

ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2025/2026 school year

-This Notice must be published at least 1 week before a school can accept applications for admission

-This Notice must be published on the school's website and must remain there for the duration of the school year

-This Notice must also be made available on written request

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the school year 2025/2026 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.newtownnsardee.com

On request: By emailing newtownnsardee92@gmail.com or writing to: The Principal, Newtown N.S., Newtown, Ardee, Co. Louth

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2025/2026 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2025/2026 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	13th November 2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	10th January 2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	24th January 2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	14 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***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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 2025/2026 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with an assessed diagnosis of Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder using the DSM-V or ICD 10 including a recommendation that a special class placement in a Primary school is both necessary and suitable for the child.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	13th November 2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	10th January 2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	24th January 2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	14 days

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

Number of places being made available in 2025/2026

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants is	15
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 class* catering for children with an assessed diagnosis of Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder using the DSM-V or ICD 10 including a recommendation that a special class placement in a Primary school is both necessary and suitable for the child.	1