Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION – Information Note

SPECIAL CLASS 2027-2028

Please note:

This Application for Admission to our Special Class is for a child with a diagnosis of Autism (DSM IV/V or ICD 10/11).

This form must be returned to:

Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon, Mallow Road, Cork T23 F799

The deadline for applications is: on/before 31st October 2026.

Any application received after this date will be treated as a late application in accordance with our Admissions Policy.

This Application for Admission Form **MUST** be accompanied by:

1.Professional Report(s) (Psychologist/Psychiatrist/Multi-Disciplinary) clearly stating:

(a) Diagnosis of Autism meeting the criteria for DSM IV/V or ICD 10/11

AND

(b) A demonstration of the understanding of the complexity of the child's overall level of need/s evidenced in the professional report(s)

AND

(c) Given the severity or complexity of the child's support needs, a clear professional recommendation as to what educational placement type would be most appropriate to best meet the child's needs, along with the rationale for same

AND

(d) A letter from the National Council for Special Education (NCSE) confirming that the child is known to them and that the child has the required diagnosis and recommendation for a Special Class for Autism

2. Your child's **Birth Certificate**

3. **Proof of address** valid within three months of the date of this application (e.g. utility bill, bank statement-block out transactions) is also required.

The information provided on this form will be used to allocate places in accordance with the school's Admission Policy/Annual Admission Notice available on rathpeaconns.com.

Should you be offered a place, an Offer of Admission and Acceptance Form will be forwarded to you on or before Friday 20th November.

A further form requiring more detailed information will be forwarded to you should you be offered a place in the school and you accept that place in writing by the required date.

Please complete all sections of the form in **BLOCK CAPITALS**.
Incomplete forms will not be processed.

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION FORM

SPECIAL CLASS - 2027-2028

Name of Child: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

PPS Number: _____ **Gender:** _____

Home Address: _____

_____ **Eircode:** _____

Details of Parent/Guardian 1.	**Details of Parent/Guardian 2.**
Name:	**Name:**
Mobile No:	**Mobile No:**
Work No:	**Work No:**
Email:	**Email:**

Please specify what class level you wish to apply for: e.g. Junior Infants / 1st Class / 3rd Class / 5th Class etc: _____

If your child is already attending a Primary School, please write the name and address of the school:

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Current class level (if already attending a Primary School): _____

Names of <u>brothers/sisters</u> who are attending or have attended our school:

1._____ 2._____ 3._____

Name of <u>parent/ guardian who is a member of staff</u> at Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon:

1. _____ 2. _____

Name of <u>parent(s)/guardian(s) who are past pupils</u> of Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon:

1. _____ 2. _____

<u>Declaration:</u> I/We being the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the applicant do hereby confirm that the above information is true and accurate and I/we consent to its use as described.

Signature of Parent/Guardian 1: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian 2: _____ **Date:** _____

Data Privacy Statement

The information provided on this form will be used by Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon to apply the selection criteria for enrolment in Junior Infants, and to allocate school places in accordance with the School's Admission Policy and the School's Annual Admission Notice.
Where a pupil is admitted to the school, the information will be retained on the pupil's file. On acceptance of an offer of admission, this information will be entered in the School Administration System *Aladdin* and will be uploaded to the Primary Online Database. The Primary Online Database (POD) is a nationwide individualised database of primary school pupils, hosted by the Department of Education and Skills.

In the event of oversubscription, a waiting list of students whose applications for admission to Scoil Náisiúnta Mhuire, Rathpeacon were unsuccessful due to the school being oversubscribed will be compiled, and will remain valid for the school year in which admission is being sought (See Section 13 – or relevant section – School Admission Policy).

Where a child's name is placed on a waiting list, and the child is not admitted to the school, the information provided on this form will be retained for the duration of the school year and will be securely destroyed thereafter.

Section 66(6) of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 allows for the sharing of certain information between schools in order to facilitate the efficient admission of students. The information which may be provided to a patron or another Board of Management for this purpose may include all or any of the following:

(i) the date on which an application for admission was received by the school;
(ii) the date on which an offer of admission was made by the school;
(iii) the date on which an offer of admission was accepted by an applicant;
(iv) a student's personal details including his or her name, address, date of birth and personal public service number (within the meaning of section 262 of the Social Welfare Consolidation Act 2005).