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## **St. Francis Special School**

### **ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**

**in respect of admissions to the 2024/2025 school year**

#### **Admission Policy and Application Form**

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2024/2025 school year is available as follows: –

To download at:                    [www.sfss.ie](http://www.sfss.ie)

On request by emailing:        [info@sfss.ie](mailto:info@sfss.ie)

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### **PART 1 - Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year**

#### **Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2024/2025 school year**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to all classes where vacancies exist.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	<b>16.10.2023</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	<b>17.11.2023</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	<b>08.12.2023</b>
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>22.12.2023</b>

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 Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn.**



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### Number of places being made available in 2024/2025

The number of places being made available in 2024/2025 is dependent upon the number of spaces available in particular categories of disability e.g. whether moderate or severe / profound or EBD and is also dependent on the age profile of the applicants.	<b>ASD Classes</b>	<b>Severe / Profound</b>	<b>Multiple Disability Classes</b>
	0 vacancy	3 vacancies	7 vacancy

(\***Note:** If school has a number of classes that cater for different categories of SEN, details of the numbers of places for each SEN class must be provided)

### PART 2 - Admissions to the 2023/2024 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 2023/2024 school year

In respect of the 2023/2024 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 6.

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/24 school year:</b>	
Number of places available:	- 3
Number of applications received:	- 6
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	A description of each criterion used and the number of places offered and accepted under that criterion must be entered here. Criterion One: Distance
Total number of offers made	- 3
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	- 3