

ADVERT ID 240811

## Special Needs Assistant

### Scoil Iosagain

Scoil Íosagáin Upperchurch NS Upperchurch Thurles E41 DY88  
<https://www.upperchurchns.ie>

#### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Active  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Tue Jul 8 2025  
**Application Closing Date:** Tue Jul 22 2025  
**Commencement Date:** Wed Aug 27 2025  
**Status of Post:** Permanent  
**Number of Vacancies:** 1

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 7  
**Current Enrolment:** 129  
**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 post is 0.5 of a full post (16 hours per week).

Knowledge and experience of working with children with complex needs such as Autism, ADHD, Down Syndrome, emotional/behavioural needs are desirable.

Please outline in your letter of application how your skills/experience meet the requirements of the job description outlined above.

Candidates must be willing to undertake CPD courses which relate to the needs of the children & the school. Duties may change according to care needs of the pupils.

Appointment is subject to satisfactory references, current Garda vetting requirements, satisfactory pre-employment medical screening via OHS and the Patron's approval.

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

Please state 'SNA Application' on the envelope.

Only applicants shortlisted for interview will be contacted by email. Please include an email address for correspondence.

The position is subject to NCSE allocation and SENO review.

Applications to be received by 1:00pm on 22/07/25.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

## APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

**Roll Number:** 19677R  
**Apply To:** Chairperson  
Scoil Íosagáin  
Upperchurch NS  
Upperchurch  
Thurles,  
Co.Tipperary  
E41 DY88  
**County:** Tipperary  
**Enquiries To:** [upperchurchns@gmail.com](mailto:upperchurchns@gmail.com)  
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