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 school year is available as follows: – To download at: <u>www.kilcoonans.ie</u> On request: By emailing <u>info@kilcoonans.ie</u> or writing to : St. Cuana's N.S., Kilcoona, Headford, Co. Galway H91 FX95

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 to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission	1 st October
on	2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	14 th February
	2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on	7 th March
their application is	2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an	28th March
offer of admission is	2025

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 2025/2026

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with a diagnosis of Autism and a recommendation of a special class placement-

The school will commence accepting applications for admission	1 st October
to the special class on	2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to	8 th November
the special class on	2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on	6th December
their application for admission to the special class is	2024
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of	20th December
an offer of admission is	2024

*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn

Number of places being made available in 2025/2026

The number of places being made available in junior infants year is	25
The number of places being made available in the special class*	0
catering for children with Autism is	

PART 2 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

In respect of the 2024/2025 school year, the total number of applications for admission to our Junior Infants Class received by the school was 20.

In respect of the 2024/2025 school year, the total number of applications for admission to our ASD Class received by the school was 4.

Breakdown of places allocated for the 24/25 school year:	
Number of places available:	2
Number of applications received:	4
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criterion One: All children Students who have transferred from our special class to mainstream within our school and wish to re-apply for a place in our special class or students within our mainstream who meet the criteria for a special class placement and wish to transfer to the special class within our school. 1 place offered, 1place accepted. Criterion Two: All children who live within the parish boundaries applying for a placement are entitled to a place if there are vacancies after the group above have been allocated.
Total number of offers made	2
Number of names placed on the waiting list for the school year concerned.	1