

**Gortnahoe N.S.**  
**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 2026/2027 is available as follows:

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

On request: By emailing [info@gortnaoens.ie](mailto:info@gortnaoens.ie) or writing to:

Gortnahoe N.S. Gortnahoe, Thurles, Co.Tipperary

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2026/2027 school year**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants and our Special Classes

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	<b>06/01/2026</b>
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on (There must be a minimum period of 3 weeks between this date and the commencement date for accepting applications for admission)	<b>27/02/2026</b>
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is (This date must be within 3 weeks of the closing date for receipt of application or within 3 weeks of the application date for late applications)	<b>13/03/2026</b>
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	<b>27/03/2026</b>

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**Note: the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.**

**Number of places being made available in 2026/2027**

The number of places being made available in junior infants/ is	<b>28</b>
The number of residential places is (boarding schools only)	<b>N/A</b>
The number of non-residential places is (boarding schools only)	<b>N/A</b>
The number of places being made available in the special class catering for children with Autism DSM IV/V or ICD 10 diagnostic criteria is	<b>0</b>

**PART 2 – Information regarding Admissions to the intake group/Special Class for the previous school year**

**N/A**

(This section should only be completed if your school intake group/ special class was oversubscribed in the previous school year)

Breakdown of places allocated for the previous school year: 1 for Special Class			
Number of places available	1		
Number of applications received:	2		
Number of offers made and accepted under each criteria:	Criteria Applied	Offers Made	Accepted
	Siblings		
	Residing in Parish	1	1
	Parents who are past pupils		
	Children of Staff members		
	Random selection		
Total Number of Offers Made	1		
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	1		