



MOUNT CARMEL SCHOOL

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Dear MCS Families,

I hope you are enjoying a wonderful summer. I also hope you are relaxed, recharged and ready to start a new school year. I am so delighted that you are part of our amazing learning community. I welcome and value your positive energy and dedication to excellence in education, and I look forward to working with you and your children.

All signs point to another incredible and productive school year. Our skilled and devoted staff is already planning and preparing for your child or children. Our enthusiastic office team is registering new families, ordering needed materials and updating student files. We are indeed a joyous and caring community with the common goals of nurturing responsible, caring students and promoting high-level learning.

Our mission this school year is to deliver high quality education to every student and provide a safe and orderly school. To add to the school's mission, we are expected to prepare students for the 21st Century skills, integrate the use of technology in lessons, and demonstrate different learning styles. Most importantly, we are expected to be accountable for student learning, and to "educate the whole person to see with Christ's eyes."

With this said, please refer below the dates and be guided before the opening of the school year.

- **August 09:** K4-6th Grade
 - Parent Orientation/Meet and Greet/Resource Pick up.
 - Cafeteria/Gymnasium
 - 5:30 pm-7:00 pm
- **August 10:** 7th – 12th Grade
 - Parent Orientation/Meet and Greet/Resource Pick up.
 - Cafeteria/Gymnasium
 - 5:30 pm-7:00 pm
- **August 12:** First day of school
 - Homeroom Only
 - 7:30 am – 3:00 pm
- **August 13:** Special Mass (**Bishop Ryan Jimenez**)
 - Opening of the School Year Mass
 - Commissioning of MCS Faculty & Staff

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- 7:40 AM-Cathedral (K4-12th Grade) All will attend.
- Special Schedule-1st to 7th Period (7:30 am -3:00 pm)

- **August 28:** Student Leadership Workshop
 - STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS & CLASSROOM REPRESENTATIVES
 - School Clubs Officers /Honor Society Officers
 - 8:00 am – 2:00 pm
 - Venue: TBA (Off-campus)

New Staff

Each year brings positive change. This includes a few additions to our staff. We are delighted to welcome Ms. Florinda Chavez (1st), Ms. Sony Natividad (3rd), Ms. Rose Lucero (4th), Ms. Alyssa Palattao (6th), Ms. Norisa Camacho (8th), Mr. Christopher Kwarciany (10th), Mr. Steven Kamano (Elem. PE), Mr. Zeno Deleon Guerrero, Jr. (9th), and Ms. Maricar Simeon (11th), Jeric Torres (IT Specialist), and Ms. Shyaralyn San Nicolas (K4-TA).

Thank you for your continued support and understanding. I eagerly look forward to greeting students and families again. It remains an honor and privilege to serve as your principal and acting president.

Warmest Regards,



Frances T. Taimanao
Principal/Acting President