

CROSS AND PASSION COLLEGE

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The school will be open for visits by pupils and parents on

Day Thursday**Date** 12th January 2023**Time** 18:30 & 19:30**Respective functions of the Board of Governors and Principal in relation to Admissions to the school.**

It is the responsibility of the Principal to consider all applications for admissions. The approval for all admissions is the responsibility of the Governors.

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA FOR ENTRY INTO YEAR 8

Cross and Passion College is a co-educational (11-18), all-ability school.

If the college is oversubscribed, pupils will be admitted according to the criteria 1 and 2 in the order set out below. In the event of being oversubscribed on either of these criteria, the sub criteria (a) – (c) will be applied in the order set out below.

- 1 Pupils who normally reside in the following contributory parishes; Armoy, Ballintoy, Ballycastle, Cloughmills, Culfeightrin, Cushendun, Dunloy and Loughgiel.
- 2 Pupils from other parishes normally attend Cross and Passion College and will continue to be accepted. When deciding to accept a pupil the following criteria will, in the order given, be used.

Sub Criteria

- (a) Pupils who have siblings enrolled at the school or who are the eldest child in the family.
- (b) Preference will be given to older children before younger children (this will be determined by the date of birth which must be recorded accurately on the child's Transfer Application).
- (c) Children will be selected for admission on the basis of initial letter(s) of surname (as entered on Birth Certificate) in the order set out below:

U S C L O J Q K N D P T M F E X Y W G Z I R B A H V

This order was determined by random selection. In the event of surnames beginning with the same initial letter the subsequent letters of the surname will be used in alphabetical order. In the event of two identical surnames the alphabetical order of the initials of the forenames will be used."

The school does not operate a waiting list**Admission to Year 8 after 1st September**

Parents/Guardians who wish to have their child considered for admission in the event of a place arising after the 1st September should write to the Principal clearly stating this. In the event of such a vacancy arising the above criteria will be applied to these applications only.

The Board of Governors reserves the right to require such supplementary evidence as it may determine to support or verify the information on any application/Transfer Form. Please note that the provision of false or incorrect information or the failure to provide information within the deadlines set by post-primary schools can result in either the withdrawal of a place or the inability of the college to offer a place.

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Applications and Admissions

Year	Admissions No.	Total Applications All Preferences	Total Admissions
2020/21	130	128	128
2021/22	130	135	132
2022/23	130	137	129

This table does not include children who were admitted to the school with a statement of special educational needs.

ADMISSION CRITERIA FOR ENTRY TO YEARS 9 – 12

Available on request from the school.