

ADVERT ID 260038

Special Needs Assistant

Powerstown ETNS

Powerstown Rd Powerstown Rd Tyrrelstown D15VR80
<https://www.powerstownet.com>

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Tue Aug 4 2026
Application Closing Date: Tue Aug 18 2026
Commencement Date: Wed Aug 26 2026
Status of Post: Fixed-term
Number of Vacancies: 1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Mainstream with Special Classes
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Educate Together
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 29
Current Enrolment: 400
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:

Powerstown Educate Together National School is a vibrant, innovative and inclusive school community, and we are seeking caring, enthusiastic and dedicated Special Needs Assistants to join our dynamic team.

Our school comprises 16 mainstream classrooms and 10 special classes, where a child-centred, rights-based approach underpins every aspect of school life. We are committed to ensuring that every child experiences a genuine sense of belonging and has equitable opportunities to participate, learn and thrive.

As a Special Needs Assistant in Powerstown ETNS, you will play a vital role in supporting pupils to develop independence, confidence, communication, self-advocacy and regulation through nurturing, responsive relationships. We place a strong emphasis on co-regulation, recognising that children thrive when they feel safe, understood and connected. Our SNAs work collaboratively with teachers and multidisciplinary professionals to enable meaningful participation in all aspects of school life, while promoting each child's strengths, autonomy and dignity.

All new staff benefit from a comprehensive induction programme, mentoring and ongoing professional learning, ensuring they feel supported and confident in their role from the outset.

If you are passionate about building positive relationships, supporting children to flourish, and contributing to an inclusive school community where every child belongs, we would be delighted

to hear from you.

We look forward to the possibility of welcoming you to the Powerstown ETNS team.

[It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position upon offer of employment.](#)

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Letter of Application
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)
- CV (Digital)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

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