



J.J. KAVANAGH & SONS LIMITED



#JOB-2438910



J.J. KAVANAGH & SONS, Main Street,  
Urlingford, Co. Kilkenny, E41 V1F6



No of positions : 1



Paid Position



39 hours per week



42000.00-52000.00 Euro Annually



18/03/2026



15/04/2026

### How to apply

#### Application Method :

Please apply to the vacancy by the following means:

Email : [careers@jjkavanagh.ie](mailto:careers@jjkavanagh.ie)



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## Spray Painter / Panel Beater Technician

### 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

Looking for a secure, long-term role with a company that genuinely values skilled technicians?

At JJ Kavanagh, we are expanding our maintenance team and are currently seeking an experienced Spray Painter / Panel Beater Technician to join our Urlingford depot.

As a family-run business with over 100 years of heritage, we take pride in our people, our fleet, and the standards we uphold.

We are proud to be a Great Place to Work® Certified organisation and recognised as an Outstanding Employer, reflecting our commitment to creating a supportive, respectful and rewarding working environment.

This is a hands-on, varied role within a supportive workshop environment, working with a modern PSV fleet and a close-knit team of engineers and drivers.

Why work with JJ Kavanagh?

Permanent, full-time role with long-term job security

Competitive pay, based on experience

Company pension scheme

Modern, well-maintained fleet

Supportive management and experienced engineering team

Training and development opportunities

A safe, respectful, and well-organised working environment

Full compliance with all health, safety, and legislative requirements

Work with a company officially recognised as a Great Place to Work® and Outstanding Employer

We believe skilled technicians deserve clear communication, the right tools for the job, and an

environment where quality workmanship is valued.

Your role:

As a Spray Painter / Panel Beater Technician, you will play a key role in maintaining the appearance, safety, and roadworthiness of our vehicles. Your work will directly support fleet availability and ensure our vehicles meet the high standards expected by our drivers, passengers, and regulators.

Your day-to-day responsibilities will include:

Carrying out professional spray painting and panel beating on all vehicle types

Completing de-tar'ing and body repairs as required

Performing routine and non-routine maintenance and repairs on PSVs

Preparing and presenting vehicles for MOT/CVRT

Diagnosing and resolving bodywork and cosmetic defects

Completing all job cards, inspections, and defect rectification paperwork accurately

Liaising with the parts department to source required components

Supporting colleagues across the engineering and driving teams

Maintaining a clean, safe, and compliant working environment

Attending to unscheduled maintenance issues both on and off site

What you will need:

Formal, industry-recognised qualifications in panel beating / spray painting

Proven technical competence across body repair and paintwork

A strong focus on safety, quality, and attention to detail

The ability to work independently and solve problems as they arise

A flexible, proactive approach and positive attitude

Flexibility to support weekend work when required

Full driving licence (essential)

Commercial licence is an advantage (training can be provided)

- **Sector:** transportation and storage

### **Career Level**

- Experienced [Non-Managerial]

### **Candidate Requirements**

(Essential)

- **Minimum Experienced Required (Years):** 2
- **Minimum Qualification:** Level 2 Certificate

(Desirable)

- **Ability Skills:** Engineering, Manual
- **Competency Skills:** Manufacturing, Problem Solving, Teamwork
- **Specialising In:** spray painting panel beating;hgv