



Nanaku Elementary School  
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**School Hours**  
Start time – 7:45am  
School Dismissal  
Time – 2:00pm  
Wednesday – 1:15pm

**Learning Happens Everywhere!**  
**What are you learning today?**

January 2019

**Principal:**  
Lisa Ann L. Higa  
so noted: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates to Remember	
Jan. 17	Pre-K Field Trip to Hawaii Theatre for Youth
Jan. 21	Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day <b>HOLIDAY</b>
Jan. 24	Grade 2 Field Trip to Hawaii Theatre for Youth
Jan. 25	Hearing Screening
Feb. 9	Campus Beautification
Feb. 11	Teacher Institute Day <b>NO SCHOOL</b>
Feb. 18	Presidents' Day <b>HOLIDAY</b>

**2019-2020**  
**GEOGRAPHIC EXCEPTIONS**  
**Now Being Accepted**

Any child who does not physically reside in our school district and is wishing to attend Nanaku Elementary, including our Hawaiian Language Immersion Program, **MUST** submit a GE **before March 1**. Any late GEs received will be placed on a **waiting list**.

*New students to the Hawai'i DOE, including kindergarteners, apply through the school in your home district.*



Please help Nanaku Elementary School by going on the following website and supporting NES' three (3) nominees for the 2018-2019 "Life Changer of the Year" award. Counselor Fay Angeles has been here since 2017 and since being here she has already increased the school's attendance rate by inspiring students to come to school more regularly. PE Teacher Brad Chun has been impacting NES students for decades with his emphasis on building character through "playing with aloha." Lastly, Academic Coach Jessica Matsik has helped get impressive gains from students by engaging their teachers in weekly, data-driven collaborative discussions on best practices in the classroom. Please help us get these three amazing faculty members the recognition they deserve!

Website: <http://app.lifechangeroftheyear.com>



On January 7, 2019, 5<sup>th</sup> grader Kira Abordo interviewed District 43 Representative Stacelynn Eli. You did an amazing job! Way to go, Kira!



# 2019-2020

## KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION

Kindergarten registration will be **February 1 through February 15, 2019**, inclusive to accommodate Geographic Exception requests. Kindergarten registration will continue thereafter as well. Children who are **five years** of age on or before July 31<sup>st</sup> are eligible to register for Kindergarten.

These are **REQUIRED** before a child can attend school:

- **Birth Certificate**
- **2 Types of Proof of Residency (utility bill, lease/mortgage agreement)**
- **Form 14 Shot Record**
- **TB Clearance**

Come to the front office between 7:30am and 3:30pm to register.

**Just a reminder about Breakfast**  
Breakfast is served from **7:10am to 7:35am**. If you want your child to eat breakfast, please make sure you bring them to school before **7:35am**.