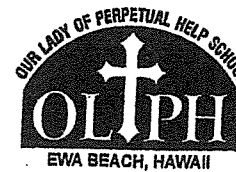


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*"We, the faith community at Our Lady of Perpetual Help School and Church, in partnership with parents, and with Jesus as our Model, educate students to be active Catholics, responsive producers, holistic learners, and capable communicators."*

July 14, 2011

Dear Parents, Guardians, Students, Parishioners, and Friends of Our Lady of Perpetual Help School,

Greetings and the blessings of our Lord and of our Blessed Mother!

We look forward to another blessed and successful School Year 2011-2012, one graced by our loving and gracious God as we journey with our children to be active Catholics, responsive producers, holistic learners, and capable communicators.

It is with great joy to present to you our Faculty and Staff for this 2011-2012 School Year:

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|-----------------------------|---|
| Mrs. Evangeline Dionisio    | Administrative Assistant                                  |
| Mrs. Allene Ishikawa        | Bookkeeper  |
| Mrs. Erlinda Ceria          | Grade K Educator  |
| Mrs. Tracy Spencer          | Grade 1 Educator  |
| Mrs. Karen Caliedo          | Grade 2 Educator  |
| Mrs. Emma Lacar             | Grade 3 Educator  |
| Ms. Remedios Cabrera        | Grade 4 Educator  |
| Ms. Crystal Ka'aikala       | Grade 5 Educator  |
| Mrs. Nancy Warner           | Grade 6 Educator  |
| Mrs. Lisa Dusterhoff        | Grade 7 Educator  |
| Mrs. Laverne Suster         | Grade 8 Educator  |
| Mrs. Socorro Patricia White | Grade K Teacher Assistant & Spanish Instructor            |
| Mrs. Pacita Baron           | Grade 1 Teacher Assistant & Office Assistant              |
| Mrs. Teresita Gonzales      | Grade 2 Teacher Assistant & After School Care Coordinator |
| Mrs. Shirley Castro         | Office Assistant & Before School Care Coordinator         |
| Mrs. Thalia Woodward        | Computer & Music Teacher                                  |
| Mr. Charles Ah Chick        | Maintenance Personnel                                     |
| Mrs. Eufemia Basilio        | Maintenance Personnel                                     |
| Mr. Maximo Rubina, Jr.      | Maintenance Personnel                                     |
| Dr. Harry Acuna, M.D.       | Physician & Medical Consultant                            |
| Mrs. Remedios Aguinaldo     | Health Nurse  |

May God continue to bless you and your loved ones!

Lovingly and prayerfully yours in Christ  
 and in Our Lady of Perpetual Help,

*Sister Davilyn*  
 Sister M. Davilyn Ah Chick, o.s.f., Principal

*"Educating for Life!"*

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
LORD BLESS US IN THIS COMING YEAR!	1	2	3	4	5	6 Transfiguration of the Lord
	← Faculty & Staff Retreat, CPR & First Aid Courses, Meetings →					
7 19th Sunday in Ordinary time	8 First Day of School Grade K Orientation Day Noon Dismissal	9 Grade K Orientation Day Noon Dismissal	10 10:45 am Prayer Service 1:30pm Dismissal F/S Meeting	11	12 Aloha Attire	13
14 20th Sunday in Ordinary time	15 Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary 8:15 am Mass	16	17 1:30pm Dismissal F/S Meeting	18	19 Admissions Day No School	20
21 21st Sunday in Ordinary time	22 Mass of the Holy Spirit No School	23	24 OLPH School 43rd Anniversary 8:15am Mass & Celebration 1:30pm Dismissal F/S Meeting	25 OLPH School Open House 6:30 pm Church	26	27
28 22nd Sunday in Ordinary time	29	30	31 8:15 am Mass 1:30pm Dismissal F/S Meeting	Sept. 1	Sept. 2	Sept. 2
<b>Welcome Back to School.</b>						

## DRESS CODE

All students attending Our Lady of Perpetual Help School are required to wear the proper school uniform. Students' appearance contributes greatly to their personality and attitude in and out of the classroom; therefore, they need to develop a respect for the Dress Code and wear their school uniform with pride. Our Lady of Perpetual Help School uniforms, crew socks with OLPH symbols, and jackets may be purchased from the **Campus Creation** Company. Our Lady of Perpetual Help School Physical Education uniforms are purchased from our School Office.

