

Form 1:
SPECIAL CLASS (Co-Ed)

ST JOHN THE BAPTIST BNS

OLD ROAD, CASHEL, CO. TIPPERARY, E25 R259

ROLL NUMBER: 20155R

TEL.: 062 61833

**APPLICATION FOR
ADMISSION FORM 2025/26
(Autism Classes)**

Special Class Application for Admission 2025-26

PUPIL DETAILS

First Name	
Surname	
Date of Birth	
Gender	
Address (at which the applicant resides)	
Include Eircode	Eircode:

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN(S) DETAILS

Name 1	
Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Custodian <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> <i>please tick as appropriate</i>	
Address (including Eircode)	
(As above will suffice where applicable)	
	Eircode:
Mobile No:	
Email:	

Name 2	
Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Custodian <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> <i>please tick as appropriate</i>	
Address (including Eircode)	
(As above will suffice where applicable)	
	Eircode:
Mobile No:	
Email:	

Please submit the following with this Enrolment Application form:

- Reports confirming:
 - (I) The child's disability in line with the designation for ASD Special Class
 - (II) The child's complex or severe learning need that require the support of a special class setting and the reasons why this setting is the most appropriate
 - (III) Diagnosis of ASD according to DSM IV/V or ICD 10
 - (IV) Any reports from a multi-disciplinary team or any part thereof.

- Reports should support the key considerations of:

(i) Diagnosis – child must have professional reports as outlined above

(ii) Integration – child must be capable of integrating into the mainstream, at an age appropriate level and from a health & safety point of view (where challenging behaviours can occur)

(iii) Appropriateness of the placement – child must be able to access the primary school curriculum. Where a general learning disability also presents, it must fall within the Borderline to Mild GLD range to ensure the child can access the primary school curriculum when integrating into mainstream classes

- Reports must state that consideration could be given to placement in an ASD special class in a mainstream school. Reports should differentiate between a special class setting and special school setting to ensure the needs of the child are accurately met.
- Consideration for special class enrolment will not be provided where reports state special school provision is most suitable to meet the child's learning needs.
- All relevant reports **MUST** be included with this Admission Form. Failure to submit a report can result in the termination of an enrolment offer at the discretion of the Board of Management.

Name 1 (PRINT): _____ Name 2 (PRINT): _____

Signature 1: _____ Signature 2: _____

Date: _____ Date: _____

Completed enrolment applications must be returned to St John the Baptist BNS **no later than 3pm on Friday 31 January 2025** & decisions will be relayed in writing by or before **21 February 2025**.

This Application *MUST* be accompanied by your son's *ORIGINAL* birth certificate. You can drop all documents into the school office or post them to St John the Baptist BNS, Old Road, Cashel, Co. Tipperary, E25 R259

The school will make a copy of the original birth certificate submitted and will return all original documentation.

Office Use only:

*Date Application Received	D	D	M	M	Y	Y

Data Privacy Statement

The information provided on this form will be used by **St John the Baptist BNS** to apply the selection criteria for enrolment and to allocate school places in accordance with the School's Admission Policy and the School's Annual Admission Notice.

Where a pupil is admitted to the school, the information will be retained on the pupil's file. On acceptance of an offer of admission, this information will be entered in the School Administration System (Aladdin Schools) and will be uploaded to the Primary Online Database. The Primary Online Database (POD) is a nationwide individualised database of primary school pupils, hosted by the Department of Education and Skills.

In the event of oversubscription, a waiting list of students whose applications for admission to **St John the Baptist BNS** were unsuccessful due to the school being oversubscribed will be compiled, and will remain valid for the school year in which admission is being sought. Where a child's name is placed on a waiting list, and the child is not admitted to the school, the information provided on this form will be retained for the duration of the school year and will be securely destroyed thereafter.

Section 66(6) of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 allows for the sharing of certain information between schools in order to facilitate the efficient admission of students. The information which may be provided to a patron or another Board of Management for this purpose may include all or any of the following:

- (i) the date on which an application for admission was received by the school;
- (ii) the date on which an offer of admission was made by the school;
- (iii) the date on which an offer of admission was accepted by an applicant;
- (iv) a student's personal details including his or her name, address, date of birth and personal public service number (within the meaning of section 262 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005).