

Sacred Heart BNS
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2027/2028 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2027/2028 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.sacredheartballygall.ie

On request: By emailing office@sacredheartballygall.ie or writing to: [Sacred Heart NS, St Canice's Road, Ballygall, Dublin 11.](#)]

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2027/2028 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2027/2028

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants. All junior infant pupils for 2027/28 school year must be four years of age by 31st May 2027.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	01 October 2026
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission	25 th October 2026 at 4 p.m.
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	13 th November 2026
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	30 th November 2026

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***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to the school's Special Classes cater for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD)

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class	01 October 2026
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	25 th October 2026
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	13 th November2026
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	30 th November 2026

Number of places being made available in 2027/2028

The number of places being made available in junior infants is	52 places
The number of places being made available in the Autism classrooms is	0 places

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2026/2027 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Mainstream Junior Infants and autism classrooms for the 2026/2027 school

In respect of the 2026/2027 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was _____90_____

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2026/2027 school year:	
Number of places available:	60
Number of applications received:	90
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criteria 1: Boys from the Catholic parish of Ballygall and brothers/stepbrothers of pupils attending the school who satisfy the age requirements 34 Criteria 2: Sons of staff members who satisfy the age requirements 0 Criteria 3: All boys who satisfy the age requirements and reside outside the Catholic parish of Ballygall 22
Total number of offers made	90
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	0
Number of places available in Autism Classrooms	0
Number of applications received	0
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criteria 1 – Criteria 2 – Criteria 3 --