**Uniform Company:** *Campus Creations*: 98-029 Hekaha Street, #206, Aiea, HI 96701 ~ Phone: 808-484-9191

### Boys Uniform

Green long pants (full waist, dress type)  
Green walk shorts/pleated twill  
Polo shirt: ash pique with the school logo (shirt tail tucked into the pants or shorts)  
Belt: black or brown  
Shoes: solid black or solid white, or solid black & solid white covered (dress or rubber style)  
No graphic designs and/or patterns are allowed on the shoes.  
White crew socks with OLPH symbols: the OLPH School symbol must be visible at all times.  
Green jacket with the school logo

### Girls Uniform

Skirt: plaid full pleated – the length of the skirt is one (1) inch below the kneecap.  
Polo shirt: ash pique with the school logo (tucked into the skirt)  
Shoes: solid black or solid white, or solid black & solid white covered (dress or rubber style)  
No graphic designs and/or patterns are allowed on the shoes.  
White crew socks with OLPH symbols: the OLPH School symbol must be visible at all times.  
Green jacket with the school logo

### Boys and Girls Socks

White crew socks with OLPH symbols. These socks are mandatory as part of the school uniform. The top of the socks must be above the ankle, and the OLPH School symbol must be visible at all times.

### Physical Education Uniforms for all Boys and Girls

The Physical Education (P.E.) uniforms are purchased from the School Office for all students in Grades K through 8.  
The P.E. T-shirt is tucked in the P.E. shorts at all times.  
P.E. T-shirt: grey with school logo  
P.E. shorts: green with school logo

### Grooming

**Girls:** Girls' hair is to be clean, well-groomed, and styled appropriately for school. It must not fall over the eyebrows or face. No fad, colored, tinted, highlighted, or extreme hairstyles are allowed. No part of the head is to be shaved.  
**Boys:** Boys hair is to be clean, well-groomed, and styled appropriately for school. It must be cut above the shirt collar and must not fall over the eyebrows or ears. No fad, colored, tinted, highlighted, or extreme hairstyles are allowed. No part of the head is to be shaved. Facial hair is not permitted (chin growth, beards, or mustache).  
**Jewelry:** The school is not responsible for any lost or damaged jewelry. Girls may wear one pair of stud earrings on the earlobes only and one chain around the neck. Boys may wear a chain around the neck and may not wear earrings. The wearing of one bracelet and/or watch is acceptable for boys and girls.  
**Make-up:** No make-up is permitted.  
**Fingernails:** Only clear nail polish may be used. Fingernails must be short/trimmed appropriately for safety reasons.

### Aloha Attire: (A Designated Friday of the Month)

**Girls:** Hawaiian muumuu or dress (no spaghetti straps dress, sun dress, or flower printed dress).  
Shoes or only sandals with back straps are to be worn. Please no platforms.  
**Boys:** Aloha shirt, walking shorts, or long pants. Shoes or only sandals with back straps are to be worn.

### Free Dress

The teachers will announce to the class the Free Dress Day for the total school. They will also review the appropriate attire for these special occasions.

**Note:** Any deviation from the Dress Code for important reasons requires a note from parents/guardians and the approval from the principal in order to obtain an excuse good for one day only. Consequences for Dress Code violation will be addressed by the principal.

*(From OLPH Parent-Student Handbook)*

### ALL STUDENTS

Before any student can begin school, Form 14 or the Health Record Form is due before or on August 8, 2011. This is the State of Hawaii Department of Health's law.

**MAHALO NUI LOA** We are grateful to all our families who diligently returned their completed forms for their children: 1) Registration Form (*white*), 2) Emergency Card (*golden*), 3) Tuition Contracts & Payment Plans (*yellow*), 4) if needed, the Health Record Form (*white*) and the F.A.C.T.S Forms, 5) Volunteer Code of Conduct Agreement (*white*), and 6) Authorization for the Student to Have His/Her Photo Taken & Used (*blue*)

### CAMPUS/TRAFFIC

For the safety and protection of everyone, vehicle drivers traveling through our parish/school campus are asked to follow all the directional signs. Thank you very much for assisting us in making the flow of traffic: safe, easy, and stress-free.

