

**Balla Secondary School**  
**ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE FOR 2023/24**

Copies of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission to First Year** for the 2023/24 school year are available as follows: –

On request: By emailing [info@ballasecschool.com](mailto:info@ballasecschool.com) or writing to: School Office, Balla Secondary School, Balla, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. F23 KT65

To download at: [www.ballasecondaryschool.com](http://www.ballasecondaryschool.com)

**1. Application and Decision Dates for admission to 1<sup>st</sup> Year for 2023/24**

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	1 January 2023
2.	The school will cease accepting applications for admission on	27 January 2023
3.	Applicants will be notified in writing of the decision on their application by	10 February 2023
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	03 March 2023

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by the 03 March 2023 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

**2. Application and Decision Dates for admission to first year in the ASD Special Class for 2023/24**

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission to the special class on	1 January 2023
2.	The school shall cease accepting applications for admission to the special class on	27 January 2023
3.	Applicants will be notified of the decision on their application for admission to the special class by	10 February 2023
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	03 March 2023

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by 03 March 2023 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

**3. Number of places being made available in the 2023/2024 school year**

The number of places being made available in 1 <sup>st</sup> year is	72
The number of places being made available in the special class catering for students with ASD is	2