

Guidelines for the Education of Non-Catholics

*Parents must be made aware of the intentional Catholic witness in our schools. Our Lady of Perpetual Help School as a Catholic school within the Archdiocese of New York has as its primary mission the formation of children in the Catholic faith.

*All children will participate in total academic life of our school, including religious education. According to the norms of our Church, it is expected that non-Catholics participate as fully as they can in the liturgical and prayer life of the school.

*The religious educators of our schools are committed to teaching the fullness of revelation as it is taught by the Roman Catholic Church and as the life and doctrine are set forth in the Religious Education Guidelines of the Archdiocese of New York. While our teachers value ecumenical education, and respect the traditions of other ecclesiastical communities, they always teach within the context of fidelity to the doctrine and traditions of our teaching church.