### CO-CURRICULAR COURSES

Art, Computer/Technology, Music, Physical Education, and Spanish Courses will be during the week of August 23, 2011.

### COMPUTER/TECHNOLOGY FEES for Computer Classes

Each student is required to pay the Computer/Technology fee before being admitted to any of the computer classes. Please forward your payment of \$20.00 in an envelope with your child's name and grade to our School Office.

### EXTENDED CARE PROGRAM

An Extended Care Program is provided on school days in the morning from 6:00-7:30 a.m. and in the afternoons from 2:30-5:30 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, and from 1:30-5:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. Payment is required before services are rendered. If you are interested, please contact our School Office for the necessary Extended Care Program forms.

### GRADE K LETTER

A letter for Grade K families is enclosed. Kindergarten Orientation will be held respectively for Families with last names A-M on Monday, August 8, 2011 @ 9:00 a.m.  
Families with last names N-Z on Tuesday, August 9, 2011 @ 9:00 a.m.

### INSURANCE COVERAGE

Sister Davilyn Ah Chick, Principal, and Father Scott Bush, Pastor, enrolled each student at Our Lady of Perpetual Help School in the Student Accident Insurance Plan for the 2011-2012 School Year. It is with the Diocesan Hawaii Catholic Schools' designated insurance carrier, the Servco Insurance Services.

### LUNCH PROGRAM

Students can bring a home lunch daily or they may purchase from a food vendor approved by our school. They are not allowed to leave our school campus for lunch, or buy food from any lunch wagon. Kindly refer to the attached Lunch Form.

### PHYSICAL EDUCATION UNIFORMS

OLPH School Physical Education (P.E.) uniforms can be purchased at our School Office. All students are to use the OLPH School P.E. uniforms during their Physical Education classes. Those involved in the Catholic School League (volleyball, basketball, track & field) also use the OLPH School P.E. uniforms for practice.

### REMINDER

A friendly reminder that Noon Dismissals are scheduled for August 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>.



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**Kindergarten Orientation**  
**2011-2012 School Year**

Dear Parents and Guardians of Grade K,

Welcome to Our Lady of Perpetual Help School. This is indeed an exciting time for you and your child because the foundation of your child's educational journey is about to begin here at Our Lady of Perpetual Help School. It is my honor to join you in this journey. The goals I set each year for my kindergartners are that *they learn the basic requirements needed and beyond*, and to see that *they have fun doing it in a positive nature*.

I encourage you to do the following things with your child:

- Read to your child every day
- Review the colors and the shapes
- Practice coloring in the lines
- Recognize the numbers: 0-10 and beyond

Please do not put pressure on your child if he/she does not know the above by the time school begins. Your child will learn these skills. I would prefer you to teach your child to spell his/her name orally; he/she will learn to manuscript his/her name while in school.

Orientation for you and your child is according to your child's last name:

<b>Last Name Begins with</b>	<b>Your Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>A - M</b>	<b>Monday, August 8, 2011</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>
<b>N- Z</b>	<b>Tuesday, August 9, 2011</b>	<b>9:00 a.m.</b>

The Orientation Session will end approximately at 10:30 a.m. I will review with you our school's mission, philosophy, and policies, and discuss the Kindergarten curriculum, class and homework assignments, etc. At this time I will also answer any questions you may have. *It is mandatory that you attend the Orientation Session.*

Kindly bring your child's school supplies to the Orientation Session. Please make sure you mark your child's supplies with his/her name. Just a reminder that your child's sleeping mat must be the plastic foldable ones. We have no room for any other type of sleeping mats.

Thank you for choosing Our Lady of Perpetual Help School for your child's educational foundation. I look forward to serving you and your child this coming school year with God's love.

God bless you indeed and have a great summer!

Sincerely yours,



Mrs. Erlinda Ceria

***"Educating for Life!"***