



## Pelletstown Educate Together National School ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE for 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 is available as follows: –

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

On request: By emailing [secretary@pelletstownetns.com](mailto:secretary@pelletstownetns.com) or writing to :

Pelletstown Educate Together National School, Rathborne Vale, Ashtown, Dublin 15.

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

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

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

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on:	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on*:	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> November 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is:	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> December 2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is:	14 days from the date on letter of offer

#### **Other Year Groups Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2024/2025**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to **Outreach Class for Autism**

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on:	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on*:	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is:	15 working days from receipt of application
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is:	14 days from the date on letter of offer

The following are the dates applicable for admission to **Senior Infants – Sixth Class**

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to other year groups on:	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2024
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to other year groups on*:	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is:	15 working days from receipt of application
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is:	14 days from the date on letter of offer

**Note:** Applications made after the dates specified above as when the school shall cease accepting applications for that particular class/year group (i.e. 24<sup>th</sup> November 2023 or 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2024 will be processed as **late** applications. The school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.

**Please note that failure of an applicant to accept an offer within 14 days of the letter of offer may result in the offer being withdrawn.**

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

**Note:** The figures set out below in relation to classes are subject to change dependent on whether all current pupils remain in the school/their specific class.

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants is:	<b>50</b>
The number of places being made available in the ASD class is:	<b>0</b>
The number of places being made available in other year groups is:	Senior Infants: <b>0</b> First Class: <b>0</b> Second Class: <b>0</b> Third Class: <b>2</b> Fourth Class: <b>1</b> Fifth Class: <b>0</b> Sixth Class: <b>2</b>

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

(This section will only be completed if the school intake group/ ASD class/other year group was oversubscribed in the previous school year).

### Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants/other year 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 243

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/2024 school year in Junior Infants</b>	
Number of places available:	52
Number of applications received:	183
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<u>Criteria 1 (Siblings)</u> 32 applications 24 offers 18 acceptances (6 refused/8 had left the area)  <u>Criteria 2 (Catchment)</u> 122 applications 46 offers 35 acceptances (11 refused)  <u>Criteria 3 (Other)</u> 53 applications 0 offered
Total number of offers made	70
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	113

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/2024 school year in Outreach Class for ASD:</b>	
Number of places available:	6
Number of applications received:	15
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<u>Criteria 1 (Current Pupils)</u> 0 applications 0 offers 0 accepted/ refused  <u>Criteria 2 (Siblings)</u> 2 applications 2 offers 2 accepted/ 0 refused  <u>Criteria 3 (Catchment)</u> 1 applications 1 offers 1 accepted/ 0 refused  <u>Criteria 4 (Other)</u> 12 applications 6 offers 4 accepted (1 additional place due to child leaving school) /2 refused
Total number of offers made	9

Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	6
<b>Breakdown of places allocated for the 2023/2024 school year in Senior Infants – 6<sup>th</sup> Class :</b>	
Number of places available:	19
Number of applications received:	45
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<u>Criteria 1 (Siblings)</u> 1 application 1 offer 1 acceptance  <u>Criteria 2 (Catchment)</u> 29 applications 10 offers 7 acceptances (3 refused)  <u>Criteria 3 (Other)</u> 15 applications 0 offers 0 acceptances (13 refused)
Total number of offers made	11
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	35 <i>(Note: Not all places were offered as all applications didn't correspond to available places at particular class levels)</i>