



Ballinteer Educate Together National School

ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

for the 2026/2027 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2026/2027 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.ballinteeretns.ie

On request: By emailing info@ballinteeretns.ie or writing to: Ballinteer Educate Together National School, Parkvale, Balally, Dublin 16, D16 N6T0.

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2026/2027 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

1. The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	1 st October 2025
2. The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	31st October 2025
3. The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	14th November 2025
4. The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	14 days

Note: applications made after the 31st of October will be processed as late applications, the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.

Failure of an applicant to accept an offer within seven days may result in the offer being withdrawn.

Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Classes which cater for autistic children.

Note: The figures set out below in relation to the Special Classes are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the Special Classes retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.

1. The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	1 st October 2025
2. The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	30 th April 2026
3. The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	14 th May 2026
4. The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	7 days after the offer is made

Note: applications made after the 31st of October will be processed as late applications, the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.

Failure of an applicant to accept an offer within seven days may result in the offer being withdrawn.

Other Year Groups Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027

The following are the dates applicable for admission to other year groups (Senior Infants to 6th class)

1. The school will commence accepting applications for admission to other year groups on	1 st February 2026
2. The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to other year groups on	22 nd February 2026
3. The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	14 th March 2026
4. The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	7 days after the offer is made

Note: applications made after the 22nd of February 2026 will be processed as late applications, the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.

Failure of an applicant to accept an offer within seven days may result in the offer being withdrawn.

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Number of places being made available in 2026/2027

Note: The figures set out below in relation to the Special Class and other year groups are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the Special Classes retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants is	52
The number of places being made available in the special classes catering for autistic children is	0
The number of places being made available in other year groups is	18