

DONAHIES COMMUNITY SCHOOL

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ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of 1st year admissions to the 2027/2028 school year

Admission Policy, Notice and Application Form :

A copy of the school's Admission Policy and Annual Admission Notice for the 2027/2028 school year is available on the school's website during September 2026.

CAPPS forms (Common Application Post Primary School) will be distributed in the primary school during September and will be forwarded to us by the central processing system in line with the dates listed below. All other applications outside the CAPPS area may apply by downloading the Application Form for Admission (**Mainstream**) available from 1st October 2026 as follows:

- www.donahiescommunityschool.com or by emailing office@donahiescs.ie

Application for ASD 1st year September 2027 – All applicants should download the ASD application from school website (under ASD applications) – CAPPS applications should still select Donahies Community School on their CAPPS form and Highlight it ASD application.

Admissions to the 2027/2028 school year

The following are the Application and Decision Dates for admission to 1st year 2027/2028

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	1st October 2026
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	22nd October 2026
The dates by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	12th November 2026
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	12th November to 26th November 2026 (12noon)

Note: Late applications will only be considered in accordance with the school's admission policy. Failure to accept an offer within the dates range above may result in the offer being withdrawn.

Number of places being made available in 2027/2028

The number of places being made available in 1 st year 2026/2027 is	80
The number of places being made available in ASD class, catering for children who have been assessed with a primary diagnosis of Autism/Autistic Spectrum Disorder in line with established DES criteria is: NOTE: New criteria required by NCSE for places in a special class is highlighted on our ASD application form.	2
Residential / Non Residential places	N/A