

# Holy Cross Mercy School

## ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2024/2025 school year

### Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2024/2025 is available as follows:

To download at: [www.mercyholycross.ie](http://www.mercyholycross.ie)

On request: By emailing [holycrossmercy@gmail.com](mailto:holycrossmercy@gmail.com) or writing to: Holy Cross Mercy School, New Road, Killarney, Co.Kerry.

### **PART 1 – Admissions to the 2024/2025 school year**

#### **Application and Decision Dates for admission to the 2024/2025 school year**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	1 <sup>st</sup> October 2023
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	30 <sup>th</sup> September 2024
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is the first week of May 2024 or within 3 weeks of the application date for late applications	First week of May 2024
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	1 week

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**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 2024/2025**

The following are the dates applicable for admission to the school's Special Class which caters for children with [insert details of category/categories of SEN catered for in the class] October 1<sup>st</sup> 2023

-The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on

The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024

The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class is 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024

The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is 1 Week

**\*Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**

**Number of places being made available in 2024/2025**

The number of places being made available in Junior Infants

The number of residential places is (boarding schools only)

The number of non-residential places is (boarding schools only)

The number of places being made available in the 4 special classes catering for children with Autism is 24

between our 1 Early Intervention Autism Class and the 3 Junior Autism Classes

(\***Note:** If school has a number of classes that cater for different categories of SEN, details of the numbers of places for each SEN class must be provided)