

APPLICATION FORM FOR ADMISSION – 2021/2022

This is an application form for admission and does not constitute an offer of a place, implied or otherwise. Use of the word 'student' throughout this Application Form does not imply that the person on whose behalf this application is being made is regarded as a having been accepted as a student of Portlaoise College

Completed applications will be accepted from:	1st October 2020
The closing date for receipt of applications is:	23rd October 2020

All Application Forms and accompanying documentation should be sent to:	For office use only
Portlaoise College Mountrath Road Portlaoise Co. Laois R32 N795	School Stamp:

Please complete all sections of the following application using BLOCK CAPITALS

SECTION 1 - PROSPECTIVE STUDENT DETAILS

Details of the young person for whom this application is being made.

First Name:			Surname:					
Address:								
					Eircode:			
PPSN:								

SECTION 2 – DETAILS OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

*This section is **NOT** required to be completed where the student is over 18, unless s/he wishes the school to communicate with his/her parent/guardian about this application instead of directly with the student. The information is sought for the purposes of making contact about this application. If more than one name is given but the address is the same, only one letter will issue and will be addressed to both individuals.*

	Parent/Guardian 1	Parent/Guardian 2
Name:		
Address:		
Eircode:		
Telephone no.		
Email address:		
Relationship to student:		

SECTION 3 – STUDENT CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

Please confirm that the Student Code of Behaviour is acceptable to you as a parent/guardian and that you shall make all reasonable efforts to ensure compliance of same by the student if s/he secures a place in the school. Please note that the Code of Behaviour can be found at www.portlaoisecollege.ie or from the school office.

I _____ confirm that the Code of Behaviour for the school is acceptable to me as the student's parent/guardian and I shall make all reasonable efforts to ensure compliance by the student if s/he secures a place in the school.

SECTION 4 – SPECIAL CLASS

*The special class in Portlaoise College teaches students who have one or more of the following special educational needs: [Autism Spectrum Disorder, Asperger Syndrome]
Please ONLY complete if you are applying for the special class.*

Please confirm if this application is being made for:

The special class only: **OR** The special class or the mainstream year group:

Where the student is seeking a place in the special class, please provide details of the special educational needs of the student, including an Educational/Clinical Psychologist's report.

SECTION 5 – SELECTION CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION IN THE EVENT OF OVERSUBSCRIPTION

This information will assist in determining whether the student meets the admission requirements in accordance with the order of priority as set out in the applicable section of Part B of the Admission Policy for Portlaoise College.

A. If the student currently has any siblings in this school, please indicate their names and current year of study.

Name:			
Year:			

B. Please provide details of the primary school attended by the student.

Name of School:	
School Address:	

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

- All of the information that you provide in this application form is taken in good faith. If it is found that any of the information is incorrect, misleading or incomplete, the application may be rendered invalid.
- Please understand that it your responsibility to inform the school of any change in contact information or circumstances relating to this application.
- For information regarding how your data is processed by the school and LOETB, please see overleaf.
- Please sign below to demonstrate that you have read and understood this information.

NOTE: *Should the student receive a place in Portlaoise College, there is no guarantee that the student will be assigned his/her selected subject choice due to resource issues and/or restrictions on the numbers of students per class.*

Parent/Guardian 1: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian 2: _____

Date: _____

Student (if over 18): _____

Date: _____

DATA PROTECTION

The Board of Management of Portlaoise College is a committee of LOETB, Ridge Road, Portlaoise, Co. Laois, which is a data controller under the General Data Protection Regulations and the Data Protection Acts 1988 - 2018. The Data Protection Officer for LOETB is Frank Walsh and can be contacted at fwalsh@loetb.ie.

The personal data supplied on this Application Form and the accompanying documentation sought is required for the purpose of:

- Verification of identity and date of birth;
- Verification and assessment of admission criteria;
- Allocation of teachers and resources to the school; and
- School administration, all of which are tasks carried out pursuant to various statutory duties to which LOETB is subject.

Failure to provide the requested information may result in the application being deemed invalid and an offer of a place may not be made.

The personal data disclosed in this Application Form may be communicated internally within LOETB for the purpose of determining the applicability of the selection criteria and possibly with the patron or Board of Management of other schools in order to facilitate the efficient admission of students, pursuant to section 66(6) of the Education Act 1998 as inserted by section 9 of the (Admissions to Schools) Act 2018.

The personal data provided in this Application Form will be kept for 7 years from the date on which the student turns 18 years of age, unless there is a statutory requirement to retain some or all elements of the data for a further period or indefinitely, in line with LOETB's Data Retention Policy, which can be found at www.loetb.ie A copy of the full LOETB Data Protection Policy is available at or from the school office.

Any person who provides personal data through this Application Form has a right to request access to that data. They also has a right to request the changing of any information if it is factually incorrect. A request for erasure of the data can also be made by or on behalf of the data subject but this will only be acceded to where the data is no longer necessary for the purpose for which it was collected and where LOETB does not have a legal basis for retaining it.

If you as a data subject have any complaints regarding the processing of your personal data, you have the right to lodge a complaint with the Data Protection Commission.