

ADVERT ID 241339

Special Needs Assistant

Boyerstown NS

Boyerstown N.S. Boyerstown Navan C15WT26
<https://www.boyerstownns.ie>

MAIN DETAILS

Status: Active
Level: Primary
Date Posted: Fri Jul 18 2025
Application Closing Date: Fri Aug 1 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: 9
Current Enrolment: 139
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:

Applicants must have experience in working with children with a Severe and Profound Learning and Physical Disability, sensory and complex disabilities with Complex Medical needs. Applicants must also have worked as part of a school based team.

Applicants must have experience in managing epilepsy and have completed training in the administration of Buccal Midazolam.

Experience necessary in essential school based competencies including FEDS (feeding, eating, drinking, swallowing), hoisting, toileting, incontinence issues, assisting with physiotherapy exercises, occupational therapy activities and speech and language exercises.

IT experience desirable with AAC devices, ipads, tablets, switches, interactive whiteboard. Lámh sign language needed.

This SNA post is based in the Special Class in St. Joseph's NS, Boyerstown for children with Severe and Profound Learning Difficulties and Complex Medical Needs. It is a full time post. Please note that our SNA allocation is subject to regular review by NCSE.

Application is subject to satisfactory references, Garda Vetting, Occupational Health and Safety screening and patron approval.

Applicants who are deemed to be members of the SNA Supplementary Panel with

supplementary panel rights, must furnish a certified copy of their completed Panel Form (PF1) with their application.

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

Only those candidates shortlisted for interview will be contacted.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

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

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

Roll Number: 17986U

Apply To: Please email your application and other documents requested to:
boyerstownns@gmail.com (with SNA Permanent Post in the subject bar of your email).
For the attention of:
The Chairperson of the Board of Management,
St. Joseph's NS, Boyerstown by Friday August 1st 2025

County: Meath

Enquiries To: boyerstownns@gmail.com

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