

Hawaii Race to the Top Progress Report

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HAWAII'S RACE TO THE TOP: COMPREHENSIVE COMPONENTS FOR CHANGE



Alignment and performance monitoring of organizational functions to support reform outcomes



Standards and Assessments



Data Systems



Great Teachers and Leaders



Turnaround Lowest-Performing Schools

OUR STATUS

- ▶ Preparing for U.S. DOE on-site visit.
 - (March 27–30, 2012)
- ▶ Agreement for Extended Learning Time and Professional Development Days.
 - (SY 2012–2013)
 - Zones of Schools Innovation (ZSI)
 - Hawaii School for the Deaf and Blind (HSDB)

EXTENDED LEARNING TIME AGREEMENT

- ▶ One year agreement.
- ▶ Fair compensation to teachers for extending the school day and work year (2012–13 school year).
- ▶ Additional hour on most instructional days; except Fridays, Professional Development Days, and the last two weeks of the school year.
- ▶ Twelve (12) extra days will be added for Professional Development.

WHY EXTENDED LEARNING TIME?

Core Aspect of the State's Race to the Top strategy.

- ▶ Positive impact on students.
- ▶ Additional training days for teachers.
- ▶ Early Intervention.

EXAMPLE OF SUCCESS: KEAAU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

220 Students
(27.5 percent of
student population)

31 Teachers



KEAAU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ROUND ONE HSA	READING Oct. 17 – Dec. 15	READING Jan. 9 – March 6
GRADE 3	50% PROFICIENCY	62% PROFICIENCY (not finished)
GRADE 4	50% PROFICIENCY	58% PROFICIENCY (not finished)
GRADE 5	41% PROFICIENCY	55% PROFICIENCY

KEAAU ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

ROUND TWO HSA	MATH Oct. 17 – Dec. 15	MATH Jan. 9 – March 6
GRADE 3	31% PROFICIENCY	41% PROFICIENCY (not finished)
GRADE 4	35% PROFICIENCY	54% PROFICIENCY
GRADE 5	40% PROFICIENCY	59% PROFICIENCY

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

ASSURANCE A: REFORM SUPPORT & BUILDING CAPACITY

- ▶ Reorganized DOE State Offices.

ASSURANCE B: STANDARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

- ▶ Common Core implementation is widespread.

ASSURANCE C: DATA SYSTEMS

- ▶ Longitudinal Data System – 100% usage from Principals.

ASSURANCE D: GREAT TEACHERS AND LEADERS

- ▶ Important progress – new teacher evaluation system.

ASSURANCE E: ZONES OF SCHOOL INNOVATION

- ▶ Agreement on extended learning time.



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