



Student Government 2024-2025 Nomination Form

Timeline for Campaign/Election:

- Wed., Sept. 4 • Submit signed Student Government Nomination form
- Fri., Sept. 6 • Campaign poster due to Mrs. Sadowski
• Approved posters are hung in classrooms/hallways
- Thu., Sept. 12 • Campaign speeches due to Mrs. Sadowski for approval
- Fri., Sept. 13 **Speeches and Election Day:**
• Candidates for officer positions deliver campaign speeches to the student body in the gym
• Candidates for class representative give speeches to their classmates in their classrooms
• The student body votes
• Election results announced during closing exercises
- Tue., Sept. 17 • First Student Government meeting 3:15-4:00

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I, _____ am interested in running for the following position(s) in Student Government at Our Lady of Hope School.

Please see descriptions and eligibility on page 2.

_____ President _____ Vice-President
_____ Chaplain _____ Treasurer _____ Secretary
Class Representative, Grade _____ (K-8)

I give, _____ permission to run for the above Student Government position(s). I understand that my student will meet monthly after school and may be involved in other Student Government run events.

Parent Signature

Date



All officers and class representatives are expected to attend monthly after school meetings.

The **President** must be an ***eighth grader*** and is responsible for leading the student government in the mission of making “messengers of hope for the world.” He or she will consult with the school administration, preside over student government meetings, and work with the officers and class representatives to develop activities/opportunities for OLOH students to grow spiritually, socially, and personally throughout the school year.

The **Vice-president** must be a ***middle-schooler*** and is responsible for supporting the mission of the school, taking over the duties of the president if he or she moves or has to step down, and running meetings or functions if the president is unable to do so.

The **Chaplain** must be a ***middle-schooler*** and is responsible for supporting Catholic Identity activities or initiatives, such as the virtues program, school prayer assignments, and student government service projects.

The **Treasurer** must be a ***middle-schooler*** and is responsible for keeping records of all student government financial transactions, counting monies, and ensuring that projects or activities stay within budget.

The **Secretary** must be a ***middle-schooler*** and is responsible for recording, tracking, and reading the minutes from student government meetings and activities.

Class Representatives are responsible for representing their classmates during monthly student government meetings. They manage classroom suggestion box ideas and report back to their classmates after each meeting. ***Fifth graders may run to represent grades kindergarten through second grade and 5th grade. All other classes must be represented by a student in that grade.***

Please Note:

Classroom representative candidates will hang posters in their classrooms.
Officer candidates' posters will be hung in the middle school hallway.
Poster sizes are **8.5 x 11 or 9 x 12 inches**.