



## Dominican College Muckross Park

### ANNUAL ADMISSION NOTICE FOR 2021/22

Copies of the school's **Admission Policy** and the **Application Form for Admission** for the 2021/22 school year are available as follows: –

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

On request: By emailing [admissions@muckrossparkcollege.com](mailto:admissions@muckrossparkcollege.com) or writing to: Dominican College Muckross Park, Marlborough Road, Donnybrook, Dublin 4

#### 1. Application and Decision Dates for admission to 1<sup>st</sup> Year for 2021/22

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	<b>Thursday 1 October 2020</b>
2.	The school will cease accepting applications for admission on	<b>Thursday 22 October 2020 at 4pm</b>
3.	Applicants will be notified in writing of the decision on their application by	<b>Thursday 12 November 2020</b>
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	<b>4pm on Thursday 26 November 2020</b>

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by 4pm on Thursday 26 November 2020 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

#### 2. Number of places being made available in the 2021/22 school year

The number of places being made available in 1 <sup>st</sup> year is	<b>120</b>
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#### 3. Number of places in 1<sup>st</sup> year for the 2021/22 school year which were offered and accepted before 1 February 2020

The number of places for 1 <sup>st</sup> year that were offered and accepted prior to the coming into operation of section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 on 1 February 2020 is	<b>120</b>
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#### 4. Breakdown of applications in the previous year

The total number of applications for admission received by the school for admission in 1<sup>st</sup> year in the 2020/21 school year was 120.

<b>Breakdown of places allocated for 1<sup>st</sup> Year for the 2020/21 school year:</b>	
Number of places available	<b>120</b>
Number of applications received	<b>720</b>
Offers made and accepted under each Priority Category ( <i>defined in Admissions Policy &amp; Procedure, ratified by the Board of Management 2016</i> )	<p>Category D(i): Younger sisters of current pupils or past pupils. 40 applications received. 40 places offered. <b>40</b> places accepted.</p> <p>Category D(ii): Girls who are pupils of Donnybrook parish national school, St Mary's, on 01 September in the year the place is being offered. 13 applications received. 13 places offered. <b>13</b> places accepted.</p> <p>Category D(iii): Daughters of current staff. No applications received.</p> <p>Category D(iv): Daughters of Past Pupils of the secondary school Dominican College Muckross Park. 40 applications received. 40 places offered. <b>32</b> places accepted. 8 places declined.</p> <p>Offers made in order of date of application. 627 applications received and placed in order of date of receipt of application. 54 places offered. <b>35</b> places accepted. 19 placed declined.</p>
Total number of offers made	147: 120 confirmed and 27 declined.
Number of names placed on waiting list for the school year concerned	<b>100</b>

#### 5. Applications for other year groups

The school will accept applications for admission to other year groups during the period from 1st December up to 4pm on 8th December (in the year prior to the requested year of entry). Applications received during this period shall be deemed to have been received at the same time and will be placed on the waiting list in the order in which they are selected by lottery 'with priority given to those applications coming within priority category 1 (siblings of current and past pupils). In respect of those applications received after this period, such applications will be placed on the waiting list in the order in which they have been received by the school with priority categories applying. An offer of a place can only be made if there is space in the year group in question. The waiting list will remain valid for the school year in which admission is being sought.