

ADVERT ID 148246

## Deputy Principal

### St Marys NS

Tudor Grove Ashbourne A84X762  
<https://www.smash.ie>



#### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Deactivated  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Wed Apr 14 2021 14:40:10  
**Application Closing Date:** Thu Apr 29 2021  
**Commencement Date:** Wed Sep 1 2021  
**Status of Post:** Permanent

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 30  
**Current Enrolment:** 490  
**Droichead school:** Yes

#### POST DETAILS

**Additional Information:** The Board of Management of St. Mary's Primary School invites applications for the post of Deputy Principal Teacher.

St Mary's NS is a co-educational primary school with a Catholic ethos under the patronage of the Catholic Bishop of Meath, Bishop Tom Deenihan.

There are 18 mainstream classes, 6 SET positions, 5 SNAs, Principal and Deputy Principal.

The overall responsibility of the Deputy Principal is to assist the Principal in the management of the school and in upholding the school's ethos and policies.

In addition to the discharge of specific curricular, pastoral, administrative and management duties, the Deputy Principal also exercises a leadership and motivational role within the school. The Deputy Principal shall report to the Principal and the Board of Management, as and when requested.

The Deputy Principal may also be required to deputise for the Principal in his absence.

The Deputy Principal is required to exercise flexibility and full involvement in the school, in partnership with and under the direction of the Principal, to meet the daily needs of the school.

The roles and responsibilities of the Deputy Principal relate to the 4 domains of leadership and management as specified in DES Circular 0044/2019: Leading Teaching and Learning; Managing the Organisation; Leading School Development; and Developing Leadership Capacity.

The following skills, knowledge and experience are desirable:

- A knowledge of and commitment to the Catholic Ethos of the School,
- An excellent knowledge and understanding of Leadership, Management and Administration of a Primary School,
- An understanding of inclusion and diversity,

- Experience in the area of School Policy Development,
- Excellent communication skills, expressed both in leadership and teamwork.
- Evidence of, and a high level of commitment to ongoing Professional Development.
- The ability to promote a culture of learning and creativity in the school.
- Knowledge and experience of Special Education and of working with children with Additional Educational Needs.

The role and responsibilities of this post are subject to review and change according to procedures set out in Circular 0044/2019.

The responsibilities of this role will require participation in the leadership role outside of the standard school day and outside the standard school year.

Please include a Letter of Application and a copy of Religious Certificate with your application. Applications by email only to [teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com](mailto:teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com) on or before 2pm on Thursday 29th April 2021.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [Standard Application Form for Principalship/Deputy Principalship](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Teaching Council Registration

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

#### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

**Roll Number:** 19768U

**Apply To:** The Chairperson, St Mary's NS Board of Management  
BY EMAIL ONLY: [teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com](mailto:teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com)

Please insert "DEPUTY PRINCIPAL TEACHER APPLICATION 2021" into the subject line of the email.

**County:** Meath

**Enquiries To:** [teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com](mailto:teacher.app.stmarysns@gmail.com)  
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