

Annual Admission Notice 2025/2026

The following Annual Admission Notice has been prepared by the board of Piper's Hill College in respect of the admission of students to the school for the school year 2025/2026 This notice was published on 18/09/2024.

Total number of places available in First Year Group:	168
<i>Note: The figures set out below in relation to the Autistic Spectrum AS Special Class are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the Special Class retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.</i>	
Total number of available places in AS Special Class:	1 -

A copy of Piper's Hill College's Admission Policy is available at:	School website www.phcol.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing info@phcol.ie
An Application Form for admission to Piper's Hill College is available from 01/10/2024. Online application for mainstream. <u>Paper application for Special class</u>	School website for both online and paper copy for printing www.phcol.ie
	School office (for printed copy)
	By emailing info@phcol.ie

All applications to the First Year Group or the Special Class in Piper's Hill College will only be accepted from the **01/10/2024** and the closing date for receipt of applications is **22/10/2024 before 5pm**. Applications received after this date will be considered and processed as late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.

All transfer applications to the Mainstream Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth Year or Sixth Year Group in Piper's Hill College will only be accepted from **14/3/2025** and the closing date for receipt of applications is the **04/04/2025 before 5pm**. Applications received after this date will be considered and processed as late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.

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Please be reminded that, in line with the school's Admission Policy and the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018, all waiting lists going forward are only in place for the academic year to which they apply. Therefore, if a student is seeking a place in any year group including the Special Class and is not successful in a given academic year or is on a waiting list for this year, a new application must be made for the following year.

All applicants to the First-Year Group and/or Special Class will be notified of an offer of a place or refusal of admission on or after:

25/10/2024

Successful applicants to the First Year Group and/or Special Class must confirm their acceptance of an offer of admission by completing and returning the Acceptance Form on or before:(2 weeks after you get offer)

12/11/2024

Note: Failure to accept an offer of admission before the relevant deadline set out above may result in the offer being withdrawn

The number of applications to Piper's Hill College for the Special Class exceeded the 0 places available within the school in 2024/2025

Number of places available:	1
Number of applications received:	12
Number of offers made:	1
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	7.1.2.2-sibling in school

Last year the school was oversubscribed, and the following is a breakdown of the award of places:

The number of applications to Piper's Hill College for the First-Year Group exceeded the 168 places available within the school in 2024/2025

Number of places available:	168
Number of applications received:	398
Number of offers made:	168
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<p>168 – Total offers made</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 49 offers – Category 5.1.2.1 Student residing and/or attending a primary school in the catchment area, with siblings who are currently enrolled in the school; ● 14 offers – Category 5.1.2.2 Students whose siblings or parents are past pupils of Piper's Hill College, or St. Patrick's Community College – to a maximum of 25% of the intake for the year group; ● 0 offers – Category 5.1.2.3. Children of current staff members in Piper's Hill College; ● 11 - 5.1.2.4 Children attending Naas CNS, St Davids NS or Brannoxstown CNS ● 85 offers – Category 5.1.2.5 All other students who are deemed to be attending primary school or living within the catchment area; ● 9 offers – Category 5.1.2.5 All other applicants submitted on or before the closing date as set out in the Annual Admissions Notice.

