

Sonas Special Junior Primary 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.sonascork.ie

On request: by emailing admin@sonascork.ie

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2023-2024 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to Sonas for 2023-2024 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Sonas which caters for students aged 3-6 years old with a diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorder and a Cognitive ability that lies within the mild, moderate and above range.

The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	1st December 2022
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	10th December 2022

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***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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 Sonas in 2023-2024

The number of places being made available in Sonas is	14
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PART 2 - Admissions to the 2022-2023 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Sonas for the 2022-2023 school year

In respect of the 2022-2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 44

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022/2023 school year:	
Number of places available:	16
Number of applications received:	44
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criterion One-Diagnosis of autism secured from a publicly funded Multi-Disciplinary Team in accordance with international best practice guidelines or from a privately funded diagnostic assessment of ASD approved by a publicly funded team -17 offers
Total number of offers made	17 offers – 1 refusal
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	27