



**Tallaght Community School**  
**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**  
in respect of admissions to the 2027/28 school year

**Admission Policy and Application Form**

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for 2027/28 is available as follows: –

To download at: [www.tallaghtcs.ie](http://www.tallaghtcs.ie)

On request: By emailing [office@tallaghtcs.ie](mailto:office@tallaghtcs.ie) or writing to: Tallaght Community School, Balrothery, Tallaght, D24 X759

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2027/28 school year Application**

**and Decision Dates for admission to First Year 2025/2026**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to First Year

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on                       | <b>1<sup>st</sup> October 2026</b>   |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on                         | <b>22<sup>nd</sup> October 2026</b>  |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is  | <b>12<sup>th</sup> November 2026</b> |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | <b>3<sup>rd</sup> December 2026</b>  |

**Note: the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.**

**Number of places being made available in 2027/28**

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| The number of places being made available in first year is | <b>154</b> |
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### **Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027**

Please note: For admissions to the AS class, “applicants must be known to the NCSE and have the relevant NCSE letter confirming their eligibility for the special class”.

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school’s Special Class which caters for children with AS (Mark clearly on application request for special class):

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on                                    | <b>1<sup>st</sup> October 2026</b>   |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on                                      | <b>22<sup>nd</sup> October 2026</b>  |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | <b>12<sup>th</sup> November 2026</b> |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is                                   | <b>3<sup>rd</sup> December 2026</b>  |

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

#### **Number of places being made available in 2027/28**

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| The number of places being made available in First Year is                                          | <b>154</b> |
| The number of places being made available in the special class catering for children with Autism is | <b>0</b>   |

### **PART 2 - Admissions to the 2026/27 school year**

#### **Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for 1<sup>st</sup> year for the 2026/27 school year**

In respect of the 2026/27 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 253.

| <b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2026/27 school year:</b> |            |
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| Number of places available:                                       | <b>154</b> |
| Number of applications received:                                  | <b>253</b> |

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| Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Criteria 1: Siblings of students attending or who previously attended</li> <li>Criteria 2: Students from the following primary schools, Scoil Aonghusa, Scoil Iosa, St. Kevin's Girls/Boys, St. Mary's, St. Killians, St. Dominics</li> <li>Criteria 3: Students from other primary schools</li> <li>Criteria 4: Late applications</li> </ul> | Offered: 47      Accepted: 40<br><br>Offered: 105      Accepted: 71<br><br>Offered: 93      Accepted: 36<br><br>Offered: 8      Accepted: 7 |
| Total number of offers made                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 269                                                                                                                                         |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 0                                                                                                                                           |

## **PART 2 - Admissions to the 2027/28 school year**

### **Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Autism Class for the 2027/28 school year**

For admissions to the Autism class, “applicants must be known to the NCSE and have the relevant NCSE letter confirming their eligibility for the special class”.

In respect of the 2026/27 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was

| <b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2026/27 school year:</b>     |    |
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| Number of places available:                                           | 6  |
| Number of applications received:                                      | 11 |
| Total number of offers made                                           | 6  |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. | 5  |