



Appendix 1

STRATFORD NATIONAL SCHOOL ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2025/26

Copies of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2025/26 school year are available as follows: –

To download at: www.stratfordns.ie

To complete online at: <https://www.aladdin.ie/i/6633159397474304>

On request: By emailing info@stratfordns.ie or writing to: Stratford National School, 1 Zion Road, Rathgar Dublin 6, D06E161

1. Application and Decision Dates for Mainstream & Autism Classes to Stratford National School for the School Year 2025/26

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	20th November 2024 at 8am
2.	The school will cease accepting applications for admission on	11th December 2024 at 11.59pm
3.	Applicants will be notified in writing of the decision on their application by	20th December 2024 before 4pm
4.	Applicants must confirm* acceptance of an offer of admission by	8th January before 4pm

*Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by 8th January 2025 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

2. Number of places being made available in the 2025/26 school year

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants is	12
The number of places being made available in Senior Infants is	4
The number of places being made available in First Class is	3
The number of places being made available in Second Class is	0
The number of places being made available in Third Class is	3
The number of places being made available in Fourth Class is	5
The number of places being made available in Fifth Class is	1
The number of places being made available in Sixth Class is	0



The number of places being made available in Early Intervention Autism Class (age 3 – 4.5 years)	5
The number of places being made available in Primary Level Autism Class (age 5-12 years)	0

*As our mainstream classes are multi-grade, places may be offered to applicants for Senior Infants based on the selection criteria (**Sections 6 and 15 of the Admission Policy**) which may reduce the number of places available in Junior Infants. The maximum that will be considered in the combined Junior and Senior Infant group is 24.

3. Number of places in Junior Infants for the 2025/26 school year which were offered and accepted before 1 February 2020

The number of places for Junior Infants that were offered and accepted prior to the coming into operation of section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 on 1 February 2020 is	0
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4. The total number of applications for admission received by Stratford NS for Junior Infants in the 2024/25 school year was

Breakdown of pupil places allocated for Junior Infants for the 2024/25 school year:	
Number of places available	12
Number of applications received	20
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria	Criteria 1: 5 Criteria 2: 0 Criteria 3: 2 Criteria 4: 0 Criteria 5: 4 Criteria 6: 0
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	8

5. The total number of applications for admission received by Stratford NS for Early Intervention Autism Class in the 2024/25 school year was:

Breakdown of pupil places allocated for Early Intervention Autism Class for the 2024/25 school year:	
Number of places available	1
Number of applications received	2
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria	Criteria 1: 1 Criteria 2: 0 Criteria 3: 0



	Criteria 4: 0 Criteria 5: 0 Criteria 6: 0 Criteria 7: 0
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	1

* For the 2024/25 school year, the Early Intervention Autism Class is fully subscribed.

6. The total number of applications for admission received by Stratford NS for Primary Level Autism Class in the 2024/25 school year:

Breakdown of pupil places allocated for Primary Level Autism Class for the 2024/25 school year:	
Number of places available	0
Number of applications received	18
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria	Criteria 1: 0 Criteria 2: 0 Criteria 3: 0 Criteria 4: 0 Criteria 5: 0 Criteria 6: 0 Criteria 7: 0
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	18

* For the 2025 - 2026 school year, the Primary Level Autism Class is fully subscribed.