

SS Michael and Peter Junior School
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2025/2026 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2025-2026 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.ssmichaelandpeter.ie

On request: By emailing office@ssmichaelandpeter.ie or writing to : SS Michael and Peter Junior School, Hickey's Hill, Arklow, Co. Wicklow. Y14HY40.

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2025/26 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2025 - 2026

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	6/11/24
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	8/12/24
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	20/12/24
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	10/1/25

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

Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to school year 2025-2026

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with Autism.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	6/11/24
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	8/12/24
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	20/12/24
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	10/1/25

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

Number of places being made available in 2025/26 school year

The number of places being made available in junior infants	96
The number of places being made available in the special class* catering for children with Autism is	5 School Age 3 Pre-School

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

(This section should only be completed if your school intake group/special class was oversubscribed in the previous school year)

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Primary Age Special Class for the 2024/25 school year

In respect of the 2024/25 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 11 .

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/24 school year:	
Number of places available	5 primary age places
Number of applications received	11
Number of offers made and accepted under each criteria	<p>Priority 2: Pupils currently enrolled in a mainstream class who receive a diagnosis of Autism and a recommendation for a special class placement. – 1 place</p> <p>Priority 3: Pupils who attended the Early Intervention Class in SS Michael and Peter Junior School for a period of two years with a recommendation for a primary age special class placement. – 3 places</p> <p>Priority 5: Sibling of children currently attending SS Michael and Peter JS with a recommendation for a primary age special class placement. 1 place</p>
Total number of offers made	5
Number of names placed on waiting list	6

