

ADVERT ID 258608

Special Needs Assistant

Ballyguilteneane NS

Ballyguilteneane National School Ballyguilteneane Glin V94 T2W9

MAIN DETAILS

Status:	Active
Level:	Primary
Date Posted:	Thu Jul 9 2026
Application Closing Date:	Thu Jul 23 2026
Commencement Date:	Mon Aug 31 2026
Status of Post:	Fixed-term
Number of Vacancies:	1

SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type:	Mainstream
School Structure:	Vertical
Gender:	Co-Educational
School Patronage:	Catholic
Total No. of Teaching Staff:	3
Current Enrolment:	26
Droichead school:	No

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:

The Board of Management of Ballyguilteneane National School invites applications for a fixed term position for one academic year 2026/2027:

Fixed Term position, 1 year 2026/2027 PART TIME (0.75hours) Special Needs Assistant. It will involve working every school day, Mon- Fri. This may be subject to change.

The following skills are desirable:

Experience of working with children with Epilepsy, Diabetes, A.S.D., an intellectual disability, a physical disability, emotional and behavioural difficulties, assistance with personal hygiene, peg feeding and intimate care needs and using communication tools are desirable.

Candidates must be willing to undertake courses which relate to the needs of the children and the school. Experience of working with children with autism.

Duties include working with children of all ages, assisting children with intimate care, accessing activities, and supporting students with challenging behaviour and complex needs.

Candidates must be able to work well as part of a team, be flexible and show willingness to engage in further training and upskilling, as deemed necessary by the principal.

The initial duties of the post may change according to the care needs of the pupils.

Any canvassing will disqualify without exception.

Please clearly mark the envelope 'SNA Application'.

Appointment is subject to confirmation of qualifications, current Garda Vetting requirements and Occupational Health Screening.

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

- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- [Standard Application Form for SNA Posts - in English](#)

Applications may be submitted by

- Post

APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

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