



Loreto Abbey Dalkey Secondary School,
Dalkey,
Co. Dublin

Annual Admission Notice 2027/2028

Copies of the school's **Admission Policy** are available from the Prospectus and Admissions section of the school website <https://www.loretoabbeydalkey.com>
On request : By emailing Admissions Secretary annemarie.dillon@loretoabbeydalkey.ie or writing to Admissions Secretary, Loreto Abbey Secondary School, Dalkey, Co Dublin, A96 YC81

1. Application and Decision Dates for Admission to First Year for 2027/2028

1.	The school will commence accepting applications for admission on	Thursday, 1st October 2026 @ 8:45am
2.	The school will cease accepting applications for admission	Thursday, 22nd October 2026 @4pm
3.	Applicants will be notified in writing of the decision on their application by	Thursday, 12 th November 2026
4.	Applicants must confirm acceptance of an offer of admission by	Thursday, 26 th November 2025 by 4pm

Failure by an applicant to accept an offer by 4pm on Thursday, 26th November 2026 may result in the offer being withdrawn.

2. Number of places being made available in the 2027/2028 school year

The number of places being made available in First Year is	125
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3. Number of places in First Year for the 2027/2028 school year which were offered and accepted before 1st February 2020

The number of places for First year that were offered and accepted prior to the coming into operation of Section 62 of the Education (Admission to Schools) Act 2018 on 14 th February 2020 is	0
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4. Number of places made available for First Year in the 2026/2027 school year

The number of First Year places available in First Year was	125
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Number of places for First Year in the 2026/2027 school year which were offered and accepted before 1st February 2020

In accordance with Section 62 of the Education (Admissions to Schools) Act 2018, the number of places for First Year that were offered and accepted prior to 1 st February 2020 was	0
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Breakdown of Applications for the 2026/2027 school year

Number of places available		125
Number of applications received		361
Offers made and accepted	Sisters of existing pupils of Loreto Abbey Dalkey	40
	Sisters of past pupils of Loreto Abbey Dalkey	4
	Daughters of existing eligible staff members	0
	Daughters of past pupils	7
	Pupils of Loreto Primary School, Dalkey (who are not siblings)	21
	All other students	53
	Number of applicants who requested to remain on the 2026/2027 First Year waiting list	56