

## **ADVERT ID 89335 \***

# **Special Needs Assistant**

## **Dublin 7 Educate Together N.S.**

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#### MAIN DETAILS

Status:	Deactivated
Level:	Primary
Date Posted:	Fri Jul 21 2017
Application Closing Date:	Mon Aug 7 2017
Commencement Date:	Thu Aug 31 2017
Status of Post:	Permanent
Number of Vacancies:	2
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## SCHOOL DETAILS

School Type:	Mainstream with Special Classes
School Structure:	Vertical
Gender:	Co-Educational
School Patronage:	Educate Together
Total number of staff:	33
Current Enrolment:	469

#### 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:

Interviews will be held on the 21st August. Shortlisted applicants will be notified by email on the 17th August.

Immediate duties for one post will be in the class for children with autism. Immediate duties for the second post will be with a mainstream class in the junior end of the school. SNAs can be allocated to any SNA role in the school at any time, at the discretion of the school principal.

Being a caring school is important to us and therefore teamwork, innovation, communication and collegiality are vital to be successful on our team.

### Criteria for this position are as follows:

1. Relevant qualifications and experience - Applicants must have a minimum of Special Needs Assistant QQI/FETAC level 3 Qualification or a minimum of 3 grade Ds in the Junior Cert or equivalent. A level 5 or higher qualification is desirable. An additional qualification in special education, including autism or a related area is advantageous. Additional childcare and/or other relevant qualifications or courses (e.g. First Aid, Positive Behaviour Support Strategies, PEC, Lámh Module 1, etc) would be highly desirable.

2. Knowledge and experience of working in a class for children with ASD

3. Knowledge and experience of supporting multiple children with different additional needs in a mainstream primary.

4. Flexibility, team work and initiative

5. Communication and personal values relevant to our school ethos

Candidates submitting a PF1 form must do so at the time of application.

Applications via the dedicated email only. Do not post a hard copy of your application to the school or send the application to the school email. If you do they will not be considered.

# APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Letter of Application
- Referees (name, role, contact no.)
- Copy of Certificates, Diplomas, Degrees
- Standard Application Form for SNA Posts in English

Applications may be submitted by

• Email

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