



Northern Cape
Department of Education

2027 Online Learner Admissions

20 APRIL 2026 TO 29 MAY 2026

www.ncdoeadmissions.org



The Northern Cape Department of Education (NCDoE) regards early enrolment as a priority for the start of a successful school year. **The NCDoE will therefore open the 2027 Online Learner Admissions from 20 April 2026 at 09:00 until 23:59 on 29 May 2026**, specifically for learners applying to Grades R, 1, and 8. Parents must log on to the NCDoE Online Learner Admissions website at www.ncdoeadmissions.org

Complete the application process, which consists of three steps:

- (1) Parent/guardian registration
- (2) Learner profiling; and
- (3) Application. Parents must complete all three steps for the application to be completed.

The following documents must be submitted online within seven days of application:

- Parent/legal guardian ID (or a sworn affidavit if the parent/legal guardian does not have an identity document);
- Proof of home address (e.g. municipal account in the parent's name; valid lease agreement; or proof of residence in a registered informal settlement);
- A valid South African birth certificate (abridged or unabridged) of the learner or an affidavit or a sworn statement;
- Clinic card / proof of immunization (Grades R and 1).
- The most recent Grade 7 learner progress report (March 2026).

All applications will be prioritized and processed in the following order:

- The applicant has a sibling currently attending the school of application. (sibling means a learner who has at least one parent who is also the parent of the learner already attending that school);
- The applicant resides in the same suburb as the school.
- If the place of residence (residential suburb) of the applicant learner(s) is adjacent (immediately next to) to the suburbs of the school applied to;
- The applicant's parent or guardian is an employee at the school.
- If places remain after all the above-mentioned applicants have been offered places, remaining places will be allocated based on the chronological order of application.

In preparation for the 2027 Online Learner Admissions, the Department has issued Circular No 11 of 2026 to guide schools to manage the online learner admissions process in Public Ordinary Schools. **For further information visit the NCDoE website at <https://ncdoe.ncpg.gov.za>**



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