

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### **How many places will be available in Junior Infants 2024/2025?**

There will be 108 places.

### **How many Junior Infant classes will be enrolled?**

There will be four Junior Infant classes in 2024 /2025

### **How will places be allocated?**

Places will be offered in order of age, priority to the eldest.

### **How is the cut-off date determined?**

The oldest 108 applicants will be offered a place. The cut-off date will be the birth date of the 108<sup>th</sup> child offered.

### **When will I find out whether my child will be offered a place or not?**

You will receive a letter via 'An Post' advising you of your child's status. This letter will be issued by 28/11/2023.

### **I may be moving house. How can I apply?**

You must apply using the address at which you reside at the time of application. You will be regarded as a Category 3 applicant until such time as you take up residence within the catchment area.

### **How will I deliver my documents to the school?**

Documents can be dropped into the post box in an envelope. Alternatively, you may wish to send them by post. Please note that we will require your child's original Birth Certificate and a stamped address envelope so that we can return your documents by post to the address submitted on the Application for Admission Form.

### **Can I apply to both Saint Patrick's and Saint Mochta's Schools?**

Yes. You can apply to both schools. You will need to fill a separate application form for each school.

### **Can I apply to other schools?**

Yes. Saint Patrick's is highly oversubscribed so it would be advisable to apply to other schools in the area.

However, you can only accept one offer. Please see Section 10 on page 5 of the Admissions Policy of St Patrick's N.S. at [www.stpatricksns.ie](http://www.stpatricksns.ie) for more information.