

ADVERT ID 261369

Special Needs Assistant

Stepping Stones

Moyglare Road, Maynooth W23HC66
<https://www.steppingstonesschool.ie>

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Tue Aug 25 2026
Application Closing Date: Tue Sep 8 2026
Commencement Date: Mon Oct 5 2026
Status of Post: Substitute - maternity
Number of Vacancies: 1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type: Special School
School Structure: Vertical
Gender: Co-Educational
School Patronage: Other
Total No. of Teaching Staff: 8
Current Enrolment: 42
Droichead school: No

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:

Stepping Stones Special School caters for pupils with a diagnosis of Autism and Complex Needs from 4-18 years of age. The successful candidate should have some experience in a Special School setting preferably with students with Autism and a solid understanding of ASD and methodologies used in school settings e.g TEACCH, ABA, social stories etc. In addition the successful candidate must have good interpersonal skills and be able to work as part of a team. It would be desirable that the successful candidate has completed an appropriate Special Needs Assistant course. Duties, qualifications and salary as outlined on the Dept. of Education's website. Further duties will also be assigned by class Teacher and Principal. Applicants who are deemed to be members of the SNA Supplementary Panel with supplementary panel rights, must furnish a certified copy of completed Panel Form PF1 with their application. Only those shortlisted for interview will be contacted.

[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
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- CV (Unbound/Slide Binder)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email
- Post

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number: 20379Q
Apply To: The Principal
Stepping Stones Special School
Moyglare Road,
Maynooth
W23HC66
info@steppingstonesschool.ie
County: Kildare
Website: <https://www.steppingstonesschool.ie>

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