

ADVERT ID 252778

## Special Needs Assistant

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### St Stephen's NS

Johnstown Educational Campus Navan (An Uaimh) C15AE03  
<https://www.ststephensns.ie>

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#### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Active  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Mon May 18 2026  
**Application Closing Date:** Mon Jun 1 2026  
**Commencement Date:** Thu Aug 27 2026  
**Status of Post:** Fixed-term  
**Number of Vacancies:** 2

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#### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream with Special Classes  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 53  
**Current Enrolment:** 846  
**Droichead school:** Yes

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#### 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:**

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St. Stephen's NS invites applications for the following SNA positions:

- Post 1: Career Break Position (1-year duration)
- Post 2: Job Share Position (1-year duration)

St. Stephen's NS is a mainstream school with five special classes catering for children with autism and complex needs, aged 4 to 12 years. The SNA roles involve supporting students with autism and complex learning needs to access education, develop independence, and participate fully in school life.

Experience working with children with autism and complex needs is essential. Experience in the use of evidence-based intervention approaches suitable for students with ASD is desirable.

A strong understanding of inclusive practice, teamwork, and supporting positive behaviour is required.

All appointments are subject to Garda vetting and satisfactory references.

Please clearly indicate the position(s) you are applying for:

- SNA Career Break Position
- SNA Job Share Position
- Both SNA Career Break and Job Share Positions

Applications will be accepted by Post ONLY.

#### 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
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

#### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

**Roll Number:** 20179I  
**Apply To:** Chairperson, Board of Management  
Johnstown Educational Campus  
Navan (An Uaimh)  
C15AE03  
**County:** Meath  
**Enquiries To:** [info@ststephensns.ie](mailto:info@ststephensns.ie)  
**Website:** <https://www.ststephensns.ie>

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