



Annual Admission Notice 2024.25

The following Annual Admission Notice has been prepared by the board of **Lucan Community NS** in respect of the admission of students to the school for the school year 2023/2024. This notice was published on **25/10/23**.

Note: Prior to the commencement of section 62 of the Education Act 1998-2018, the school had allocated a number of places in the 2023/24 Junior Infant Group and the Special Class. The figures below capture this.

Note: The figures set out below in relation to Junior Infants are subject to increase dependent on the overall student teacher ratio in the school at the time of the administration of the school's admission process for applications to the Junior Infant class.

Total number of places available in Junior Infant Group:	46
Number of places already allocated in Junior Infant Group:	0
Number of places left in Junior Year Group:	46
Note: The figures set out below in relation to the ASD are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the ASD retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.	
Total number of available places in Special Class(es):	12
Number of places already allocated in Special Class(es):	11
Number of places left in Special Class(es):	1

A copy of Lucan CNS's Admission Policy is available at:	School website www.lucancns.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing info@lucancns.ie
An Application Form for admission to Lucan CNS is available from 25/10/23:	School website www.lucancns.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing info@lucancns.ie

All applications to the Junior Infants or the Special Class (CSE) in Lucan CNS will only be accepted after the **25/10/23** and the closing date for receipt of applications is the **17/11/2023**. Applications received after this date will be considered and processed as late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.

All transfer applications to Senior Infants, First Class, Second Class, Third Class, Fourth Class, Fifth Class or Sixth Class in Lucan CNS other than to the Special Class, will only be accepted after the **25/10/2023** and the closing date for receipt of applications is the **14/06/2024**. Applications received after this date will be considered and processed as late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.

Please be reminded that, in line with the school's Admission Policy and the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018, all waiting lists going forward are only in place for the academic year to which they apply. Therefore, if a child is seeking a place in the Special Class and is not successful in a given academic year or is on a waiting list for this year, a new application must be made for the following year.

All applicants to the Junior Infants and/or Special Class will be notified of an offer of a place or refusal of admission by:	06/12/2023
Successful applicants to the Junior Infants Group and/or Special Class must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission to Lucan CNS by completing and returning the Acceptance Form on or before:	20/12/2023
Note: Failure to accept an offer of admission before the relevant deadline set out above may result in the offer being withdrawn.	

Last year the school was oversubscribed and the following is a breakdown of the award of places:

The number of applications to Lucan CNS for the Junior Infant Group exceeded the 46 places available within the school in 2023/24.

Number of places available:	46
Number of applications received:	74
Number of offers made:	46
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 21 offers – with siblings currently enrolled in the school;• 25 - Other age-eligible children

The number of applications to Lucan for the Special Classes exceeded the 1 place available in 2023/24

Number of places available	1
Number of applications received:	27
Number of offers made:	1
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	7.1.2.1 Children, and then, Brothers & Sisters (including step-siblings resident at the same address) of children, already enrolled.