# COMPREHENSIVE ACADEMIC PLAN (CAP) **Summary of Implementation**

#### VISION

To establish and sustain a community, business, and learning 'ohana (family). Within this framework, inquiry and project-based curricula will stress independent thinking, development of the individual's mind and talents, cooperative learning, sense of self within the neighborhood and the world-wide community with particular attention to the precious and unique environment of Hawaii, both as an island ecology and a place where ethnic diversity is the norm.

#### MISSION

Our mission is to create an 'ohana which is conducive to the recognition and development of individual talents. Thematic and experiential learning experiences are provided which focus on how students construct knowledge using creative and critical thinking. A forum for the development of the ability to recognize and differentiate a quality result or product is offered. Classroom experiences are connected to real life experiences so that students can grow in the understanding of themselves in relation to their community and the world.

#### **Performance Challenge**

#### Challenge/Need 1

Lower than Expected Academic Achievement and Academic Growth in Mathematics, ELA, and Science

#### Challenge/Need 2

Decreased Engagement Rates

#### Challenge/Need 3

Decreased "On-time" Graduation Rate

### **Identified Root Causes and Contributing Conditions (CNA)**

Lack of data driven culture

Contributing conditions:

- -Need for continued professional development regarding the importance and utilization of curriculum- based formative data and STAR data during data teams and PD sessions
- -- Need for an organized database to allow for streamlined data exports increasing staff and leadership understanding of student performance and growth (Launching soon) -Need for continued student incentives. Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (PBIS), to improve buy-in and provide more accurate evidence of academic growth

inconsistent delivery of curriculum and quality instruction

- Contributing conditions: --Need for continued staff training on quality instructional practices (best practices aligned with our mission) --Need dedicated time for teacher collaboration and support as new curricula is implemented to ensure consistency in use of newly purchased curricula --Need for consistent use of walkthroughs/learning walks to better understand staff needs around implementation of quality instructional
- practices -Need for effective classroom management expectations from classroom to classroom with training/mentoring as eeded.

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nadequate social-emotional support

Contributing conditions:

-Need for continued Ci3T and PBIS training around SEL supports needed for staff and students to improve buy-in andengagement -Need for development, identification, and analysis of staff and student climate surveys and results to guide necessary socialemotional work

#### Mission Alignment to Student Success (refer Scorecard)

#### **Student Success Outcomes**

Universal Outcomes (Aligned to Vision and Mission)

- Students shall develop their abilities to become responsible members of a family, work group, or local/global community within the framework of democracy.
- Students will think creatively, critically, and strategically to make effective decisions, solve problems, and achieve goals in their academic, personal, and social lives, in and out of school.

**Quality Measures** 

Behavior incident rate Student climate survey results

STAR Reading Assessment STAR Math Assessment Student climate survey results Classroom data, including advisories

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Students will write, speak, and listen effectively in a variety of situations for a variety of audiences and ourposes.

Project-based work and presentations Classroom data, including advisories

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Students will understand, use, and evaluate technologies as well as produce new innovative uses and applications in a variety of contexts for a variety of audiences and purposes including academic, personal, and social.

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Students will understand a variety of ecosystems, natural energy flows, and the natural environment in order to preserve and design systems to renew natural resources and habitats.

Project-based work Classroom data, including advisories OUTCOME OUTCOME OUTCOME DATA LINK DATA LINK DATA LINK SY23-24 SY24-25 SY25-26

#### **Growth Progress Monitoring**

Which diagnostic tools (Adaptive/Local specific) or Universal screener are you using?

