

ADVERT ID 252314

Special Needs Assistant

St Cronans NS

Lusmagh Banagher Birr R42KC99

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Tue May 12 2026
Application Closing Date: Fri May 29 2026
Commencement Date: Wed Aug 26 2026
Status of Post: Fixed-term
Number of Vacancies: 1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 5
Current Enrolment: 68
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:

This is a full time fixed term post of one year duration for the 2026-2027 school year. Applicants should have experience of supporting pupils with complex care needs, sensory needs, challenging behaviours, communication difficulties and intimate care needs. Knowledge and experience of working with children with autism, including in a special class context, may be beneficial.

Candidates must be willing to undertake CPD courses which relate to the needs of the children & the school. Candidates must be flexible, able to work on own initiative and in a team capacity.

Please include PF1 if applicable.

Appointment is subject to current Garda vetting requirements, occupational health screening and completion of Children First online training.
 Only short listed candidates will be contacted.
 Canvassing will disqualify without exception.

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.)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

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