



**Scoil Bhride**

**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**

in respect of admissions to the 2023/2024 school year



**ADMISSION POLICY AND APPLICATION FORM**

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2023/2024 will be available from 13<sup>th</sup> January 2023 as follows:-

To download at: [www.scoilbhridenaas.com](http://www.scoilbhridenaas.com)

On request: By emailing [office@scoilbhridenaas.com](mailto:office@scoilbhridenaas.com) By collection from **School Office**

**PART 1 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2023/2024 SCHOOL YEAR**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2023/2024 school year**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission at <b>9am</b> on	<b>Fri. January 13<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission at <b>3pm</b> on	<b>Fri. February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	<b>Fri. February 10<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>Fri. February 24<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>

**Note: the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.**

**Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2023/2024 school year**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Classes which caters for children with autistic spectrum disorder. These children may also have a formal diagnosis completed by a professionally recognised educational psychologist of a general learning disability not outside the mild range.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special classes at <b>9am</b> on	<b>Fri. January 13<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special classes at <b>3pm</b> on	<b>Fri. February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2023</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special classes is	<b>Fri. February 10<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>Fri. February 24<sup>th</sup> 2023</b>

***\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn***

## NUMBER OF PLACES BEING MADE AVAILABLE IN 2023/2024

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants	<b>78</b>
The number of places being made available in the special classes catering for children with an autistic spectrum disorder. These children may also have a diagnosis completed by a professionally recognised educational psychologist of a general learning disability not above the mild range.	<b>2</b>

### PART 2 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2022/2023 SCHOOL YEAR

In respect of the 2022/2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 200 (at closing date)

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022/2023 school year:</b>	
Number of places available:	
Junior Infants	<b>81</b>
Special Classes	<b>2</b>
Number of applications received:	
Junior Infants	<b>197</b>
Special Classes	<b>3</b>
Number of Offers made and accepted under each <b>Junior Infants Application</b> criteria: (At closing date)	<p><b>Criterion One:</b> Applicants with siblings attending the school – <u>46</u> places offered, <u>46</u> places accepted.</p> <p><b>Criterion Two</b> Applicants living in the parish of Naas- <u>35</u> places offered, <u>35</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Three</b> <b>All other applicants</b> <u>0</u> places offered <u>0</u> places accepted</p>
Number of Offers made and accepted under each <b>Special Class Application</b> criteria (At closing date)	<p><b>Criterion One:</b> Applicants with siblings attending the school <u>0</u> places offered, <u>0</u> places accepted.</p> <p><b>Criterion Two</b> Applicants living in the parish of Naas- <u>2</u> places offered, <u>2</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Three</b> Applicants living outside the parish of Naas in closest proximity to the school <u>0</u> places offered, <u>0</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Four</b> <b>All other applicants</b> <u>0</u> places offered <u>0</u> places accepted</p>
Total number of offers made	<b>83</b>
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	<b>117</b>