from Tallaght and approximately 10 minutes from the M50, our school offers a beautiful, peaceful setting while remaining easily accessible.
We are a co-educational, multigrade school with a dedicated, supportive staff and a wonderful, close-knit school community. We pride ourselves on our collaborative approach, positive school culture and commitment to providing an inclusive, nurturing and engaging learning environment for all pupils.

The Board of Management invites applications for the position of Deputy Principal.
We are seeking an enthusiastic, committed and capable teacher who will work closely with the Principal to support the leadership, management and continued development of our school.

The successful candidate will play an important role in promoting a positive school culture, supporting high-quality teaching and learning, and contributing to the effective day-to-day organisation and development of the school.

The roles and responsibilities of the Deputy Principal will be aligned with the four domains of leadership and management as outlined in Circular 0044/2019 and Looking at Our School 2022:
Leading Teaching and Learning
Managing the Organisation
Leading School Development
Developing Leadership Capacity

We are particularly interested in candidates who can demonstrate:

Leadership skills and experience, including taking initiative, leading school activities or contributing to whole-school development. Previous experience in a formal leadership role would be advantageous.

Experience teaching in a small-school or multigrade setting, which would be particularly advantageous.

Strong curriculum knowledge, including an understanding of the redeveloped Primary School Curriculum and a commitment to high-quality teaching, learning and assessment.

Experience in school planning and policy development, including contributing to the implementation and review of whole-school policies and initiatives.

A good understanding of special educational needs and inclusive education, with a commitment to supporting the diverse learning needs of all pupils.

Knowledge of school self-evaluation (SSE) and an interest in contributing to school improvement and development.

Strong organisational, communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to build positive relationships with pupils, staff, parents, the Board of Management and the wider school community.

A collaborative and supportive approach to leadership, with the ability to work closely with the Principal and contribute positively to a small staff team.

Initiative, sound professional judgement and a flexible, solution-focused approach to school leadership and management.

A commitment to continuous professional development, reflective practice and developing their own leadership capacity.

We welcome applications from teachers who are passionate about education, value teamwork and are eager to contribute to the leadership and continued development of our school

Applicants must be fully registered under Route 1 (Primary) with the Teaching Council.

Further Information
Website: www.glenasmolens.com
Instagram: @glenasmole_ns

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

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number:	17996A
Apply To:	Applications should be submitted by email to applications@glenasmolens.com Closing Date: 3:00 p.m. on Friday, 20 November 2026. A minimum of five eligible applications is required for the competition to proceed. If this minimum is not reached, the position will be re-advertised. Applicants who applied within the original deadline will not be required to reapply, and their applications will be retained for the extended competition. Appointment will be subject to satisfactory references, Garda vetting, occupational health clearance, Teaching Council registration and verification of qualifications. It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking upon offer of employment.
County:	Dublin
Postal District:	Dublin 24

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