



Urlingford/ Johnstown Community Childcare
Centre



#JOB-2410103



URLINGFORD COMM CHILD CARE CTR,
Saint Kieran's Homes, Urlingford, Co.
Kilkenny, E41 T6Y7



No of positions : 1



Paid Position



37.5 hours per week



To be Confirmed



01/09/2025



21/09/2025

How to apply

Application Method :

Please apply to the vacancy by the following means:

Email : info@urlingfordchildcare.com

Address:

[Urlingford Community Childcare Centre](#)

[St Kierans place,](#)

[Urlingford,](#)

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Childcare Worker / Educator

Application Details

In order to work in Ireland a non-EEA National, unless they are exempted, must hold a valid employment permit. Please review the [Eligibility and requirements for an employment permit](#) if you are unsure of your eligibility to apply for this vacancy.

Job Description

Join Our Passionate Team at Urlingford Community Childcare Centre

Are you a dedicated Early Years Educator with a love for nurturing young minds? Urlingford Community Childcare Centre is seeking enthusiastic full-time and part-time early years professionals.

We offer a vibrant, inclusive environment where educators collaborate to deliver high-quality Early Childhood Education and Care. You'll be part of a supportive team that values your voice, encourages professional growth, and celebrates the unique potential of every child.

If you hold a minimum QQI Level 5 in ECEC (Level 6 desirable), have experience in an ECEC or SAC setting, and are committed to creating a safe, stimulating, and respectful space for children to thrive, this is your opportunity to make a meaningful impact.

Your role will include planning engaging activities, fostering positive relationships with families, maintaining a hygienic and safe environment, and supporting children's emotional, social, and educational development.

We believe in equality, creativity, and teamwork. If you do too, we would love to hear from you.

Early Years Educator – Full-Time and Part-Time

Location: Urlingford Community Childcare Centre

Reports to: Service Supervisor, Centre Manager, Board of Management

We're seeking passionate Early Years Educators to join our dynamic team. Applicants must hold a minimum QQI Level 5 in Early Childhood Education & Care (Level 6 desirable) and have at least 2 years' experience in an ECEC or SAC setting. Strong communication skills, knowledge of childcare regulations, and a commitment to quality care are essential.

Key Responsibilities:

Support children's development through engaging, age-appropriate activities

Collaborate with staff to plan and review programmes

- Maintain a safe, hygienic, and inclusive environment
- Build positive relationships with children, families, and colleagues
- Monitor and respond to children's individual needs (e.g. allergies, medical, dietary)
- Keep accurate records and contribute to developmental updates
- Promote equality, respect, and positive discipline
- Ensure toys/equipment are safe and well-maintained
- Administer first aid when needed
- Attend meetings, training, and comply with all relevant policies and regulations
- Maintain strict confidentiality at all times

If you are enthusiastic about early childhood education and want to make a real difference, we would love to hear from you.

Employee Benefits:

- Additional annual leave
- 50% discount on Childcare
- 10 days Sick pay
- Flexible working hours
- Employee support programme

- **Sector:** education

Career Level

- Entry Level

Candidate Requirements

(Essential)

- **Minimum Experienced Required (Years):** 0
- **Minimum Qualification:** Level 5 (incl Leaving Certificate/ Leaving Certificate Applied/ Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme) **OR** Min QQI level 5 in Childcare, Early Childhood Education and Care

(Desirable)

- **Ability Skills:** Communications, Creativity, Interpersonal Skills, Personal/Social Care
- **Competency Skills:** Flexibility, Initiative, Working on own Initiative
- **Languages:** English B2-Upper intermediate