



TEACHING COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2016

COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SECTOR

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VOTE FOR MAIRÉAD GLYNN, TUI'S OFFICIALLY ENDORSED CANDIDATE FOR COMMUNITY AND COMPREHENSIVE SECTOR

Elect me as your representative on the Teaching Council and I will:

Articulate the concerns of classroom teachers regarding the requirements for annual renewal of registration with the Teaching Council.

Protect the right of teachers to due process and fair procedure. All local procedures must be exhausted before a complaint is brought against a teacher under Part 5 of the Teaching Council Act - "Fitness to Practice".

Ensure that teachers called to the Council under the act are treated in a respectful, supportive manner.

Advocate that any CPD imposed on us by the Teaching Council takes into consideration the care needs of working parents and the financial circumstances of new teachers.

Champion new teachers, by ensuring that Droichead, the induction programme, delivers its stated aim of supporting teachers in their first year of teaching and does not become a bureaucratic exercise.

I am a teacher of Science and Maths in Tallaght Community School, Balrothery, Dublin 24. I have a proven track record in voicing the concerns of teachers. I have held the position of TUI workplace representative, branch officer for Dublin C&C, TUI representative on the Junior Cycle Science Development Group and TUI representative on the ICTU Youth Committee. In every role I have listened to TUI members' concerns and ensured that they are articulated clearly in situations where several competing interests are at play. Elect me and I will give you a strong voice at the Teaching Council.

I want a Teaching Council that is relevant, accessible to and supportive of practising teachers.

I know the issues and will be a voice for the committed, professional expert - for you, the teacher.

**Voting opens on
22nd February 2016
and closes at noon on
9th March 2016.**

**You can vote on your
smartphone, tablet,
laptop or desktop
computer.**

How do I vote?

Use your two PIN numbers provided by the Teaching Council

- Log on to www.teachingcouncil.ie
- Click on Vote Now
- Enter the two PIN numbers
- This will open a voting page specific to your sector
- **Vote number 1 Mairéad Glynn**
- Check your vote before pressing Submit