

ADVERT ID 252892

Special Needs Assistant

St Joseph's Primary School (Junior)

St Joseph's Road Carlow Town R93 HP99

<https://www.stjoescarlow.scoilnet.ie>

MAIN DETAILS

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| Status: | Active |
| Level: | Primary |
| Date Posted: | Mon May 18 2026 |
| Application Closing Date: | Tue Jun 2 2026 |
| Commencement Date: | Mon Jun 15 2026 |
| Status of Post: | Permanent |
| Number of Vacancies: | 1 |

SCHOOL DETAILS

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| School Type: | Mainstream with Special Classes |
| School Structure: | Junior School |
| Gender: | Boys |
| School Patronage: | Catholic |
| Classification: | DEIS 1 |
| Total No. of Teaching Staff: | 15 |
| Current Enrolment: | 111 |
| 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 equates to 0.5 of a post.

A pro rata requirement of Croke Park Hours will also be attached to this post.

Envelopes should be clearly marked "SNA Application"

Appointment will be subject to but not limited to, satisfactory references, compliance with current Garda vetting requirements, a pre-employment medical screening, Túsla Children First Certificate and approval of Patron.

It is essential to have relevant experience, skills and qualifications (minimum level 6) for working with children at primary school level. Experience in working with children with ASD, self regulation issues, complex needs and challenging behaviours is desirable.

Candidates must be able to work as part of a team, be flexible, display a strong work ethic and a willingness to avail of further training. (See circular 30/2014 for further information)

Following shortlisting, only shortlisted applicants will be invited to interview.

Invitation to interview will be sent via email. Post applications only. Canvassing may disqualify.

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
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

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