**St David’s N.S.**

**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**

**in respect of admissions to 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 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.stdavidsbns.ie

On request at stdavidsbns@gmail.com **or**

St David’s N.S., Kilmore Road, Artane, Dublin 5

We kindly request that Admissions Forms for incoming pupils be completed by following the link to the online portal on our website. This will be available from 1st October 2025 to 31st January 2026.

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2026/2027 school year**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission 2026/2027**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | **1st October 2025** |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | **31st January 2026** |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | **14th February 2026** |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | **28th February 2026** |

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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 2026/2027**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school’s Special Class which caters for children with autism-

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | **1st October 2025** |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | **31st January 2026** |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | **14th February 2026** |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | **28th February 2026** |

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**Number of places being made available in 2026/2027**

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| The number of places being made available in junior infants is | **50** |
| 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 autism is | **8** |

**PART 2 - Admissions to the 2025/2026 school year**

**Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for ASD class for the 2025/2026 school year**

In respect of the 2025/2026 school year

In respect of 2025/2026 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 56

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| **Breakdown of places allocated for the school year:** | |
| Number of places available: | 1 |
| Number of applications received: | 56 |
| Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria: | 1 under criteria (a) |
| Total number of offers made | 1 |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. | 56 |