

Education in Gurteen

The Sisters opened Secondary School classes immediately and, in 1955, land was purchased to build a new Secondary School. In 1968 the Convent School amalgamated with the Vocational School and the Sisters taught there until 1977. The Convent was closed and sold in 1982. A Mercy House was purchased in Gurteen in 1990, and Sisters worked in the Health Centre and Parish. This house closed in 2002.