

# West Hawai'i Explorations Academy



## Mission:

To provide learning opportunities through integrative, hands-on, self-selected projects related to authentic, real world problems.

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**Director:** Curtis Muraoka & Heather Nakakura  
(co-directors)

**Year authorized:** 2000

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**Region:** West Hawaii

**DOE Complex:** Kealakehe Complex

**Total enrollment:** 286

**Grades:** 6-12

Elementary: -

Middle: 6-8

High: 9-12

**WASC accredited:** Yes, through 6/30/17

**Title I eligible:** Yes

**High needs populations:**

School

**SPED:** 8.4%

**FRL:** 43.2%

**ELL:** 0.2%

Statewide

**SPED:** 9.7%

**FRL:** 50.6%

**ELL:** 6.2%

## Academic Performance – School Year 2015-2016

### Academic Performance Framework (APF)

Hawaii State Public Charter School Commission

Weighted API Score (APF weight: 100%)	School-Specific Measure (APF weight: 0%)	APF Score (0-400 points)
<b>192</b>	<b>N/A</b>	<b>192</b>

	Elem	Middle	High
<b>Division API</b>	-	<b>159</b>	<b>217</b>
Enrollment	-	121	165
Weight	-	42%	58%

### Acronyms

DOE = Hawaii Department of Education

API = Academic performance index

SPED = Special education students

FRL = Students eligible for free and reduced-price lunch

ELL = English language learners

WASC = Western Association of Schools and Colleges

### Strive HI Performance System

Hawaii Department of Education

Strive HI Classification
<b>Continuous Improvement</b>

### Strive HI Steps



Automatic Classification Trigger
<b>Exited Focus</b>

### Financial Performance – School Year 2015-2016

Financial Performance Indicators	SY 2015-2016	Target/Standard
1. Current Ratio	6.23	1.1 or higher
2. Unrestricted Days Cash on Hand	160.73 days	60 days or more; 30 to 60 days AND positive trend from SY 2014-2015 to SY 2015-2016
3. Enrollment Variance	104.1%	95% or higher
4. Total Margin	10%	0% or higher
5. Debt to Assets Ratio	6%	50% or less
6. Cash Flow	(\$117,830)	\$0.00 or more
7. Unrestricted Fund Balance Percentage	125.0%	25% or higher
8. Change in Total Fund Balance	\$221,725	\$0.00 or more
<b>Annual Overall Rating</b>	<b>Meets Standard</b>	

### Organizational Performance – School Year 2015-2016

Organizational Performance Indicators	SY 2015-2016	Target/Standard
1. On-time completion rate for Epicenter tasks	96%	70% or higher
2. Number of Notices of Deficiency	0	1 or fewer
3. Number of incidents of non-compliance with governing board meeting requirements, as set forth in Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), Section 302D-12(h)	0	2 or fewer
4. Number of incidents of non-compliance with school policy requirements, as set forth in the Charter Contract, Section 11.4.1	0	1 or fewer
5. Number of Compliance Review tasks not completed satisfactorily	0	1 or fewer
<b>Annual Overall Rating</b>	<b>Meets Standard</b>	

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