



Ka'ala Elementary School

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Aloha Ka'ala Families,

Happy New Year! Hope everyone had a restful winter break. During the vacation time, the Ka'ala campus was busy. Our PCNC Ruby Chai put together "Ka'ala Kares", a donation and gift giving program to provide gifts and supplies to our Ka'ala families. Along with donations from Bishop Henderson's New Life Body of Christ Church and a unit from Wheeler Army Airfield, we were able to distribute over 100 gifts to Ka'ala students and their siblings. Mahalo to all parents, faculty and staff for supporting the drive with items and student requests.

As we begin 3rd quarter, our focus continues to remain with student achievement. Our students have completed their 2nd iReady Diagnostic for the year. Data shows that as a whole our students are growing, but there are a number of students struggling with the distance learning format. Teachers and administration will be working hard during the third quarter, planning how to address the needs of the individual learners in each class. Parents, thank you for supporting this effort in assisting your children to log on, remain attentive in class, and have the necessary supplies and materials for class.

We sincerely hope this new year is filled with good health, prosperity and learning! Happy 2021 Ka'ala Elementary School.

Aloha,
Sam Bennett

Proud Principal of Ka'ala Elementary School

"Our students deserve to thrive with options and opportunities"

KA'ALA VISION

We, Ka'ala Elementary School, respect, value, and support all individuals in reaching their highest potential.

KA'ALA MISSION

Prepare students for success by teaching standards based lessons; creating a safe and nurturing environment; providing meaningful learning experiences; and ensuring opportunities for evaluation and assessment of progress. Provide opportunities to give parents tools to meet the academic, social and emotional needs of the students. Commit ourselves wholeheartedly to our vision; communicate that vision with integrity; follow up commitments relentlessly; and foster positive relationships within our school community

Principal:
Mr. Sam Bennett

Vice Principal:
Mr. Mark Gervacio

Counselors:
Ms. Megan Ferrer
(Grades K-2)

Mr. Jon Morikawa
(Grades 3-5)

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English: If assistance is needed in understanding the "Ka'ala Parent Bulletin" by having it read or translated into another language, please call the office at 305-3900.

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MARSHALLESE: Elane kwoj aikuj jipan melele kin "Ka'ala Parent Bulletin" non read i waj ak ukote ilo kajin Majol, joui j im call office e ilo 305-3900.

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January 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 New Year's Day	2
3	4 No School Teacher work day	5 No School Teacher PD day	6 First day back for students Group A School ends @ 12 noon	7 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	8 Thrive Friday School ends @ 12 noon	9
10	11 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	12 Group B School ends @ 12 noon SCC virtual meeting @ 2:45pm	13 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	14 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	15 Thrive Friday School ends @ 12 noon	16
17	18 No School Martin Luther King Day	19 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	20 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	21 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	22 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	23
24	25 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	26 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	27 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	28 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	29 Thrive Friday School ends @ 12 noon	30
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February 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	2 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	3 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	4 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	5 Thrive Friday School ends @ 12 noon	6
7	8 No School Teacher Institute Day	9 Group B School ends @ 12 noon SCC meeting @ 2:45	10 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	11 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	12 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	13
14 Valentine's Day	15 No School President's Day	16 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	17 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	18 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	19 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	20
21	22 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	23 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	24 Group A School ends @ 12 noon	25 Group B School ends @ 12 noon	26 Thrive Friday School ends @ 12 noon	27
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**So often you find that the students you're trying to
INSPIRE
are the ones that end up inspiring you!**

Congratulations!

2nd Quarter - Perfect Attendance

Preschool

Ryden S.

Kindergarten

Dyanna B.

Ava B.

PeytonMarie B.

Jonah E.

Crimson K.

Zane L.

Kaison L.

Adele M.

Lucas M.

Justus N.

Alec O.

Alysse O.

Blake Q.

Terrence R.

Abril T.

Bailee V.

1st Grade

Kaili C.

Rhyzin C.

Zian D.

Xyler F.

Sadie G.

Kaden I.

Vernise K.

Kela M.

Jose O.

Abigail R.

Brody S.

Kyra T.

2nd Grade

Jeisha-Lei A.

Ethan A.

Averie A.

Le'niah B.

Sean C.

Tyzyn-Raider C.

Francielle C.

Landiani D.

Cyrus D.

Marcus E.

Azurite E.

Arianna E.

Kiana G.

Serenity G.

Ariana G.

Yehoash G.

John J.

Caleb J.

Kana'I K.

Sean-Nate K.

Joecen L.

Rafael L.

Misikosi L.

Robert L.

Reilynn M.

J.O. M.

Jasmine O.

Jesselle O.

Tyson P.

Nevaeh R.

Azalaya S.

Kingston S.

Jaziah S.

Saiyana S.

Kassius S.

Taimy U.

Coby V.

Keichen W.

3rd Grade

Cerrellyn A.

Jhander A.

Race B.

Xander B.

David C.

Kiyomi H.

Alina H.

Chanlynn K.

Jennifer L.

Mamar L.

Jahsten M.

Simpson M.

Embo M.

Ryenin R.

Reagan S.

Kaliyah S.

Octavia S.

4th Grade

Jaiden A.

Jaysten A.

Zyreen A.

Jossah B.

Koamalu C.

Daenelle C.

Jaenelle C.

Kawena-Lei D.

AJ D.

Sean E.

Emma E.

Keanu G.

Gia G.

Allan H.

Jelara J.

Czarina J.

Kalea K.

Lariah L.

Reyana-Lei M.

Jayleen M.

Semisi M.

Austin M.

Emileen R.

Robin S.

Mysun S.

Bryan S.

Kensen T.

Eric T.

Harvee T.

Caitlyn U.

Jia U.

5th Grade

Jaeden A.

Jeriah A.

Kate A.

Lia B.

Krystelle C.

Sophia C.

Jayden D.

Kiani F.

Baby Tipper H.

Zaydin K.

Oshen K.

Charles L.

Yesenia L.

Tommy L.

Joefiand L.

Dino M.

Kilani M.

I-Two M.

Rayne M.

Jacob O.

Sabrina P.

Ausvin S.

Addisyn S.

Remi T.

Lathan U.

Happy New Year!

Aloha Ka'ala Ohana,

We hope you had a wonderful winter break! We are so excited to begin 3rd Quarter with YOU!

Just a couple reminders:

- Make sure to be on time for class!
- ALWAYS have a positive attitude!
- Complete all assignments and tests to the best you can!
- If you have any difficulties or problems, please let your teachers or counselors know!

We want to wish you a Happy New Year and hope you are all staying safe and healthy!

From,
Ka'ala Counseling Team (Ms. Ferrer, Mr. Morikawa,
and Ms. Leslie)