



Mary Brennan was appointed to the Council in November 2009 as an elected teacher representative in the Leinster (Primary) constituency. She is a member of the Finance Committee, the Audit Committee and the Post-primary Applications Panel. Mary's teaching career spans thirty years in the Vale of Avoca and she currently works as an Administrative Principal. Mary is a graduate of Carysfort College and her academic qualifications also include a Diploma in Ed. Admin and a Masters in Education. Mary hails from Arklow and she has been an active member of the Arklow INTO branch. She has held the office of Chairperson and represented the branch as a district delegate. Mary's professional interests include leadership in schools and the role and functions of boards of management. As an elected member of the Council, Mary wishes to promote the professional profile of teachers, to safeguard standards in teaching, and influence policy.