



Rush National School
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2023/2024 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2023/2024 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.rushnationalschool.ie

On request: By emailing office@rushnationalschool.ie or writing to: [Rush National School, Channel Road, Rush, Co. Dublin.](#)

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2023/2024 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2023/2024

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on 5th January 2023 .	5th January 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on 25th January 2023 . All applications must be submitted, by hand, to the school office. In order for an application to be considered complete, the parents of the applicant must provide; <ul style="list-style-type: none">• An application form, completed in full.• The applicant's original birth certificate. A photocopy will be made in the office and the original document returned.• If seeking to avail of priority due to residency, two items of documentation will be required to prove residency in the parish of Rush. Each document must be in the name of one of the applicant's parent(s), which must be dated no later than three months prior to the date of the application being made. Only original documents will be accepted. A photocopy will be made in the office and the original document returned.• Applications which are incomplete, not signed, not dated and/or do not include the required documentation, will not be processed.	25th January 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is 27th January 2023 .	27th January 2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is from 27th January 2023 up until 4:00pm on the 9th February 2023 .	27th January 2023 to 9th February 2023

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

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 2023/2024

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants 2023/2024 is 72 (24 x 3 classes) .	72 (24 x 3 classes)
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PART 2 - Admissions to the 2022/2023 school year

In respect of the 2022/2023 school year school

The school commenced accepting applications for admission on 6th January 2022 .	6th January 2022
The school ceased accepting applications for admission on 26th January 2022 . All applications had to be submitted by hand to the school office. *Applications were also accepted by email due to the pandemic closure during the enrolment period.* In order for an application to be considered complete, the parents of the applicant had to provide; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An application form, completed in full. • The applicant's original birth certificate. A photocopy was made in the office and the original document returned. • When seeking to avail of priority due to residency, two items of documentation were required to prove residency in the parish of Rush. Each document had to be in the name of one of the applicant's parent(s), which had to be dated no later than three months prior to the date of the application being made. Only original documents were accepted. A photocopy was made in the office and the original document returned. • Applications which were incomplete, not signed, not dated and/or did not include the required documentation, were not processed. 	26th January 2022
The date by which applicants were notified of the decision on their application was 28th January 2022 .	28th January 2022
The period within which applicants had to confirm acceptance of an offer of admission was from 28th January 2022 up until 4:00pm on the 10th February 2022 .	28th January 2022 to 10th February 2022

In respect of 2022/2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was **119**.

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022/2023 school year:	
Number of places available:	100
Number of applications received:	119
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>Criterion One: Brothers and sisters (including stepsiblings) of children currently in the school and all children who live within the parish boundaries - 115 places offered, 96 places accepted.</p> <p>Criterion Two: Children of staff members - 1 place offered, 0 places accepted.</p> <p>Criterion Three: Applicants living outside the catchment area - 3 places offered, 0 places accepted.</p>
Total number of offers made	119
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	0