

Emo National School



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ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2026-2027 school year

ADMISSION POLICY AND APPLICATION FORM

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2026-2027 school year is available as follows:

To download at: www.emons.ie

On request: By emailing secretary@emons.ie or writing to the above address.

PART 1 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2026-27 SCHOOL YEAR

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026-27 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to **Junior Infants**

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	6 th October 2025
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	24 th October 2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	14 th November 2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	21 st November 2025

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****Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn.***

Special Class Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026-2027 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with autism.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	6th October 2025
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	24th October 2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	14th November 2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	21st November 2025

NUMBER OF PLACES BEING MADE AVAILABLE IN 2026-27 school year

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants	26
The number of places being made available in the special classes catering for children with autism is	2

PART 2 - ADMISSIONS TO THE 2026-27 school year.

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for our **Special Classes** for the 2025-26 school year

In respect of the 2025-26 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 12

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2025-2026 school year:	
Number of places available:	0
Number of applications received:	12
Number of offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>When the applications for our special classes exceed places available, the following selection criteria will be applied by the school:</p> <p>Selection criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Priority in the first place will be afforded to children currently enrolled in the school who meet the criteria and have a recommendation for a special class.2. The selection criteria at no. 6 A-D below will then be followed. <p>A. Children who are permanent residents of the Emo catchment area as defined by the BOM in Appendix A (Emo N.S. Catchment Area).</p>

	<p>B. Brothers and sisters of children already enrolled (including step-siblings, resident at the same address).</p> <p>C. Children whose parents are past pupils of the school. (Emo NS will only apply this criterion to a maximum of 25% of the available spaces as set out in the school's annual admission notice).</p> <p>D. Other applicants whose permanent address is closest to the school.</p> <p>.</p>
Total number of offers made	0
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	12