

# Gaelscoil na Mí

Uimhir Rolla: 20382F



## Polasaí Iontrála

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1. Is é comhionannas rochtana, an luacheochair a dheimhníonn clárú páistí d'ár scoile. Ní dhiúltaítear páiste de bharr cine, riachtanais oideachas speisialta, máchaile, teanga/blas, inscne, tuairimí agus luachanna creidimh/polaitiúla, cúinsí clann nó sóisialta.
2. Aithnítear cearta tuismitheoirí a bpáistí a chlárú ina rogha scoile. Ach tá Bord Bainistíochta Ghaelscoil na Mí freagrach as cearta an chomhludair scoile, agus go háirithe cearta na bpáistí atá cláraithe cheana sa scoil. Ní mór breithiúnas cóir a thabhairt ar gach iarratas bunaithe ar chearta nádúrtha agus feidhmiú ar son leas páistí/iarrthóirí.
3. Ag tacú leis an scoil, cinntíonn an Bord Bainistíochta uasmhéid líon na ndaltaí i ngach rang seomra ag tógaint san áireamh moltaí na Roinne Oideachais agus Eolaíochta i leith meán uimhreacha ranga, agus ag braith ar na hacmhainní atá ar fáil don Bhord Bainistíochta.
4. Glacfar le páistí sna Naíonáin Bheaga bunaithe ar an gcoinníoll go mbeadh an chóiríocht chuí ann. Tabharfar tosaíocht sa scoil mar seo:
  - Ⓢ Deartháireacha / deirfiúracha daltaí atá sa scoil cheana féin nó a bhí sa scoil tráth. Tá freagracht ar thuismitheoirí cinnte a dhéanamh go bhfuil siblíne cláraithe in am don scoil bhliain cuí.
  - Ⓢ Clann mhac agus iníonacha foireann reatha na scoile.
  - Ⓢ Clann mhac agus iníonacha iarscoláirí Ghaelscoil na Mí.
  - Ⓢ Páistí ó chlannta a thógann na páistí le Ghaeilge. Beidh agallamh i gceist ionas go mbeidh éiteas na scoile cosanta.
  - Ⓢ Páistí a fhreastal ar Naíonraí ar feadh bliana roimh dóibh tosú ar an scoil. M.sh. an bhliain ECCE.
  - Ⓢ Mura mbíonn páiste 4 bliana d'aois ar an 31ú lá Lúnasa (roimh dóibh tosú ar scoil), glacfar le páistí níos sinne ar dtús.

- Ⓢ Má bhíonn páistí 4 bliana nó níos mó ar an 31 lá Lúnasa (roimh dóibh tosú ar scoil), glacfar leo de réir dáta cláraithe.
  - Ⓢ Éinne a ghlacann le háit agus a iarrann í a chur siar go dtí an bhliain dar gcionn, roimh dheireadh Meithimh na scoilbhliana reatha, cuirfear isteach an t-iarrtas de réir gnáth thosaíochta. Molann Bord Bainistíochta Ghaelscoil na Mí go gcláraítear páistí faoi dhó má tá tuismitheoirí neamhchinnte faoin bhliain tosú.
  - Ⓢ Éinne a dhéanann é tar éis deireadh na scoilbhliana rachaidh siad ar an liosta don dáta sin agus caillfidh siad aon tosaíocht atá acu. Molann Bord Bainistíochta Ghaelscoil na Mí go gcláraítear páistí faoi dhó má tá tuismitheoirí neamhchinnte faoin bhliain tosú.
  - Ⓢ Déanfaidh an Bord Bainistíochta gach iarracht tús-áite a thabhairt do pháistí a bhfuil Gaeilge acu.
5. Is féidir glacadh le páiste i ranganna seachas na naíonáin má tá spás ar fáil. Glacfar leis an bpáiste, tar éis dó/di dul faoi agallamh ag an bpríomhoide agus an múinteoir ranga; beidh béim curtha ar chaighdeán Ghaeilge an pháiste; glacfar leis/leí má tá siad sásta go mbeadh an páiste ar leas na scoile agus an scoil ar leas an pháiste.
  6. Le Linn na scoilbhliana, cláraítear páistí a thagann isteach sa cheantar, nó ó scoileanna eile, de réir rialacha na Roinne, treoracha an pholasaithe iontrála agus le comhaontú leis na scoileanna eile.
  7. Tuismitheoirí a theastaíonn uathu a bpáistí a chlárú i nGhaelscoil na Mí, ní mór dóibh foirm iarratais a líonadh isteach agus é a sheoladh chun na scoile le bun teastais breithe /uchtaithe.
  8. Cuirfear ainmneacha na bpáistí a bhfuil foirm iarratais agus teastais breithe /uchtaithe faighte ag an scoil ar liosta feithimh.
  9. Cuirfear oíche eolais ar fáil do thuismitheoirí ionchasacha roimh dheireadh na scoilbhliana.
  10. Tabharfar cuireadh do na Naíonáin nua tréimhse neamhfhoirmiúil a chaitheamh sa scoil chun dul i dtaithe ar a dtimpeallacht nua roimh dheireadh na scoilbhliana.
  11. Ag braith ar na hacmhainní a chuireann an Roinn Oideachais agus Eolaíochta ar fáil don Bhord Bainistíochta, tacófar le páistí le riachtanais oideachas speisialta.
  12. Ní mór do na daltaí atá cláraithe in ár scoil comhoibriú agus tacú leis na polasaithe atá ag an scoil.

