

St. Michael's N.S.
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2025/2026 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

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

To download at: www.stmichaelscastlepollard.scoilnet.ie

On request: By emailing cpns3h@gmail.com or writing to : **St. Michael's N.S., Water Street, Castlepollard, Co. Westmeath. N91 Y206**

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2025/2026 school year

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

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	02/12/2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	16/12/2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	30/12/2024
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	13/01/2025

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 the 2025/2026 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with a diagnosis of ASD:

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	02/12/2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	16/12/2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	30/12/2024
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	13/01/2024

***Please note that there are currently no places available in our Special Classes, however, we will accept applications and create a waiting list.**

Number of places being made available in the 2025/2026 school year

The number of places being made available in junior infants is	29
The number of places being made available in the special class catering for children with ASD is	0

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for special class catering for children with ASD for the 2024/2025 school year

In respect of the 2024/2025 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 3.

Breakdown of places allocated for the 24/25 school year:	
Number of places available:	0
Number of applications received:	3
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criterion One: Applicants living in the catchment area – 0 places offered, Criterion Two: Applicants with siblings attending the school/enrolled in the school – 0 places offered, Criterion three: Applicants living outside of the catchment area- 3 applications received.
Total number of offers made	0
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	0. Remaining applicants accepted offers in other special class elsewhere.