



St. Joseph's Primary School for Children with Visual Impairment
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE
in respect of admissions to the 2023/2024 school year

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2023-2024 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.stjosephsprimaryvi.ie

On request: By emailing office@stjosephsprimaryvi.ie or writing to:

St. Joseph's Primary School for Children with Visual Impairment,
Gracepark Road,
Drumcondra,
Dublin 9, D09 C803.

PART 1 - Admissions to the school year 2023-2024

**Application to Junior Infants/ Junior MDVI Class and
Decision Dates for Admission to School Year 2023-2024**

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	6 th January 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	27 th January 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	10 th February 2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	20 th February 2023

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn. The school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.**

Application for Post-Primary Junior Cycle L1LP and Decision Dates for admission to school year 2023-2024

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the post-primary Junior Cycle Level 1 Learning Programme which caters for young people with visual impairment and a lower moderate or severe/ profound general learning disability (GLD); or with visual impairment, a moderate GLD and an additional disability other than a severe emotional/ behavioural disorder.

The school will commence accepting applications for admission to Junior Cycle L1LP on	9 th November 2022
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to Junior Cycle L1LP on	30 th November 2022
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to Junior Cycle L1LP is	16 th December 2022
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission to Junior Cycle L1LP is	13 th January 2023

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn. 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 school year 2023-2024

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants VI Class is	3
The number of places being made available in a Junior MDVI class for children with moderate- severe/profound general learning disabilities is	2
The number of places being made available in the VI ASD class is	1
The number of places being made available in the Post-Primary Junior Cycle Level 1 Learning Programme	2

PART 2 - Admissions to the current school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for Junior Infants, Junior MDVI Class, VTVI Recommendation Transfers and Junior Cycle L1LP for school year 2022-2023

In respect of the 2022-2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was:

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2022/2023 school year:	
Number of available places:	2 Junior Infants; 1 Senior Infants, 1 in 3 rd Class, 5 Junior Cycle L1LP Class
Number of applications received:	2 Junior Infants; 1 Senior Infants; 1 to 3 rd Class, 5 Junior Cycle L1LP Class, 1 Junior MDVI Class, 1 VI ASD Class
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:	<p>A description of each criterion used and the number of places offered and accepted under that criterion must be entered here.</p> <p>Junior/ Senior Infants/ 3rd Class <u>Criterion 1:</u> Vacancy in Class –2 places available in Junior Infants, 2 places accepted; 1 place available in Senior Infants, 1 place accepted; 1 place available in 3rd Class, 1 place accepted.</p> <p>Junior Cycle L1LP Class <u>Criterion 2B:</u> Applicants with VI and GLDs of a nature outlined in policy for this class, who have completed the last 5yrs of their primary school education at St. Joseph's- 5 places offered, 5 places accepted</p>
Total number of offers made	9
Number of names placed on waiting list for 2021-22 school year	2 (1 MDVI Class; 1 VI ASD Class)