

Annual Admission Notice 2025/2026

The following Annual Admission Notice has been prepared by the board of Coláiste Pobail F61a in respect of the admission of students to the school for the school year 2025/2026. This notice was published on 20/09/2024.

Total number of places available in First Year Group:	180
Number of places already allocated in First Year Group:	0
Number of places left in First Year Group:	180
Note: The figures set out below in relation to the Special Class are subject to change dependent on whether current students in the Special Class(es) retain their place in the school and whether a student(s) transfers into the school after the publication of this Notice.	
Total number of available places in Special Class(es):	0
Number of places already allocated in Special Class(es):	12
Number of places left in Special Class(es):	0

A copy of Coláiste Pobail F61a's Admission Policy is available at:	School website www.cpfola.ie/school-admissions
	www.cpfola.ie
	By emailing info@cpfola.ie
An Application Form for admission to Coláiste Pobail F61a is available from 01/10/2024 at:	School website www.cpfola.ie/school-admissions
	www.cpfola.ie
	By emailing info@cpfola.ie

All applications to the First Year Group in Coláiste Pobail F61a will only be accepted after the 01/10/2024 and the closing date for receipt of applications is the 23/10/2024. 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 Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth or Sixth Year Groups in Coláiste Pobail F61a will only be accepted after the 28/4/2025 and the closing date for receipt of applications is the 20/5/2025. Applications received after this date will be considered and processed as late applications in accordance with the school's Admission Policy.

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 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 will be notified of an offer of a place or refusal of admission by:	13/11/2024
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:	27/11/2024
Note: Failure to accept an offer of admission before the relevant deadline set out above will result in the offer being withdrawn.	

<i>Last year the school was oversubscribed and the following is a breakdown of the award of places:</i>	
<i>The number of applications to Coláiste Pobail F61a for the <u>First-Year Group</u> exceeded the 180 places available within the school in 2024/2025.</i>	
Number of places available:	180
Number of applications received:	242 Applications made on time
Number of offers made:	180
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Band One - Sibling, Catchment Area, Feeder School - (38) • Band Two - Sibling, Catchment Area - (3) • Band Three - Sibling, Feeder School - (2) • Band Four - Catchment Area, Feeder School -(125) • Band Five - Catchment Area ONLY - (1) • Band Six - Feeder School ONLY - (73)

<i>The number of applications to Coláiste Pobail F61a for the <u>Special Class(es)</u> exceeded the 6 places available within the school in 2023/2024.</i>	
Number of places available:	0
Number of applications received:	0
Number of offers made:	0
Breakdown of offers against criteria applied:	The class was established for students with Autism that meet the criteria.