

ADVERT ID 244577

## Special Needs Assistant

### Cara Junior School

Banduff Road Mayfield Cork Cork

#### MAIN DETAILS

<b>Status:</b>	Active
<b>Level:</b>	Primary
<b>Date Posted:</b>	Mon Sep 15 2025
<b>Application Closing Date:</b>	Mon Sep 29 2025
<b>Commencement Date:</b>	Mon Oct 13 2025
<b>Status of Post:</b>	Substitute - less than 24 weeks
<b>Number of Vacancies:</b>	1

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

<b>School Type:</b>	Special School
<b>School Structure:</b>	Junior School
<b>Gender:</b>	Co-Educational
<b>School Patronage:</b>	Catholic
<b>Total No. of Teaching Staff:</b>	13
<b>Current Enrolment:</b>	72
<b>Droichead school:</b>	Yes

#### POST DETAILS

**Additional Information:**

Cara Junior School is a special school for pupils aged 4-12 years who have a dual diagnosis of ASD and an Intellectual Disability between the Mild to Moderate range.

There are currently 13 teachers and 37 Special Needs Assistants on the staff.

Criteria for this position are as follows:

Relevant QQI/FETAC qualifications and experience in working with children with Autism, Intellectual Disability and Challenging Behaviour are desirable.

Experience of working in a special school or special class setting would be preferable. Additional childcare and/or other relevant qualifications/courses (e.g. First Aid, Positive Behaviour Support Strategies, MAPA, Lámh Module 1, (etc) would be highly desirable.

Please note that there may also be substitute positions to be filled from this advertisement.

Short listing may apply.

Late applications will not be accepted.

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- [It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position.](#)
- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

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