

Christ the King 2025-2026 Media Waivers

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Christ the King School strives to keep you and the community informed of news and events, as well as to recognize students for their achievements. The purpose of this form is to ask your permission to allow for the posting of your student(s) pictures and/or their work through various forms of media.

Publishing and presenting a student's picture or work is done to recognize exemplary effort, achievement, and/or involvement in a school activity.

Part 1 - School Newsletter and Website

As you consider this, it is important to understand that:

- The school's AND parish's website is accessible to anyone who has internet access, and for this reason, personal information (such as student's surnames, locations or times) will not appear with any work or picture posted on the web.
- This information may also be presented to a variety of groups such as community and educational organizations, when deemed appropriate by the school.

Part 2 - Social Media Release

Christ the King also uses social media to keep the families and the community informed of news and events, and to recognize students for their achievements. Our school Facebook and Twitter pages are open pages that highlight different events, students, or classroom activities throughout the year.

The purpose of this section is to request your permission to allow for the posting of your student(s) pictures and their work on the school Facebook page.

As you consider this, it is important to understand that:

- Social media platforms are accessible to anyone who has internet access, and for this reason, personal information (such as student's surnames, locations or times) will not appear with any work or picture posted on the web.

Part 3 - Classroom Pages

Many of our teachers will use social media, including Instagram, "Homeroom," or other similar sites to keep their students and families updated with what is going on in their classrooms. These classroom pages however are **private** pages that are closed to the public.

Your child's teacher may invite you to participate and/or include your child in these private pages.

We request your permission to allow for the posting of your student's picture and their work on classroom teacher's closed social media pages.

As you consider this, it is important to understand that:

- Classroom pages are private and only accessible to individuals approved by the teacher. This could include teaching partners and students' families. No individual student's surnames or locations will appear with any work or picture posted on these pages.

Part 4 - External Media

External organizations may attend or host school events. In certain instances, your child's name, image, work, or performance may be filmed, photographed, audio-taped, or videotaped for the purpose of being published and/or broadcast online, on television or radio, and/or in print ads.

Part 5 – Family Handbook

The school may be sending a Family Handbook to school families with parent contact information. The handbook would include your student's name along with your contact information (name, phone, e-mail).

Please read *each* section of page one carefully and mark the appropriate box with your permission/request for restriction.

Please note: if media waiver is not returned, your child will be restricted from ***all*** media.

**This waiver has been approved by the Diocese of Toledo and Christ the King School Advisory Council (SAC).

