

ADVERT ID 247156

## Special Needs Assistant

### St Colmcilles National School

Errill Portlaoise R32CK26  
<https://www.errillns.ie>



#### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Active  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Thu Dec 4 2025  
**Application Closing Date:** Thu Dec 18 2025  
**Commencement Date:** Mon Jan 5 2026  
**Status of Post:** Substitute - maternity  
**Number of Vacancies:** 1

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 4  
**Current Enrolment:** 72  
**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 position is a part time post (0.83) and is subject to NCSE review.

Experience of working with complex needs and challenging behaviour would be advantageous.

This maternity leave cover will conclude at the end of June 2026.

Appointment will be subject to current Garda Vetting requirements and Occupational Health Screening.

Please also include a valid Statutory Declaration Form and Form of Undertaking with your application.

Candidates must have a strong work ethic, respect the Catholic ethos of our school, work well as part of a team and be willing to avail of relevant training and continuous professional development.

#### 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.)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- CV (Unbound/Slide Binder)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

#### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

**Roll Number:** 18780F

**Apply To:** Please mark envelope SNA Application.

Chairperson of the Board of Management,  
St. Colmcille's N.S.,  
Errill,  
Portlaoise,  
Co. Laois.  
R32CK26

**County:** Laois

**Enquiries To:** [office@errillns.ie](mailto:office@errillns.ie)

**Website:** <https://www.errillns.ie>

**Further Information:** <https://errillns.ie/>

**Application Form:** [ApplicationFormforSpecialNeedsAssistant\\_English.pdf](#)

Information contained within this advertisement is copyrighted by IPPN and licensed by IPPN for use by job-seekers only. The information herein may not be downloaded, copied or used for any other purposes, including its replication on other recruitment & advertising websites, without the express prior written permission of IPPN.