#### RENAISSANCE STAR ASSESSMENTS

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#### Quarter 1 **Growth Targets** ELA/Math/Other

Quarter 2 **Growth Targets** ELA/Math/Other

Quarter 3/4 **Growth Targets** ELA/Math/Other

ELA and Math SGPs for all tested students will be in the range of 35-65

ELA and Math MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to 50

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#### **Academic Performance Targets**

### SY 2025-2026

ELA MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to 60

ELA proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least 9%

Using the Renaissance STAR Growth model, 85% of all students will reach their projected growth goal by the end of the school year

#### MATH

SY 2025-2026 Mathematics MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to

Mathematics proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least

#### **SCIENCE**

SY 2025-2026 Science proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least 9%

#### SY 2024-2025

ELA MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to 55

ELA proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least 7%

Using the Renaissance STAR Growth model, 80% of all students will reach their projected growth goal by the end of the school year

#### SY 2023-2024

ELA MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to 50

ELA proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least 5%

Using the Renaissance STAR Growth model, 75% of all students will reach their projected growth goal by the end of the school year

Mathematics MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to

Mathematics proficiency average rates

#### SY 2024-2025

for all tested students will rise by at least

# SY 2023-2024

Mathematics MGPs for all tested students will be greater than or equal to

Mathematics proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least

#### SY 2024-2025

Science proficiency average rates for all tested students will rise by at least 7%

#### SY 2023-2024

Science proficiency average rates for all ested students will rise by at least 5%

#### Major Improvement Strategies to Address Root Causes & Performance Challenges

	improvement strategy 1		
		Improve data driven culture	
	Description	Connections will work to improve staff and student buy in toward engagement in and use of interim and state level assessments.	
	Key Actions (SW6)	Estimated Funding Amount	Funding Source
1	Development of a interactive data and assessment warehouse with dashboarding capabilities (SW6) (Almost completed)	<\$20,000	Title I - General 18902  Per-Pupil
2	Provide PD on use of (interim and classroom data formative assessment data) to inform instruction and interventions.	<\$5,000	Grant Funds Per-Pupil
3	Create incentives to increase buy-in from all students	<\$5,000	Per-Pupil

	Development and implementation of the		Per-Pupil
4	data-teams process, including time for teachers to analyze and collaborate, increasing the use of formative data and effectiveness of interventions (SW6).	\$10,000 - \$19,000	Grant Funds
5	Ensure student representation on interim student assessment	0	
6	Purchase laptops that will enable teachers to carry out formative assessments and data analysis necessary to provide targeted interventions	<\$20,000	Title I - General 18902
7	Purchase chromebooks with capabilities to log on via secure browsers for necessary for school-wide and State assessments	>\$20,000	Title I - General 18902

	Improvement Strategy 2	Identify and consistently implement standards and research based curriculum delivered through quality instructional practices	
	Description	Connections will identify the research and standards based curriculum, across grade levels, that will be implemented with fidelity. Additional focus will be placed on the delivery of quality instructional practices, including effective classroom management.	
	Key Actions (SW6)	Estimated Funding Amount	Funding Source
8	Identify and obtain research and standards based curricula, specific to school level, including tiers 1,2,3 ELA/Math interventions and assessments. (SW6)	<\$20,000	Title I - General 18902  Grant Funds
9	Provide PD to enhance quality instructional practices for both teachers and paraprofessional tutors.	<\$5,000	Title I - General 18902 Per-Pupil
10	Provide PD to ensure effective delivery of identified curriculum enabling success of all students	<\$5,000	Grant Funds Per-Pupil
	Provide time for collaboration and mentoring to ensure new curricula is being implemented with fidelity.	\$0	
11	Provide paraprofessional tutors and reading interventionists to assist with Math/ELA interventions enabling success of all students	>\$20,000	Title I - General 18902  Grant Funds

	Improvement Strategy 3		
		Design and implement effective social emotional supports for all students and staff	
	Description	Improved social emotional supports will be designed based on climate survey results and implemented with staff and students.	
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	Key Actions (SW6)	Estimated Funding Amount	Funding Source
12	Identify effective social-emotional climate surveys for students, separating elementary appropriate surveys from those used in secondary. (SW6)	\$0	
13	Identify effective social-emotional climate surveys for staff. (SW6)	\$0	
14	Provide PD to staff to inform effective delivery of social-emotional supports for students (SW6)	<\$5,000	Per-Pupil
15	Provide leadership training around effective social-emotional supports for staff (SW6)	<\$5,000	Grant Funds Per-Pupil
16	Design expeditionary learning events/outings that encompass social- emotional needs of all students (SW6)	<\$5,000	Per-Pupil Grant Funds

