Admission Policy and Application Form

A copy of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2023 – 2024 school year is available as follows: –

To download at: www.smhraheny.net

On request: By emailing rahenyschool@smh.ie or writing to: St. Michael's House Special National School, Raheny Road, Raheny, Dublin 5.

PART 1 - Admissions to the 2023 - 2024 school year

Application and Decision Dates for admission to 2023 - 2024 school year

The following are the dates applicable for admission to this school:

The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	28 th October 2022
The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on	13 th January 2023
The date by which applicants will be notified of the decision on their application is	3 rd February 2023
The period within which applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission is	From date of offer to
	15 th February 2023

Note: the school will consider and issue decisions on late applications in accordance with the school's admission policy.

Failure to accept an offer within the prescribed period above may result in the offer being withdrawn

Number of places being made available in 2023 - 2024 school year

The number of places being made available in junior school is	6** (4-6 & 7-8 year olds only)
The number of places being made available in senior school is	1**(12-13 year olds only)

^{**}subject to change, depending on category of disability of child being offered a place.

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PART 2 - Admissions to the 2022 - 2023 school year

Information regarding the admission process for the Intake Group for the 2022 - 2023 school year

In respect of the 2022- 2023 school year, the total number of applications for admission received by the school was 40

Breakdown of places allocated for the 2021 - 2022 school year:		
Number of places available:	8	
Number of applications received:	40	
Number of Offers made and accepted under each criteria:		 ♣ The availability of a place for the child in a classroom of compatible peers to ensure a positive educational experience for all existing pupils and any new applicants: 8 ♣ The child will be able to tolerate a classroom environment alongside other pupils:8 ♣ The pupil/teacher ratio will be appropriate to the needs of the child: 8 ♣ The impact on the educational and welfare interests of all pupils in the school: 8 ♣ The capacity of the school to provide an appropriate educational service and the necessary nursing/medical support (where applicable): 8 ♣ The capacity of the school to provide a suitable physical environment for the needs of the child: 8
Total number of offers made	8	
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned.	11	

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