



Ardee Community School
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
Admissions for the 2026/2027 school year

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the online **Application Form Part (1)** for **Admission** for the 2026/2027 academic year are available as follows: –

To download at: www.ardeecommunityschool.ie

On request:

by emailing

admissions@ardeecs.ie or info@ardeecs.ie

or writing to:

Reception,

Ardee Community School,

John St.

Ardee,

Co Louth.

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Application and Decision Dates for admission to Mainstream for the 2026/2027 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to First Year 2026/2027

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	01/10/2025
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	24/10/2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	14/11/2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	05/12/2025

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

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 a diagnosis of Autism -

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	01/10/2025
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	24/10/2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is	14/11/2025
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	05/12/2025

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn.**

Number of places being made available in Ardee Community School

The number of places being made available in junior cycle first year is	250
The number of places being made available in the special class catering for children with Autism who have a DSM IV/V diagnosis, with a professional recommendation for a place in a special class is	3

1. Ardee Community School has made offers of school placement which have been accepted prior to the commencement of Section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) 2018 on 1 February 2020, the number of those places offered and accepted for first year intake group for 2026/2027 is: **0**
2. Ardee Community School has made offers of school placement in the special class catering for children with Autism who have a DSM IV/V diagnosis and a report with a professional recommendation for a place in a special class which have been accepted prior to the commencement of Section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) 2018 on 1 February 2020, the number of those places offered and accepted for first year intake group for 2026/2027 is: **0**

Signed: McFarlane

Date: 17/09/2025

Chairperson Board of Management