

Acceptable Use Policy  
Student Net Use Agreement and Release from Liability

2012-2013 School Year

Our Lady of Perpetual Help School ("OLPH") agrees to allow the student identified below ("Student") to use OLPH's technology to access the Internet and intranet (referred to collectively as "the Net") under the following terms and conditions:

1. Conditional Privilege: The Student's use of the OLPH's access to the Net is a privilege conditioned on the Student's agreeing to the terms of this policy and on the Student's abiding by this agreement.
2. Acceptable Use: The Student agrees to obey all federal and state laws and regulations. The Student also agrees to abide by any Net use rules instituted at OLPH or in a class, written or oral.
3. Penalties for Improper Use: If the Student violates this agreement and misuses OLPH's Net Access, the Student may be subjected to disciplinary action, revocation of the Student's user account and access to the Net, as well as legal or criminal action where appropriate.
4. Misuse of OLPH's Net Access includes, but is not limited to, the following:
  - a) Using the Net for any illegal activity, including computer hacking and copyright or intellectual property law violations.
  - b) Using abusive or profane language in private messages on the system or using the system to harass, insult or verbally attack others.
  - c) Posting anonymous messages on the system.
  - d) Wasteful use of limited resources provided by OLPH including paper and ink;
  - e) Gaining intentional access or maintaining access to inappropriate materials.
  - f) Vandalizing data of another user.
  - g) Gaining unauthorized access to resources or files.
  - h) Identifying oneself with another person's name or password, or using another user's password or account without authorization.
  - i) Using the network for financial or commercial gain.
  - j) Theft or vandalism of equipment.
  - k) Introducing a virus to, or otherwise improperly tampering with OLPH's system.
  - l) Creating a web page or associating a web page with OLPH School, OLPH Church, the Diocese of Honolulu, or Hawaii Catholic Schools without authorization.
5. No Expectation of Privacy: The Student and Parent/Legal Guardian signing below agree that if the Student uses the Net through OLPH access, that the Student waives any right to privacy the Student may have for such use. The Student and Parent/Legal Guardian agree that OLPH may monitor the Student's use of Net Access and may also examine all system activities the Student participates in, including but not limited to e-mail, voice and video transmissions, to ensure proper use of the system.
6. No Guarantees: OLPH will make good faith efforts to protect students from improper or harmful matter that may be on the Internet. At the same time in signing this agreement, the Student and the Parent/Legal Guardian recognize that OLPH makes no guarantees about preventing improper access to such materials on the part of the Student.
7. OLPH Held Harmless and Promise Not To Sue: In order to protect itself from future lawsuits where a Student or Parent/Legal Guardian alleges that the Student suffered some kind of injury because the Student used OLPH's Net Access, OLPH requires that the Student and Parent/Legal Guardian promise to forego such claims against either the school or its employees in return for being allowed to use OLPH's Net Access. Therefore, the Student and Parent/Legal Guardian agree that they will not sue the OLPH School or OLPH Church, the Diocese of Honolulu, or Hawaii Catholic Schools or its employees over any claim, which comes about as a result of the Student's use of the OLPH's Net Access.

We, the persons who have signed below, have read this agreement and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions of this agreement.

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Student's Name (Please Print)

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Student's Signature

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Parent's/Legal Guardian's Signature