

Kailua Elementary School  
Annual Title I Meeting SY 2019-2020  
August 2, 2019



**Purpose of Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)**

- A Title I, Part A program is to provide all children with a significant opportunity to receive a fair, equitable, and high-quality education, and to close educational achievement gaps. (ESEA section 1001)

**Title I Eligibility**

- Hawaii Department of Education (HIDOE) Title I eligibility is based on a minimum poverty threshold of 47.2%, which is determined by the percentage of students qualifying for free and reduced-priced meals.

**Requirements for a Title I School**

- **Comprehensive Needs Assessment (CNA)** must be conducted at each Title I school in order to gain a better understanding of the strengths and the contributing/root causes of the identified needs.
- **Title I Schoolwide Plan** must be written, implemented and monitored by each school. It describes how the school will implement academic achievement by addressing contributing causes of needs identified in the school's CNA. Within the HIDOE, the school's Three-Year Academic Plan (AcPlan) is considered to be the Title I Schoolwide Plan.
- **Fiscal Requirements Form (FRF)**, the school's Title I budget plan, must be aligned to the school's CNA and the Title I Schoolwide Plan (AcPlan).
- **Parent and Family Engagement** activities are to improve student academic achievement and school performance.

**Parent Involvement**

- Parents are encouraged to be involved in their child's school.
- Parents at this school may be involved in the following ways:
  - Volunteering
  - Attending Family Nights
  - Reading daily with their child & encouraging them to do their best
  - Checking their child's planner nightly & Weekly Thursday Folders
  - Talking to their child about school, making sure your child attends school daily, on time & ready to learn
  - Keeping in touch with classroom teachers

**Title I Funds at Kailua Elementary School Provide:**

1. Professional Development opportunities for teachers
2. Supports our school wide tech plan to provide the necessary technology to run our Universal Screener: Renaissance Place, Reading Wonders, Stepping Stones and Go Math programs, PBL, Enrichment, and STEM.
3. Provides instructional resources and materials to support learning

ESEA Sec 1116(c)(1) p. 76

"Convene an annual meeting, at a convenient time, to which all parents of participating children shall be invited and encouraged to attend, to inform parents of their school's participation under this part and to explain the requirements of this part, and the right of the parents to be involved"

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