



**Scoil Bhríde**

## ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2026/2027 school year



### ADMISSION POLICY AND APPLICATION FORM

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2026/2027 school year will be available from **6<sup>th</sup> October 2025** 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 2026/2027 SCHOOL YEAR

#### Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027 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>Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission at <b>3pm</b> on	<b>Fri. 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	<b>Fri. November 14<sup>th</sup> 2025</b>
The date which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>Fri. November 28<sup>th</sup> 2025</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 2026/2027 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Classes which caters for children with autism.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special classes at <b>9am</b> on	<b>Mon. 6<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special classes at <b>3pm</b> on	<b>Fri. 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special classes is	<b>Fri. November 14<sup>th</sup> 2025</b>
The date which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>Fri. November 28<sup>th</sup> 2025</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***\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn***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 2026/2027

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants	<b>72</b>
The number of places being made available in the special classes catering for children with autism. These children must also have a diagnosis completed by a professionally recognised educational psychologist of a general learning disability not above the mild range.	<b>3</b>

## PART 2 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2025/2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants / Special Class for the 2025/2026 school year.

In respect of the 2025/2026 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was **162** *(at closing date)*

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2025/2026 school year:</b>	
Number of places available: Junior Infants	<b>72</b>
Special Classes	<b>3</b>
Number of applications received: Junior Infants	<b>149</b>
Special Classes	<b>13</b>
Number of Offers made and accepted under each <b>Junior Infants Application</b> criteria: <i>(At closing date)</i>	<p><b>Criterion One:</b> Applicants with siblings attending the school – <u>40</u> places offered, <u>40</u> places accepted.</p> <p><b>Criterion Two:</b> Children of Permanent Staff currently working in the school- <u>1</u> places offered <u>1</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Three:</b> Applicants living in the parish of Naas- <u>31</u> places offered, <u>31</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Four:</b> All other applicants <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 <i>(At closing date)</i>	<p><b>Criterion One:</b> Applicants with siblings attending the school <u>2</u> places offered, <u>2</u> places accepted.</p> <p><b>Criterion Two:</b> Children of Permanent Staff currently working in the school- <u>0</u> places offered <u>0</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Three:</b> Applicants living in the parish of Naas- <u>1</u> places offered, <u>1</u> places accepted</p> <p><b>Criterion Four:</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> All other applicants <u>0</u> places offered <u>0</u> places accepted</p>
Total number of offers made	<b>75</b>
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. <b>No children on waiting list on 01/09/2025.</b>	<b>87</b>