



Scoil Bhríde ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE



in respect of admissions to the 2021/2022 school year

ADMISSION POLICY AND APPLICATION FORM

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2021 – 2022 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.scoilbhrideps.com

On request: By emailing enrolment@scoilbhrideps.com or writing to Scoil Bhríde, Killane, Edenderry, Co. Offaly

PART 1 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2021/2022 SCHOOL YEAR

Application and Decision Dates for admission to Scoil Bhríde

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	14th January 2021
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	4th February 2021 @2.30pm
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	25th February 2021
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	4th March 2021

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 2021-2022

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with a diagnosis of ASD that meets D.S.M. IV & V or I.C.D. 10 criteria and a recommendation that the student should be placed within an ASD class.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	14th January 2021
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	24th February 2021 @10.00am
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	5th March 2021
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	12th March 2021

Early Intervention Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2021-2022

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with a diagnosis of ASD that meets D.S.M. IV & V or I.C.D. 10 criteria.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	14th January 2021
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	24th February 2021 @10.00am
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	5th March 2021
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	12th March 2021

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

NUMBER OF PLACES BEING MADE AVAILABLE IN 2021/2022

The number of places being made available in the special class* (Primary Age Class) catering for children with a diagnosis of ASD that meets D.S.M. IV & V or I.C.D. 10 criteria and a recommendation that the student should be placed within an ASD class.	2
The number of places being made available in the special class* (Early Intervention) catering for children with a diagnosis of ASD that meets D.S.M. IV & V or I.C.D. 10 criteria.	4

PART 2 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2020/2021

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants/ Early Intervention Class/ASD Primary Age Special Class for the 2020-2021 school year

In respect of the 2020/2021 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school for Primary Age Special Class placement was:

Breakdown of places allocated for the 20/21 school year for ASD Primary Age Special Class:	
Number of places available:	4
Number of applications received:	7
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>Criterion 5: Children who have attended the Early Intervention class within the school and do not currently have a sibling attending the schools ASD Primary Classes or Mainstream Classes within the school. <i>(3 offers made – 3 accepted)</i></p> <p>Criterion 8: Children who live within the catchment area. <i>(1 offer made – 1 accepted)</i></p>
Total number of offers made	4
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <p>1 remaining applicant did not have a recommendation in line with DSMV for placement in an ASD special class setting.</p>

Breakdown of places allocated for the 20/21 school year for Early Intervention (Preschool Class):	
Number of places available:	5
Number of applications received:	6
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>Criterion 4: Children who have a sibling currently attending a mainstream class within the school <i>(1 offer made – 1 accepted)</i></p> <p>Criterion 7: Children who live within the catchment area. <i>(4 offers made – 3 accepted, 1 rejected)</i></p>
Total number of offers made	5
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	<p style="text-align: center;">0</p> <p>*one applicant did not have a diagnosis of ASD in line with DSMV</p> <p>**remaining available place filled in May 2020.</p>