

AUTHORIZATION
TO PUBLISH STUDENT PICTURE
ON DIOCESAN WEBSITES
(Students under age 18)

Name of Student

Grade

2016-2017
School Year

Precious Blood School and our Diocesan Catholic School Office (“Diocesan Schools”) maintain websites. These websites include references to highlight our students’ academic accomplishments and other school related activities. From time to time, Diocesan Schools may determine it beneficial to publish pictures of students, individual or in group settings, on the websites for any number of reasons, such as:

1. Acknowledgment of students receiving honors and achievements;
2. Participation in athletics, student organizations, student clubs, or school sponsored extracurricular activities;
3. Participation in the school or school-sponsored events;
4. Depictions of students in relation to special school-related occasions or times of year, e.g. homecoming, athletic events, senior graduation, school service projects, etc.

We believe that publication of student pictures on publicly accessible websites assists Diocesan Schools in promoting the success and benefits of the schools and the accomplishments and efforts of our students to the Diocesan community and the general public. However, we recognize that a website publication is potentially “world wide”, so we have decided to seek your approval before even considering whether to post a picture of your child on a Diocesan Schools website. Giving permission to use a picture of your child does not mean such a picture will be used. The Diocesan Schools may or may not choose to post materials, which contain a picture of your child on one of the websites. Giving permission to use a picture of your child constitutes a waiver of any right to inspect or approve the actual use of the picture in conjunction with a Diocesan Schools website. Such decisions will be made by Diocesan representatives based upon their determination of website format and content.

Please check one of the following two options and fill in the blanks after reading the above.

_____ **Yes. I understand the content and meaning of this Authorization and I grant the Diocesan School office and my child’s School permission to place a picture of my child on Diocesan Schools websites.**

_____ **No. I do not grant permission for the Diocesan Schools to place a picture of my child on Diocesan school websites.**

Date

(Parent/Guardian Signature)

(printed name)