

**Springdale National School**

**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 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.springdale.ie

On request: By emailing secretary@springdale.ie or writing to: School Secretary, Springdale NS, Lough Derg Road, Raheny, Dublin 5

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2023/2024 school year**

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

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | **9th January 2023** |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | **31st January 2023**  **@12 noon** |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | **21st February 2023** |
| The date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is\* | **28th February 2023** |

**Note: the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school’s admission policy.**

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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

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| The number of places being made available in junior infants is ***24***. |

**PART 2 - Admissions to the 2022/2023 school year**

**Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants for 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 as follows:

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| **Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022/2023 school year:** | |
| **Number of places available:** | 26 |
| **Number of applications received:** | 60 |
| **Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:**  **(Including 2nd Round Offers)** | ***Criterion One:*** An Applicant Student who is a member of the Church of Ireland or a Protestant reformed church or is a member of a minority religion which has the same religious ethos, or a similar religious ethos to the programme of religious instruction/education which is provided in the school and who lives within the boundaries of the parishes of Raheny and Coolock- 7 places offered, 6 places accepted.  **Criterion Two:** Children of current staff- 2 places offered, 2 places accepted.  **Criterion Three:** Siblings of current pupils- 4 places offered, 4 places accepted  **Criterion Four:** Applicant Students who live within a 1km radius of the School and who comply with the terms of the Policy- 11 places offered, 10 places accepted.  **Criterion Five:** All other Applicant Students who comply with the terms of this Policy- 10 places offered, 4 places accepted. |
| **Total number of offers made** | 34 |
| **Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.** | 1 |