



Balscadden NS

ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2024/2025 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.balscadden.com

On request: By emailing info@balscadden.com or writing to: Balscadden NS, Balscadden, Ring Commons, Balbriggan, Co. Dublin.

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2024/2025

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	6 th November, 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	27 th November, 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	1 st December, 2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	15 th December, 2023

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

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

Number of places being made available in the 2024/2025 school year

The number of places being made available in junior infants is	25
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PLEASE NOTE: Pupils must have reached their 4th birthday before 1st July previous to the September of their intended admission in Junior Infants in order to be considered for admission to a junior infant class. Parents are advised and encouraged to consult with the school principal to receive advice on choosing the appropriate year of intended admission.

PLEASE NOTE: In order for an application to be considered the Application Form must be fully completed and accompanied by the child's Birth Certificate and proof of address for one of the parents/guardians.

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2023/2024 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants for the 2023/2024 school year

In respect of the 2023/2024 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/24 school year:	
Number of places available:	25
Number of applications received:	36
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criterion 1: Applicants with siblings attending the school and living in local area 20 places offered, 11 places accepted. Criterion 2: Children of staff 0 places offered, 0 place accepted. Criterion 3: 2 places offered, 1 place accepted. Criterion 4: 11 places offered, 4 accepted. Criterion 5: 3 places offered, 0 accepted.
Total number of offers made	36
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	0