

NEWTOWNMOUNTKENNEDY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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 2024-2025 school year is available as follows:

- From the school office
- To download at: www.newtownprimary.ie
- On request: By emailing office@newtownprimary.ie or writing to: Newtownmountkennedy P.S., Newtownmountkennedy, Co. Wicklow.

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	06 - 11- 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	24 - 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	12 - 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Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn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 school year.

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Autism Classes.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	06-11-23
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The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	24 - 11 - 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is *	04 – 12 – 2023*
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is*	12 - 12 – 2023*
*Please note places in autism classes need to be sanctioned by the SENO so this may be later than date indicated above. Therefore confirmation of acceptance may be at a later date.	

Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn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 – 2024 school year

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants	46
The number of residential places is (boarding schools only)	n/a
The number of non-residential places is (boarding schools only)	n/a
The number of places being made available in the special autism class *Admission for Special Classes will need to be sanctioned by the SENO	4

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2023 – 2024 school year

In respect of the 2023 – 2024 school year

Junior Infants

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022 - 2023 school year:	
Number of places available:	48
Number of applications received:	51
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criteria One: Siblings/Step – siblings or pupils living in the parish/catchment area: 48 Offered, 35 Accepted Criteria Two: Applicants living outside of the parish/catchment area – 2 offered, not accepted.
Total number of offers made	51
Number of names placed on waiting list for Junior Infants for the school year concerned.	0

Autism Classes

In respect of 2022-2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022 - 2023 school year:	
Number of places available:	4
Number of applications received:	9
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>Criteria One: Applicants enrolled in mainstream classes in the school - 1</p> <p>Criteria Two: Siblings/Step Siblings and/or Applicants living in the parish/catchment area - 2</p> <p>Criteria 3: Applicants living outside of the parish/catchment area - 1</p>
Total number of offers made	4
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	0