13. Tá an polasaí seo, maraon leis na cinn eile, curtha le chéile faoi mholtaí an Acht Oideachais, Rialacha na mBunscoileanna Náisiúnta agus ag teacht le hEatós na scoile. Is féidir cur leis na polasaithe ó am go chéile nó iad a athrú.

Nóta: Tá freagracht ar thuismitheoirí cinnte a dhéanamh go bhfuil a bpáistí cláraithe in am don scoil bhliain cuí.

Déardaoin 14ú Aibreán 2011

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## **Enrolment Policy**

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***This is a translation of the school's "Polasaí Iontrála". In case of discrepancies, please revert to original version as Gaeilge.***

1. The foundation of our enrolment policy is equality of access. Children will not be refused a place in the school on the grounds of race, special educational needs, disability, language or dialect, gender, political or religious values or opinions, family background or social class.
2. The Board of Management of Gaelscoil na Mí recognises the right of parents to enroll their children in their choice of school. At the same time the Board is responsible for the welfare of the school community, especially the welfare of children already enrolled in the school. Every application must be judged fairly, upholding natural rights and seeking to benefit children in the school and applicant children.
3. The Board of Management sets the upper limit on numbers in each class, taking into account recommendations of the Department of Education and Science in relation to average class sizes and depending on the resources available to the school.
4. Children will be accepted into a Junior Infant class provided that there is suitable accommodation for a class. Priority will be given on the following basis:

- Ⓢ Brothers and sisters of pupils in the school already or of past pupils. It is the parents' responsibility to ensure that all siblings are enrolled in adequate time before the year of commencement.
  - Ⓢ Sons and daughters of current school staff.
  - Ⓢ Sons and daughters of past pupils.
  - Ⓢ Children from Irish speaking families (an interview will occur, in order to protect the Gaelscoil ethos).
  - Ⓢ Children who have attended Naíonraí for a year prior to commencement. E.g. ECCE year.
  - Ⓢ If a child has not reached his/her 4<sup>th</sup> birthday by the 31<sup>st</sup> August (prior to starting school), older children will have priority.
  - Ⓢ When children have reached their 4<sup>th</sup> birthday by the 31<sup>st</sup> August (prior to starting school), priority will be given on the basis of earliest registration date.
  - Ⓢ A child who is offered a place but who asks *before* the end of June to postpone for a year, will have their application reconsidered the following year, retaining their original registration date. The Board of Management of Gaelscoil na Mí recommend that a child be enrolled in two consecutive years, if parents are unsure of the year of commencement.
  - Ⓢ A child who is offered a place but asks for a year's postponement *after* the end of June, will be regarded as a new applicant the following year. The Board of Management of Gaelscoil na Mí recommend that a child be enrolled in two consecutive years, if parents are unsure of the year of commencement.
  - Ⓢ The Board of management will endeavour to facilitate Irish speaking children as far as possible.
5. Children can be accepted into other classes if there is space available. Before being offered a place, the child will be interviewed by the principal and class teacher - with an emphasis on the child's standard of Irish - to ascertain whether the child will suit the school and the school will suit the child.
  6. During the school year, children who move from another area or another school will be accepted according to the rules of the Department of Education and Science and the guidelines of this enrolment policy, and in cooperation with other schools.
  7. Parents who wish to enroll their child in Gaelscoil na Mí must complete an application form and submit it to the school, along with a copy of the child's birth certificate.

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8. The names of children who have submitted application forms and birth certificates will be placed on a waiting list.
9. An information night will be organised for prospective parents before the end of the school year.
10. New Junior Infants will be invited to spend some time in the school before the end of the preceding school year so that they will be familiar with the school environment.
11. Children with special educational needs will be facilitated, depending on the resources made available to the Board of Management by the Department of Education and Science.
12. Pupils who enroll in *Gaelscoil na Mí* must cooperate and support school policies.
13. As with other *Gaelscoil na Mí* policies, this policy has been formulated under the provisions of the Education Act and the rules governing national primary schools, and in sympathy with the ethos of the school. Policies may be added to or amended by the Board of Management from time to time.

Note: It is the responsibility of the parents to ensure all children are enrolled in adequate time prior to the year of commencement.

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2011