**Scoil Bhride, Kilbride, Clonee, Co. Meath**

**Annual Admission Notice: 2021/2022 School Year**

*Note: This admission notice must be read in conjunction with the admission policy [available on the school’s website or in hard copy on request]*

This Notice is published on the school’s website on 17th December 2020

This Notice will remain on the website until August 31st, 2021.

This Notice is also available on request from the school.

**Admission Policy and Application Form**

Copies of the school’s **Admission Policy** and **Application Form** are available:

* *To download at:* [*www.scoilbhridens.ie*](http://www.scoilbhridens.ie)
* *On request by emailing* [*info@scoilbhridens.ie*](mailto:info@scoilbhridens.ie)or
* By writing to: Scoil Bhride, Kilbride, Clonee, Co. Meath

**PART 1 - Admissions for 2021/2022:**  **Junior Infants**

**Application and Decision Dates**

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| Commencement date and time for accepting applications for admission to Junior Infants | 09.00 Monday 11/01/2021 |
| Closing date and time for accepting applications for admission to Junior Infants | 17.00 Friday 29/01/2021 |
| Date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application | Friday 19/02/2021 |
| Date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of a place | 7 calendar days after receipt of offer of a place |
| Date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of a place on waiting list. This waiting list will expire at 5pm on the 30th September 2021. | Date some time after all those offered places have either accepted or rejected offers |

Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period/s above may result in the offer of a place or a place on a waiting list being withdrawn

**Admissions for the 2021/2022:**   **ASD UNIT**

**Application and Decision Dates**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school’s ASD UNIT, which caters for children with a primary diagnosis of a qualifying autism spectrum disorder as defined in the school’s admission policy

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| Commencement date and time for accepting applications for admission to the ASD Unit | October 1st 2020 |
| Closing date and time for accepting applications for admission to ASD Unit | 29th January 2021 |
| Date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application to the ASD Unit | 19th February 2021 |
| Date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of a place | 7 calendar days after receipt of offer of a place |
| Date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of a place on a waiting list | Date some time after all those offered places have either accepted or rejected such offers |
| Date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of a place on waiting list | Date some time after all those offered places have either accepted or rejected offers |

Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period/s above may result in the offer of a place or a place on a waiting list being withdrawn

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

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| The number of places being made available in Junior Infants | **38** |
| The number of places being made available in the ASD UNIT | **1** |

Scoil Bhride has made offers of school placement which have been accepted prior to the commencement of Section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act, 2018 on 1st February 2020.

Number of places offered and accepted for Junior Infants 2020/2021: 32

**PART 2 – Breakdown of Admissions by category for 2020/2021**

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| **JUNIOR INFANTS:**  Places allocated for 2020/2021 school year by category | |
| Number of places available | 32 |
| Number of applications received | 52 |
| 1. Siblings of pupils currently enrolled in the school 2. All applicants currently living within the Roman Catholic parish boundary of Dunboyne/Kilbride 3. Children of staff currently employed in the school 4. All other applicants | 1. Offers made: 19 Places accepted:19  2. Offers made: 7 Places accepted:7  3. Offers made: - Places accepted:-  4. Offers made: 6 Places accepted: 6 |
| Total number of offers made | 32 |
| Number placed on waiting list | 20 |

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| **ASD UNIT Breakdown of Admissions by category for 2020/2021** | |
| Number of places available | 2 |
| Number of completed applications received | 5 |
| Places were allocated on a “first come first served basis”, provided in the first instance that the applicant met **all** of the criteria outlined in the admission policy for the ASD Unit. | Offers made: 2 Places accepted :2 |
| Number of offers made | 2 |
| Number placed on waiting list | 3 |