**BALLYBOUGHAL NATIONAL SCHOOL**

**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**

**in respect of admissions to the 2021/2022 school year**

**Admission Policy and Application Form**

A copy of the school’s **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2020/2021 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.ballyboughalns.ie

By emailing: [Principal@ballyboughalns.ie](mailto:Principal@ballyboughalns.ie) **or**

By writing to: The Principal, Ballyboughal NS, Ballyboughal, Co. Dublin

**PART 1 - Admissions to the 2021/2022 school year**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | **2 November 2020** |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | **8 January 2021** |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | **29 January 2021** |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | **12 February 2021** |

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**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**Number of places being made available in 2021/2022**

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| The number of places being made available in junior infants is | **30** |

**PART 2 - Admissions to the 2020/2021 school year**

**Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants for the 2020/2021 school year**

In respect of the 2020/2021 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 43.

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| **Breakdown of places allocated for the 2020/21 school year:** | |
| Number of places available: | 32 |
| Number of applications received: | 43 |
| Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:  *Please note that these criteria relate to our old Enrolment Policy and not the Admissions Policy now in operation.* | Criterion One: Siblings and applicants living in the parish – 35 places offered, 29 places accepted.  Criterion Two: Children of current staff. No applicants in this category.  Criterion Three: Children living in adjacent parishes, in areas traditionally served by the school. 3 places offered, 2 places accepted.  Criterion Four: Other children living outside the parish boundary. No places offered in this category. |
| Total number of offers made | 41 |
| Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned. | 2 |