

**Our Lady of Grace
Middle School Ministry
Conduct and Appearance Code**

Students must present this signed permission form and their student body card to be admitted to the dance.

Student behavior is expected to reflect Christian ethics and be in accordance with the religious and moral expectations of our Catholic community.

CONDUCT CODE

- Offensive language, obscene gestures, and sexually explicit or unsafe dancing are not allowed.
- Handholding is the only acceptable form of affection allowed.
- No fighting is allowed.
- Disrespectful behavior toward any administrator or chaperone will not be allowed.

APPEARANCE CODE: Attire for the dance must be modest and age-appropriate.

GIRLS

- No backless, strapless, halter, spaghetti strap, camisole strap blouses/dresses may be worn.
- Dresses, skirts or shorts must be of appropriate and modest length.
- No midriff baring tops or pants may be worn.

BOYS

- No baggy style attire. (Costumes excepted – PLEASE no underwear showing!)
- Pants must be worn at waist.

BOTH BOYS & GIRLS

- Hats, bandannas, headbands or sunglasses may not be worn.
- Inappropriate words, graphics, symbols, decorations, or chains are not allowed on clothing.
- Purses and backpacks are not allowed (please leave with front door chaperone for safety).

OLG reserves the right to remove any person who is in violation of the above standards of conduct and appearance from the event and the student will not be entitled to any refund of monies paid.

I agree to abide by the above code of conduct and appearance.

Student Name (printed) _____

Student signature _____

Parent Signature _____

Contact number during event _____

**Please complete both sides of form.
Parent must sign both sides.**

Our Lady of Grace / Diocese of Oakland / Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
PARENTAL PERMISSION, HEALTH AUTHORIZATION, RELEASE FORM
THERE MUST BE A COPY OF THIS FORM AT ALL YOUTH MINISTRY ACTIVITIES

Child's Name _____ Parish _____
Address _____ Phone _____
(street, city, zip)
School _____ Grade _____ Birth Date _____
Parent/Guardians Name _____ Home Phone _____
Address (if different) _____ Cell Phone _____
(street, city, zip)
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, NOTIFY PERSON OTHER THAN PARENT/GUARDIAN:
Name _____ Phone _____

**Parental Permission and Acknowledgement of
Conditions for Participation in Program**

1. I/we, parent or authorized guardian of the child named above give **permission** for his/her participation in **OLG Middle School Ministry Night**, and all related activities, including but not limited to transportation to and from this youth ministry event.
2. I/we agree to direct my/our child to cooperate and comply with reasonable directions and instructions from Youth Ministry staff or adult volunteer leaders.
3. I/we agree to be responsible for all medical expenses relating to injury of my/our child as a result of his/her participation in this event, whether or not caused by the negligence of parish, youth ministry program employees, agents or volunteers or other participants.
4. I/we understand that youth participating in youth ministry events risk injury to the body, psyche or property damage to themselves and others. Such injuries can be caused by other persons or accidentally or intentionally self-inflicted, faulty equipment or facilities, conditions of recreational facilities, vehicle accidents while in transport or through the activity itself.

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration for being permitted to participate in **the MSM Night**, use the equipment provided and to enter the premises or facilities of the **Diocese of Oakland (Diocese)** for any purpose including observation and participation in activities, the parent or guardian for him or herself and any successors in interest and on behalf of the minor child agrees:

1. To release, waive, discharge and promise not to sue the **Diocese of Oakland**, and its affiliated entities, its officers, directors, employees, agents and volunteers (hereafter referred to as "Releasees") from all liability for any loss or damage, and any claim or demands therefore on account of serious or mortal injury to the body, injury to psyche or property of the minor child, or undersigned parent or guardian, whether caused by negligence or other conduct by the Releasees while the minor child, parent or guardian is participating in this event or in, upon or about the premises of the **Diocese** or any of its facilities or equipment.
2. To indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any loss, liability, damage or cost it may incur due to the presence of the minor child, parent or guardian in, upon or about the premises of the **Diocese**, its facilities or equipment, or while participating in any **youth ministry** activities whether caused by the negligence of Releasees or otherwise.
3. That the parent or guardian has read this Agreement, voluntarily signs the Agreement and that no oral representations, statements or inducements apart from the contents of this written Agreement have been made.

I have read this Agreement and understand everything written above.

Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____