	HEADLINE		
	Description		
	Key Actions	Estimated Funding Amount	Funding Source
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# **ASSURANCES**

**SW 1:** The school's Comprehensive Academic Plan is based on a comprehensive needs assessment of the entire school that takes into account information on the academic achievement of children in relation to the challenging state academic standards, particularly the needs of those children who are failing, or are at-risk of failing to meet the challenging academic standards.

## Page 1 Other: Submitted Comprehensive Needs Assessment (CNA)

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**SW 2:** The school's Comprehensive Academic Plan is developed with the involvement of parents and other members of the community to be served and individuals who will carry out such plan, including teachers, principals, other school leaders, paraprofessionals, complex area staff, to the extent feasible, and if appropriate, specialized instructional support personnel, technical assistance providers, school staff, if the plan relates to a secondary school, students, and other individuals as determined by the school.

#### Page 1 List of Stakeholders

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**SW 3:** The school's Comprehensive Academic Plan and its implementation shall be regularly monitored and revised as necessary based on student needs to ensure that all students are provided opportunities to meet the challenging state academic standards.

#### Page 2 Other: Implementation Plan

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**SW 4:** The school's Comprehensive Academic Plan is available to the Hawaii Department of Education, parents, and the public, and the information contained in such plan is in an understandable and uniform format and, to the extent practicable, provided in a language that the parents can understand.

#### Page 1 Other: On Website

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**SW 5:** If appropriate and applicable, the Comprehensive Academic Plan is developed in coordination and integration with other federal, state, and local services, resources, and programs (e.g., programs supported under this Act, violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start programs, adult education programs, career and technical education programs, and schools implementing comprehensive support and improvement activities or targeted support and improvement

## Page 2 Other: Contributors - Planning Team

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**SW 6:** The Comprehensive Academic Plan includes a description of the strategies that the school will be implementing to address school needs, including a description of how such strategies will—

- (i) provide opportunities for all children, including each of the subgroups of students (i.e. economically disadvantaged, major racial and ethnic groups, children with disabilities, English learners) to meet the challenging State academic standards;
- (ii) use methods and instructional strategies that strengthen the academic program in the school, increase the amount and quality of learning time, and help provide an enriched and accelerated curriculum, which may include programs, activities, and courses necessary to provide a well-rounded education; and
- (iii) address the needs of all children in the school, but particularly the needs of those at risk of not meeting the challenging State academic standards, through activities which may include—
- (I) counseling, school-based mental health programs, specialized instructional support services, mentoring services, and other strategies to improve students' skills outside the academic subject areas;
- (II) preparation for and awareness of opportunities for postsecondary education and the workforce, which may include career and technical education programs and broadening secondary school students' access to coursework to earn postsecondary credit while still in high school (such as Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, dual or concurrent enrollment, or early college high schools);
- (III) implementation of a schoolwide tiered model to prevent and address problem behavior, and early intervening services, coordinated with similar activities and services carried out under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. 1400 et seq.);
- (IV) professional development and other activities for teachers, paraprofessionals, and other school personnel to improve instruction and use of data from academic assessments, and to recruit and retain effective teachers, particularly in high-need subjects; and

Page 2 Other: Implementation Plan LINKS

I certify that I have reviewed and the information reported herein is correct:

By signing below and submitting your plan, you are acknowledging that you understand and agree to the assurances above.

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Governing Board Chair: Romeo Garcia

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# **List of Stakeholders**

The school's Academic Plan is developed with a variety of stakeholders. Our planning team included parents, members of the community, and individuals who will implement and monitor the plan such as teachers, school leaders, paraprofessionals, and other school staff determined by the school. Schools with a high school division should include a student on the

	Staff	Position
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