

Annual Admission Notice 2023/2024

The following Annual Admission Notice has been prepared by the board of Athy College in respect of the admission of students to the school for the school year 2023/2024. This notice was published on 27/09/2022

Total number of places available in First Year Group: [Note: this number is subject to reduction if a student(s) awarded a place in the Special Class is due to be part of the First year Group.]	140
Number of places already allocated in First Year Group:	0
Number of places left in First Year Group:	140
<i>Note: The figures set out below in relation to the Special Class are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the Special Class(es) retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.</i>	
Total number of available places in Special Class(es):	[1
Number of places already allocated in Special Class(es):	0
Number of places left in Special Class(es):	1

A copy of Athy College's Admission Policy is available at:	School website www.athycollege.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing info@athycollege.ie
An Application Form for admission to Athy College is available from 01/10/2022 at:	School website www.athycollege.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing Info@athycollege.ie

All applications to the First Year Group or the Special Class(for ALL year groups) in Athy College will only be accepted after the 1/10/2022 and the closing date for receipt of applications is the DD/MM/YYYY.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 the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth or Sixth YearGroups in Athy College other than to the Special Class,will only be accepted after the 01/10/2022 and the closing date for receipt of applications is the 28/10/2022 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 student 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 First-Year Group and/or Special Class will be notified of an offer of a place or refusal of admission by:	18/11/2022
Successful applicants to the First Year Group and/or Special Class must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission by completing and returning the Acceptance Form on or before:	02/12/2022
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 school must complete the following tables and include same in the school's Annual Admission Notice if the school was oversubscribed in the previous year. All text highlighted in blue should be deleted].

The number of applications to [XX School] for the First-Year Group exceeded the [XX(number)] places available within the school in 2020/2021. [This should read the academic year before the year of the Admission Notice.

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Number of places available:	125
Number of applications received:	150
Number of offers made:	125
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<p>Example:</p> <p>125 – Total offers made</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 100 offers – Within catchment area; • 20 offers– with siblings currently enrolled in the school; • 5 offers – Students had attended feeder school A.

The number of applications to [XX School] for the Special Class(es) exceeded the [XX(number)] places available within the school in 2020/2021. [This should read the academic year before the year of the Admission Notice.

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Number of places available:	2
Number of applications received:	2
Number of offers made:	2
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<p>Example:</p> <p>The class was established for students with Autism and both students meet the criteria.</p>

The number of applications to [XX School] for the Aonad Lán Gaeilge in the First-Year Group exceeded [XX(number)] places available in 2020/2021. [This should read the academic year before the year of the Admission Notice. Delete this instruction.]

Number of places available	130
Number of applications received:	150
Number of applications received that evidenced a fluency in the Irish language:	139
Number of offers made:	130
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<p>Example</p> <p>Total 130 offers made</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 125 offers met criteria of fluency, living in catchment area, with siblings currently enrolled in the school and had attended feeder school A;

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● 4 offers met criteria of fluency living in catchment area and had siblings enrolled in the school;● 1 offer met criteria of fluency had siblings enrolled in the school.
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