



St Vincent's Secondary School
ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE FOR 2026/27

Copies of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2026/27 school year are available as follows: –

Link available: www.stvincentscork.com

On request: By emailing info@stvincentscork.com or writing to : St. Vincent's Secondary School, St. Mary's Rd, Cork City

1. Application and Decision Dates for admission to 1st Year for 2026/27

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	1st October 2025
2.	The school will cease accepting applications for admission on	23rd October 2025
3.	Applicants will be notified in writing of the decision on their application by	24th October 2025
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	7th November 2025

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by the 7th November 2025 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

2. Application and Decision Dates for admission to the ASD Unit (Lir Hub) for 2026/27

(If the school has more than one class that caters for different categories of SEN, details of the numbers of places for each of the classes must be provided.)

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	1st October 2025
2.	The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	23rd October 2025
3.	Applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class by	24th October 2025
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	7th November 2025

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by 7th November 2025 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

3. Number of places being made available in the 2026/27 school year

The number of places being made available in 1 st year is	40 places
The number of residential places is (boarding schools only)	n/a
The number of non-residential places is (boarding schools only)	n/a
The number of places being made available in the special class catering for students with [insert category or categories of SEN catered for in the special class] is	3 (ASD – Lir Hub)

4. Number of places in 1st year for the 2025/26 school year which were offered and accepted before 1 February 2020

The number of places for 1 st year that were offered and accepted prior to the coming into operation of section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 on 1 February 2020 is	n/a
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5. Breakdown of applications in the previous year

The total number of applications for admission received by the school for admission in 1st year in the 2025/26 school year was 60.

Breakdown of places allocated for 1st Year for the 2024/25 school year:	
Number of places available	Not applicable
Number of applications received	Not applicable
Offers made and accepted under each criteria	Criteria 1: Not applicable Criteria 2: Not applicable Criteria 3: Not applicable
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	Nil

The total number of applications for admission received by the school for admission in the special class catering for students with ASD (Autism Spectrum Disorder) in the 2025/26 school year was 5.

Breakdown of places allocated for Special Class for the 2023/24 school year:	
Number of places available	3
Number of applications received	5
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria	Criteria 1: 1 Criteria 2: n/a Criteria 3: n/a Criteria 4: n/a Criteria 5: 2
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	2