**SCOIL PHROINSIAIS NAOFA**

**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE**

**in respect of admissions to the 2020/2021 school year**

**Admission Policy and Application Form**

A copy of the school’s **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2020/21 is available as follows: –

To download at: www.stfrancisbns.ie

On request: By emailing office@stfrancisbns.ie or writing to : Scoil Phroinsiais Naofa, Clara, Co. Offaly

**PART 1 - Admissions to the SCOIL PHROINSIAIS NAOFA school year 2020/21**

**Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2020/21**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission on | 8thJanuary 2021 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on | Friday 16th April 2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is | 7th May 2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | 14th May 2021 |

**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 2020/21**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school’s Special Class which caters for children with ASD, DSMIVV or ICD10

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| The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 8thJanuary 2021 |
| The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on | 24thFebruary 2021 |
| The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is | 5th March 2021 |
| The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is | 12th March 2021 |

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**Number of places being made available in 2020/21**

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| The number of places being made available in junior infants is | **Up to 28** |
| The number of places being made available in the special class\* catering for children with Autism – ASD, DSMIVV or ICD10 is | **1** |