



The school is an Independent Boarding School, registered with the Department of Education N.I. and inspected by the Regulation and Quality Improvement Authority.

Glencraig accommodates children from both the U.K. and the Republic of Ireland.

Funding arrangements include:

- Privately
- Education and Library Boards
- Social Services

Pupils can attend on a:

- Daily Basis
- 5 day weekly placement (Monday Friday)
- 7 day residential placement

The school year consists of 39 weeks divided into 4 terms.

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CAMPHILL Community Glencraig

GLENCRAIG CURATIVE SCHOOL

Over 50 years of experience in Curative Education

FOR CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

Camphill Community Glencraig

This Village Community is situated on the Southern shore of Belfast Lough, 8 miles from Belfast.

The estate is approximately 100 acres in size and comprises houses, a farm, garden, craft workshops and a Boarding School and Training College.

It is home to around 200 children, young people and adults, living in 19 different households and creates an atmosphere of integration and inclusion in all aspects of family and social life.



GLENCRAIG CURATIVE SCHOOL

The Community encompasses both children and adults with learning disabilities.

At present there are 25 children living in and attending school in Glencraig. The School also accommodates day pupils.

Glencraig provides a holistic approach to education, meeting the needs of children with learning disabilities through:

Education

The school has 2 departments, lower and middle school for the younger children (6-15 years) and the Training College for the older students (15-19). Education is based on both the Waldorf and N.I. Curriculum. Classes are arranged according to age and ability of children.

Therapy

A therapeutic approach to the child's development is an important aspect within the school. This includes a healing environment and regular medical guidance. Therapies includes Art, Music, Hydrotherapy, Speech, Physiotherapy and Massage.

Care

Glencraig provides a caring, nurturing environment in a family setting, where each child's emotional and social needs are met and their independence is encouraged.



The Staff

Staff expertise includes medicine, nursing, therapies, dealing with challenging behaviours, curative and specialist education.

"Only help from person to person – the encounter of Ego with Ego – the awareness of the other person's individuality – only this creates the kind of Curative Education which may counter and heal the threat to the inner core of the Human Being".

Dr Karl König founder of Camphill (1902-1966).

Aim

To develop the child's full potential in a protective healing environment.

"Our highest endeavour must be to develop free human beings who are able of themselves to impart purpose and direction to their lives" Rudolf Steiner (1865-1925)

Criteria for Admission

Camphill has over 50 years experience in Northern Ireland working with children who have a wide range of learning disabilities.

- Moderate/severe learning disability
- Emotional and behavioural problems
- A.D.H.D.
- Asperger's Syndrome
- Autistic Spectrum Disorder
- Complex physical and psychological needs

Preference for admission is given to the child between the ages of 6-11 years.

