



Gortaleam National School, Dunmore, Co. Galway.

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ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE

in respect of admissions to the 2026/2027 school year

To the extended community of Gortaleam and surrounding areas.

The Board of Management of Gortaleam NS wishes to publicly notify you that the school will be accepting admission applications for prospective Junior Infants and children in or Autism class for the coming academic year commencing in September 2025, from **Monday**

- The school will not discriminate in admission on the following grounds: gender, civil status, family status, sexual orientation, religion, disability, race, membership of the Traveller community, special educational needs, or any other protected ground.
- Confirm that children with special educational needs (including autism) are welcome, subject to the availability of places and meeting eligibility criteria for special classes.

All the necessary deadline dates are outlined below but should you wish to contact the school office or speak with the school principal please feel free to do so at 0861381291/ 09338688.

Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** in 2026/2027 is available on the website Gortaleamns.ie

Enrolment Application Form is available at: <https://gortaleamns.ie/enrolment/>

On request: By emailing scoilgort@gmail.com or writing to: Gortaleam NS, Dunmore, Tuam, Co. Galway H54 NY66

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2026/2027 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2026/2027

The following are the dates applicable for admission to Junior Infants and our Autism Class

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	October 13th 2025
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	November 28th 2025
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	December 13th 2026
The date by which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	January 9th 2026

***Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn**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

**The Number of places being made available to Junior Infants at
Scoil Naomh Padráig Gortnaleam is 15.**