

Principal's Message:

Dear Parents & Friends,

Our commitment toward ensuring that all students graduate prepared for college and career is unwavering. We are pleased to share that the Early College High School partnership with Kauai Community College is proving to be very successful as students are truly benefitting from rigorous and accelerated academic offerings. Early College offers a great head start in preparing students for their future.

Over the coming years, we will expand the course offerings and ask that you support your child in taking advantage of this great learning opportunity

Aloha for your continued support!

Testimonial from EC students....

“Early College has been a huge help with motivating me to use my skill set to have the most successful future possible” –Jade, Grade 10

“Early College helped me prepare for my future” –Dhymiere, Grade 11

“If you’re thinking about going to college, Early College will highly benefit you” –Paul, Grade 12

“Early College gives me insight on how college classes are taught” –Nick, Grade 12

“Early College is really informative and helpful to prepare for college” –Wyatt, Grade 12

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It is the policy of Kapaa High School not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, handicap or age in its employment practices as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. as

**Kapaa High School
Early College High School
Program**

In partnership with
Kaua'i Community College



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What is Kapaa High School Early College High School Program?

Kapaa High School Early College High School (ECHS) Program is a collaborative partnership with Kauai Community College. This program enables students to earn both a high school diploma and credits towards a certificate or an associate's degree – at no cost to the students and their families.

The intent of Kapaa High school ECHS program is to make college accessible to students who are capable of thriving in a college setting, but are traditionally underrepresented in postsecondary education. The curriculum is accelerated, college-level and rigorous; however students are provided with the academic and social/emotional support necessary to be successful.

In this program, instructors from Kauai Community College teach college courses on Kapaa High School campus, eliminating the barrier of transportation ECHS students are allowed to continue participation in high school activities (sports, clubs, prom, etc.); however, time conflicts may need to be addressed depending on when ECHS college courses and services are offered.

Why is it important to attend college?

- By 2018, 65% of jobs in Hawaii will require a career certificate or a college education.
- People with a 2-year or 4-year degree can earn up to \$1 million more over a lifetime than someone without a college degree
- Participation in college-level coursework during high school can increase students' exposure and aspirations to success after high school.

What are the benefits of Kapaa High School ECHS Program?

Participating students can....

- Earn college credits for free- tuition, fees, and books are covered in this program.
- Save time and money- earn free college credits and a high school diploma simultaneously.
- Get a head start in earning a career certificate or a college education that will help them attain a living wage job.
- Enroll in college courses that are taught on Kapaa High School campus with a High school teacher and college instructor.
- Access Kauai Community College facilities, resources, and services- just as regular college students do.

2017-18 Classes

Fall 2017 (classes are closed)

Math 103: College Algebra

Math 205: Calculus I

Psychology 100: Survey of Psychology

Art 101: Intro. To the Visual Arts

Spring 2018 (registration will start in Nov.)

Math 140X: PreCalculus

Math 206: Calculus II

Physics 151 & 151L: College Physics I

English 100: Composition I

Business 120: Principles of Business

Horticulture 200: Intro. To Horticulture

How can students participate?

In order to gain entry into the ECHS program, students are required to do the following:

- You must sign up with counselors (Early College & Grade Level)
- Attend counselors meeting (Fall=April, Spring=Nov)
- Complete the UH System Application /Dual Credit Application (Turn in to Dr. Boiser)
- Turn in a copy of a TB clearance of a TB test taken within one year of the first day of class (Turn in copy to Dr. Boiser)
- Provide an immunization record showing the MMR vaccine (Turn in copy to Dr. Boiser)
- Take the Accuplacer placement test for entry into certain classes (signup with Dr. Boiser)

Some classes have additional prerequisites. For more details, contact Dr. Boiser at Kapaa High, Room A9D or EMAIL: boiser@notes.k12.hi.us

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