

Parental Witness Statement

With awareness of the Catholic Church's vision on my vocation as a parent, I ask to have my child enrolled at Most Sacred Heart School. In doing so, I acknowledge and accept my responsibility to be the primary religious educator of my children. I understand the Catholic school is a way in which my Church seeks to assist me in my call. However, I know that no matter how clearly and effectively the Catholic School communicates the values of our faith, unless my children see these truths take root in our family, then there is little hope that the faith will take root in their hearts. I understand that the school supports me as the primary educator, and I in turn support the school.

Practically, I understand the above to mean:

1. To acknowledge and accept my responsibility to be the primary religious educator of my children.
2. To participate actively each week in the Sunday Eucharist.
3. To speak to my children about the things of God, and to make prayer an integral and important part of the environment of our home.
4. To do my fair share in supporting the Catholic School financially; by my service; and through relating in a Christ-like manner to the other members of the community.
5. To teach my children by work and example to have a love and concern for the needs of others, especially the poor.

I understand and accept that my child's continued acceptance in Most Sacred Heart School is dependent upon my continuing to live these values.

Parent/Guardian's Signature

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Pastor's Signature

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