



Rathduff NS
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the School Year 2024/25 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.rathduffnationalschool.com

On request: By emailing rathduffnationalschool@gmail.com or writing to:

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Grenagh,
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PART 1 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2024/2025

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	01/10/2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	06/11/2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	04/12/2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	15/12/2023

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

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 2024/2025

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 class on	01/10/2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	11/12/2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	15/01/2024
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	26/01/2024

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

Number of places being made available in 2024/2025

The number of places being made available in junior infants is	30
The number of places being made available in the special classes catering for children with Autism is	5

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2023/2024 school year

In respect of the 2023/2024 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Special Classes for the 2023 school year

In respect of 2023/2024 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 23

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/24 school year:	
Number of places available:	5
Number of applications received:	23
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criterion 1: Pupils transferring from our Mainstream Classes-1 Criterion 2: Brothers and sisters (including step-siblings, or foster children resident at the same address) of children already enrolled- 0

	<p>Criterion 3: Pupils from our Early Intervention Class- 1</p> <p>Criterion 4: Children Living within the parish-1</p> <p>Criterion 5: Children whose home address is closest to the school (as measured by google maps) if the child is normally resident outside the parish/agreed catchment area -2</p>
Total number of offers made	5
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	18