**Holy Family 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 school year 2025/2026 is available as follows: –

To download at: https://hfsc.ie/

On request: By emailing principal@hfsc.ie or writing to: Holy Family School, Old Bridge Road, Cootehill, Co.Cavan

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2025/2026 school year**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2025/2026**

The following are the dates applicable for admission

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | **October 14th 2024** |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | **Feb 21st 2025** |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | **March 11th 2025** |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | **14 days from offer made** |

**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 2025/2026**

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| The number of places being made available | **17** |
| The number of residential places is (boarding schools only) |  |
| The number of non-residential places is (boarding schools only) |  |
| The number of places being made available in the special class\* catering for children with  Autism Specific Classes  Special Care Classes  School Based Classes (Moderate/Multiple Disabilities) | **0**  **5**  **12** |

**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 the 2023 school year**

In respect of the 2024 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 30

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| **Breakdown of places allocated for the 23/24 school year:** | |
| Number of places available: | 16 |
| Number of applications received: | 30 – not all applicants met criteria |
| Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria: | Criterion One: Applicants with siblings attending the school – 1 place offered, 1 place accepted  Criterion Two: Applicants living in the catchment area – 15 places offered, 15 places accepted |
| Total number of offers made | 16 |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. | 12 |