

St Mary's Special School
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 [insert school year] is available as follows: –

To download at: www.stmarysspecialschooljohnstown.com

On request: By emailing smspschoolnavan@gmail.com or writing to: The administrator, St Mary's Special School. Johnstown, Navan, Co Meath

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2021/2022 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2021/2022

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants/First Year (delete as appropriate)

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | 01/10/2020 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | 28/02/2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | 30/04/2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | Parent must confirm in writing by a specified date within 5 working days. |

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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 2021/2022

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with Moderate GLD classes -

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 01/10/2020 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 28/02/2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | 30/04/2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | Parent must confirm in writing by a specified date within 5 working days. |

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

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 Severe & Profound GLD / no complex medical-clinical needs -

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 01/10/2020 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 28/02/2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | 30/04/2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | Parent must confirm in writing by a specified date within 5 working days. |

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

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 Severe & Profound GLD with complex

medical /clinical needs – Special Care unit (SCU) -

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 01/10/2020 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 28/02/2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | 30/04/2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | Parent must confirm in writing by a specified date within 5 working days. |

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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 Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) -

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 01/10/2020 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 28/02/2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | 30/04/2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | Parent must confirm in writing by a specified date within 5 working days. |

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Number of places being made available in 2021/2022

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| The number of places being made available in Moderate GLD – Primary is | 2 |
| The number of places being made available in Moderate GLD – Post – Primary is | 0 |
| The number of places being made available in Severe & Profound GLD – non medical complex needs – Primary is | 0 |
| The number of places being made available in Severe & Profound – non medical complex needs – Post Primary is | 1 |
| The number of places being made available in ASD Primary is | 0 |
| The number of places being made available in ASD Post Primary is | 0 |
| The number of places being made available in Severe & Profound with complex medical needs – SCU Primary is | 0 |

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| The number of places being made available in Severe & Profound with complex medical needs – SCU Post Primary is | 0 |
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(*Note: If school has a number of classes that cater for different categories of SEN, details of the numbers of places for each SEN class must be provided)

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2020/2021 school year

In respect of the 2020/2021 school year

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| Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for the 2020/2021 school year |
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In respect of 2020/2021 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 25

| Breakdown of places allocated for the 2020/2021 school year: | |
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| Number of places available: | 10 |
| Number of applications received: | 25 |
| Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria: | <p>Criterion 1 : Primary for Moderate GLD Number of applicants:2 Places offered : 2</p> <p>Criterion 2: Post Primary for Moderate GLD Number of applicants: 0 Places offered: 0</p> <p>Criterion 3: Primary for Severe & Profound GLD no complex medical needs Number of applicants : 1 Places offered: 1</p> <p>Criterion 4: Post-Primary for Severe & Profound GLD – no complex medical needs Number of applicants: 0 Places offered: 0</p> <p>Criterion 5: Primary for ASD Number of applicants 20 Places offered: 7</p> <p>Criterion 6: Post Primary for ASD Number of applicants : 1 Places offered: 0</p> |

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| | <p>Criterion 7: Primary for Severe & Profound GLD –with complex medical needs SCU Number of applicants : 2 Places offered: 0</p> <p>Criterion 8: Post-Primary for Severe & Profound GLD –with complex medical needs SCU Number of applicants: 0 Places offered: 0</p> |
| Total number of offers made | 10 |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. | 15 |