

ADVERT ID 258239

## Special Needs Assistant

### Balbriggan Community Special School

Balbriggan North Co Dublin County Dublin

#### MAIN DETAILS

<b>Status:</b>	Active
<b>Level:</b>	Primary
<b>Date Posted:</b>	Fri Jul 3 2026
<b>Application Closing Date:</b>	Fri Jul 17 2026
<b>Commencement Date:</b>	Tue Sep 1 2026
<b>Status of Post:</b>	Standard SNA
<b>Number of Vacancies:</b>	6

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

<b>School Type:</b>	Special School
<b>Gender:</b>	Co-Educational
<b>School Patronage:</b>	ETB
<b>Total No. of Teaching Staff:</b>	4
<b>Droichead school:</b>	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:**

Balbriggan Community Special School will cater for students with ASD and moderate and severe intellectual disability with complex needs aged 5 - 18 years.

The successful candidate must be able to work as part of the team in a fast pace environment. Knowledge and experience of ASD/SEN, ISL, PECS, Lamh, Positive Behavioural Management Strategies is desirable.

Appointments subject to satisfactory references and garda vetting requirements. Balbriggan Community Special School is under the Patronage of Dublin and Dun Laoghaire Education and Training Board.

As Balbriggan CSS is a developing school, the long-term enrolment of children in the school is expected to grow from 2026 onwards.

The SNA provides the necessary non teaching services to pupils with assessed educational needs, the SNA acts in a care and support role that is non teaching in nature and works under the guidance and supervision of the Principal, Deputy Principal and Class Teacher. The SNA primary function is to ensure the care and support needs of the students are met on a daily basis.

[It is a requirement to hold a valid Statutory Declaration and to complete the Form of Undertaking for this position upon offer of employment.](#)

#### APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

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

Applications may be submitted by

- Email

**APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY**

**Roll Number:** 20608F

**Apply To:** Please submit a Standard Application Form for SNA posts from Education Posts by email to [lorrynethompson@ddletb.ie](mailto:lorrynethompson@ddletb.ie) before 12pm 17th July 2026.

Shortlisting may take place, late applications will not be considered.

**County:** Dublin

**Postal District:** County Dublin

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