

ADVERT ID 252124

Special Needs Assistant

Scoil Cholmcille Junior

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MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Mon May 11 2026
Application Closing Date: Mon May 25 2026
Commencement Date: Tue Sep 1 2026
Status of Post: Fixed-term
Number of Vacancies: 1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream
School Structure: Junior School
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Classification: DEIS 1
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 13
Current Enrolment: 124
Droichead school: Yes

POST DETAILS

Panel of Applicants:

An internal panel of suitable applicants may be set up to fill vacancies which may occur within a specific time period (four months for teacher posts and the duration of the school year for SNA posts) from the date on which the Board approves the successful candidate.

Additional Information:

Scoil Cholmcille Junior invites applications from highly dedicated candidates for the position of fixed-term, part-time Special Needs Assistant (0.83 post). The position will run from Sept 26 until June 27

Candidates will be required to work the hours over a 5 day week, Junior Infant Day.

We are looking for a candidate who has experience in a classroom/school environment. In particular candidates should have significant experience working with pupils with Autism, PDA and communication difficulties in a disadvantaged educational setting.

Demonstrated experience in managing behaviours of concern.

Strong understanding and application of positive behaviour support strategies

Knowledge of Nurture and disadvantage is desirable.

Trauma Informed training is beneficial.

Candidates must be willing to undertake CPD courses which relate to the needs of the children & the school.

In your letter of application, please outline how your skills/experience meet the requirements of the job description outlined above.

Appointment is subject to the current Garda Vetting requirements, Occupational Health Screening and satisfactory references.

All SNA positions in our school are subject to NCSE allocation and SENO review.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position.](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

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