

ADVERT ID 193869

## Special Needs Assistant

### St.Attracta's NS Charlestown

Lowpark Charlestown F12 T440

<https://www.stattractasns.ie>

#### MAIN DETAILS

Status:	Deactivated
Level:	Primary
Date Posted:	Sun May 28 2023 22:18:36
Application Closing Date:	Mon Jun 12 2023
Commencement Date:	Wed Aug 30 2023
Status of Post:	Permanent
Number of Vacancies:	1

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type:	Mainstream with Special Classes
School Structure:	Vertical
Gender:	Co-Educational
School Patronage:	Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff:	18
Current Enrolment:	223
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:

A new post arising from an increased NCSE allocation. The successful applicant may be required to work in both a mainstream setting and in an ASD class as directed by the Principal.

1 Position to be filled 0.83 Infant day positions

Applicants will be required to support a wide range of children with different needs that have access to SNA support in both the ASD class and the mainstream classes.

Applicants who are deemed to be members of the SNA SUPPLEMENTARY PANEL, with supplementary panel rights, must furnish a certified copy of a completed PF1 Form with their application (if applicable).

The successful candidate is expected to carry out the duties as per Circular 0030/2014.

To meet the needs of the school the following competencies are desirable:

- Knowledge and experience of working with children with Down Syndrome, ASD, ADHD, Diabetes, Challenging Behaviours and/or other complex needs.
- Experience with non-verbal communication systems like PECS and/or Lámh.
- Experience of working with children with toileting care needs.
- Child protection training and certification.
- Candidates must be able to work well within a team, display a strong work ethic, be flexible and demonstrate a willingness to avail of further training.

The successful candidate will be expected to respect the confidentiality of the students and school matters at all times and to respect and uphold the school ethos.

Applicants must have the relevant qualifications as per Department of Education requirements.

The appointment is subject to satisfactory references, current Garda vetting requirements, and satisfactory pre-employment medical screening via the OHS and Patron approval. The successful candidates will be required to participate in in-school induction and planning with the principal and class teachers prior to the school re-opening in late August. This position is subject to NCSE allocation and SENO review.

Applications will only be accepted by email to [appointments@stattractasns.ie](mailto:appointments@stattractasns.ie) by 5.30 pm on Monday, June 12th.

Please indicate that you are applying for a 'Special Needs Assistant Vacancy' in the subject.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Letter of Application
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts](#)
- CV (Digital)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

#### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

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