**ENROLMENT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS SEEKING ENROLMENT AT ST JOHN’S SCHOOL**

1. State integrated schools select preference students on the following grounds.
2. The agent for determining preference is the Parish Priest of Sacred Heart Parish, Ranfurly.
3. The grounds for preference are:
4. The child has been baptised or is being prepared for baptism in the Catholic Church.
5. The child’s parents/guardians have already allowed one or more of its siblings to be baptised in the Catholic faith.
6. At least one parent/guardian is a Catholic, and although their child has not yet been baptism, the child’s participation in the life of the school could lead to the parents having the child baptism.
7. With the agreement of the child’s parent/guardian, a grandparent or other significant adult in the child’s life, such as an aunt, uncle or godparent, undertakes to support the child’s formation in the faith and practices of the Catholic Church.
8. One or both of a child’s non-Catholic parents/guardians is preparing to become a Catholic.
9. State integrated schools have places for non-preference students.
10. This school has a maximum of 4 places.
11. There is currently 1 place available this year and likely to be available in 2021.
12. Non-Preference places criteria:
* The applicants accept that they will be attending a school of special character and that their place in the school is conditional on their participation in the programme.
* The applicants accept that they will be required to pay attendance dues as set by the Proprietor and these are not voluntary.
1. Non-Preference criteria that apply to this school.
* The siblings of non-preference students already in the school.
* Siblings of former non-preference students.
* The children of staff or Board members who week to enrol their children.
* Non-preference students coming from another integrated school with the same special character.
* Children who live within the locality of the school and who want to participate in the special character programme of the school.
1. Non-preference students who cannot enrol immediately may choose to be placed on a waiting list. Students on this list are wait listed by date and number and will be contacted if places become available. At the end of the calendar year the list is removed and people apply to be reinstated on the wait list for the following year.

Enrolment information is also available for this school in hard copy from the office.