



Office of Public Works HQ



#JOB-2433888



TINTERN ABBEY, Tintern, Saltmills, New
Ross, Co. Wexford, Y34 KR64



No of positions : 1



Paid Position



39 hours per week



806.14-968.72 Euro Weekly



18/02/2026



09/03/2026

How to apply

Application Method :

Please apply to the vacancy by the following means:

Email : recruitment@opw.ie

URL :

<https://www.gov.ie/en/office-of-public-works/publications/current-vacancies/>



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Craft Stonemason & Stonecutter (Fixed Term Contract)

Application Details

In order to work in Ireland a non-EEA National, unless they are exempted, must hold a valid employment permit. Please review the [Eligibility and requirements for an employment permit](#) if you are unsure of your eligibility to apply for this vacancy.

Job Description

The Office of Public Works (OPW) invites applications for appointment to the position of Craft Stonemason and Stonecutter in the Tintern Abbey sub depot in the area covered by the Kilkenny National Monuments District.

Competition Reference 2026/023

Essential Eligibility Requirements (at the closing date):

An Advanced Certificate in the Craft of Stonemasonry and Stonecutting;

or

An Advanced Certificate Craft Brick and Stonelaying;

(or equivalent Level 6 on the National Framework of Qualifications);** Note: ** Irish or Foreign qualification (in a similar field of study) recognised as equivalent to the above qualifications on the Irish National Framework of Qualifications.

Note: Apprenticeship served in the above, evidence of craft and exams completed successfully will be necessary and copies should be submitted with your application.

A minimum of 3 years' relevant work experience (post qualification);

(Specific training in stonework may be taken as fulfilling this requirement)

A full, clean and current driving licence, category B & W* and use of own transport; Note: * (1) If your Irish driving licence is restricted to driving cars with an automatic transmission only (denoted by the code 78 appearing on the licence), you are not eligible. (2) From 1 January 2021 if you are resident in Ireland and hold a UK/NI driving licence it is no longer valid to drive on here in Ireland. It is not legal for driving purposes and must therefore be exchanged. It is vital that you have a valid driving licence and that you are legally allowed to drive in Ireland by exchanging a UK/NI licence for an Irish driving licence. Further information available on: www.ndls.ie.

A current Safepass card**

Note:** Where a current safe pass card is not available, proof of successful completion of the Safe

Pass Course prior to the closing date will be accepted.

If you are interested in being considered for the above position and are satisfied that you meet the criteria as outlined above, please complete an Application Form. Please send the application form and copies of the required documentation by email to: recruitment@opw.ie

The closing date for receipt of completed Application Forms is 5:30pm on Monday, 9th March 2026. Applications received after this time will not be considered for the competition.

The OPW will not be liable for any costs incurred in applying for the position and/or attending an interview. The OPW is an equal opportunities employer and we value equality, diversity and inclusion and we recognise the benefits it can bring to the OPW and enhance staff and visitor experiences. If you require reasonable accommodation for any part of the application process please email recruitment@opw.ie.

Please note that canvassing will disqualify.

- **Sector:** construction

Career Level

- Not Required