

ADVERT ID 259426

## Special Needs Assistant

### St Patricks NS

St Patricks National School St Patrick's Road Wicklow A67 HP90  
<https://www.stpatsnswicklow.ie>



#### MAIN DETAILS

**Status:** Active  
**Level:** Primary  
**Date Posted:** Sat Jul 25 2026  
**Application Closing Date:** Wed Aug 12 2026  
**Commencement Date:** Thu Aug 27 2026  
**Status of Post:** Standard SNA  
**Number of Vacancies:** 1

#### SCHOOL DETAILS

**School Type:** Mainstream with Special Classes  
**School Structure:** Vertical  
**Gender:** Co-Educational  
**School Patronage:** Catholic  
**Classification:** DEIS 1  
**Total No. of Teaching Staff:** 36  
**Current Enrolment:** 376  
**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:

The Board of Management of St. Patrick's N.S. would like to invite applications for a 0.5 specific contract post. The successful applicants will be required to work in a mainstream or special class setting.

Applicants who hold a PF1 panel form should submit this with their application for 0.5 post

Please mark applications SNA Application

Appointments are subject to satisfactory referencing, Garda vetting and Occupational Health Screening.

Experience working with pupils with autism, sensory and communication difficulties is desirable as is a practical experience with the promotion of positive behaviour.

Evidence of CPD in the area of Special Education is advantageous as well as displaying a commitment to ongoing CPD engagement. Candidates must have a strong work ethic, respect the ethos of the school and be willing to work in collaboration with all members of staff to maximise each child's potential.

Only those candidates that have been shortlisted for interview will be contacted.

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

Applications may be submitted by

- Email
- Post

### APPLY TO THIS JOB VACANCY

**Roll Number:** 15676S  
**Apply To:** St Patricks National School  
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