

Education – Register of Prosecutions, Education Department

1928 – 1959

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Records Location

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Details

Education – Register of Prosecutions is a register that records details of the prosecutions of parents for the non-attendance at school of children of school age. In the ‘Remarks’ section it includes notes on committing children to Edwardstown Industrial School, Glandore Industrial School and Glandore Children’s Home.

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Records

Index (two columns) on tabbed letter pages giving (1) Surname, (2) Christian name, (3) Prosecution numbers. The indexed names appear under year dates. This section is followed by entries across two pages. Left hand page: (1) No of prosecution, (2) Section, (3) Parent's names, (4) Address, (5) Child's name, (6) Present age, (7) Certified date of child's absence, (8) School attended. Right hand page: (9) Prosecuting officer, (10) Locality of Court, (11) Court Fees sent – Amount/Date, (12) Result of Prosecutions – Fine/Costs/Time allowed for payment, (13) Date of hearing, (14) Remarks. Notes on contents – (3) Numbers begin afresh each year. (7) Certified date of child's truancy/absence: gives month/day/year and am or pm. (14) remarks: include notes on committing of children and length of sentence. Sometimes provides docket reference SCB number/year.

Quantity: 1 ledger

More info

Organisations in these records

Related Organisations

- [Edwardstown Industrial School \(1898 - 1949\)](#)
- [Glandore Industrial School \(1949 - 1958\)](#)
- [Glandore Children's Home \(1958 - 1966\)](#)

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