



Princess Ruth Ke'elikolani Middle School

Fall 2021 Dashboard

OUR PROMISE

Ke'elikolani Middle School has a very caring staff who is determined to ensure your students' highest education possible. We believe in developing a coherent and systematic approach to teaching and learning. Our collaborative teams provide enriching experiences that will prepare students for high school, college and life. Our ultimate goal is to prepare our students so that they are successful in life regardless of what path they choose. Our Bulldog 'Ohana is committed to preparing our students to be faithful, resilient, and trustworthy as we work toward the vision of Princess Ruth Ke'elikolani. Our students will be successful academically, socially and emotionally so they are ready to be successful citizens in the 21st century.



DEMOGRAPHICS

VISION

'Onipa'a:
Faithful;
Resilient;
Trustworthy

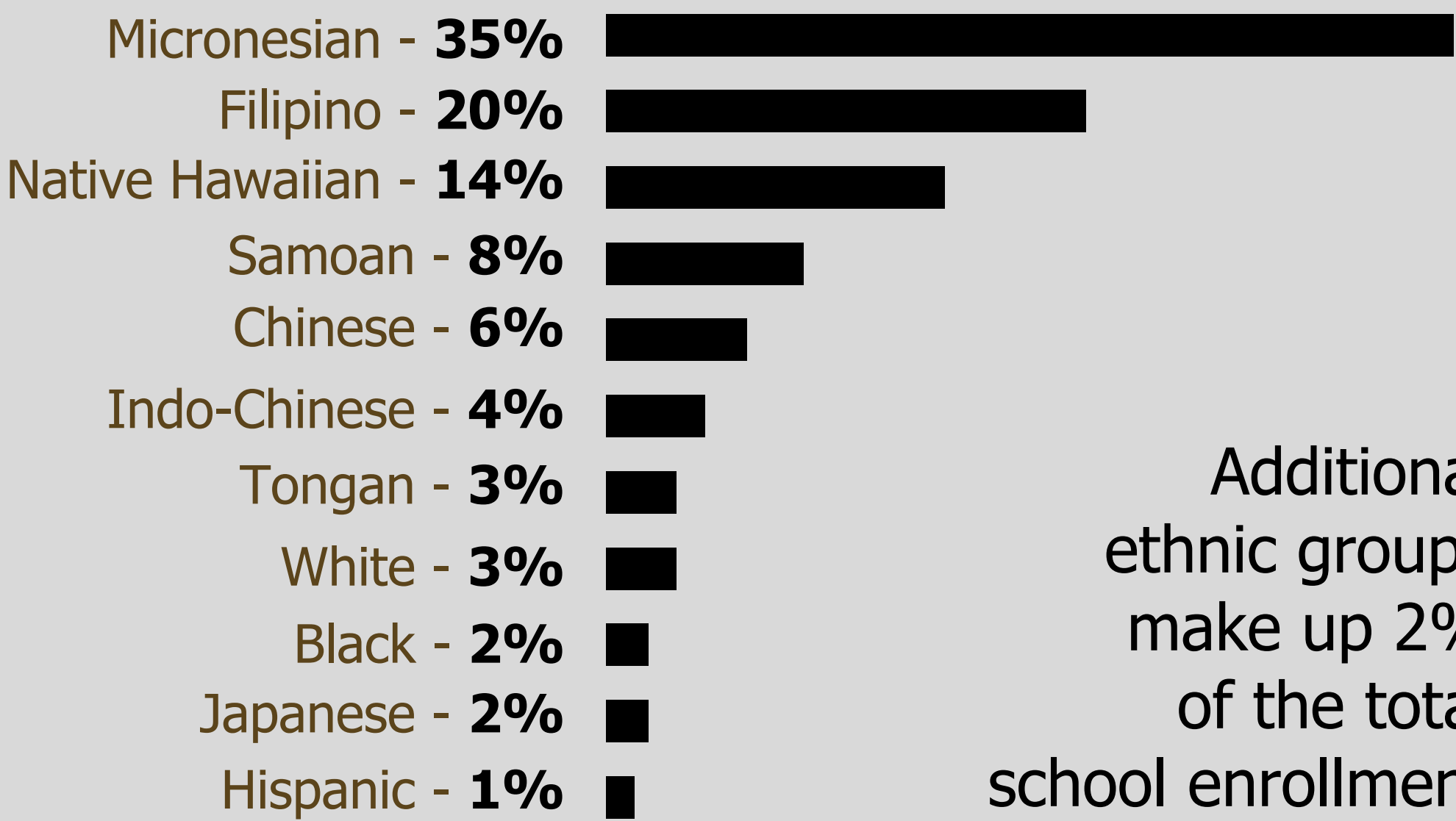
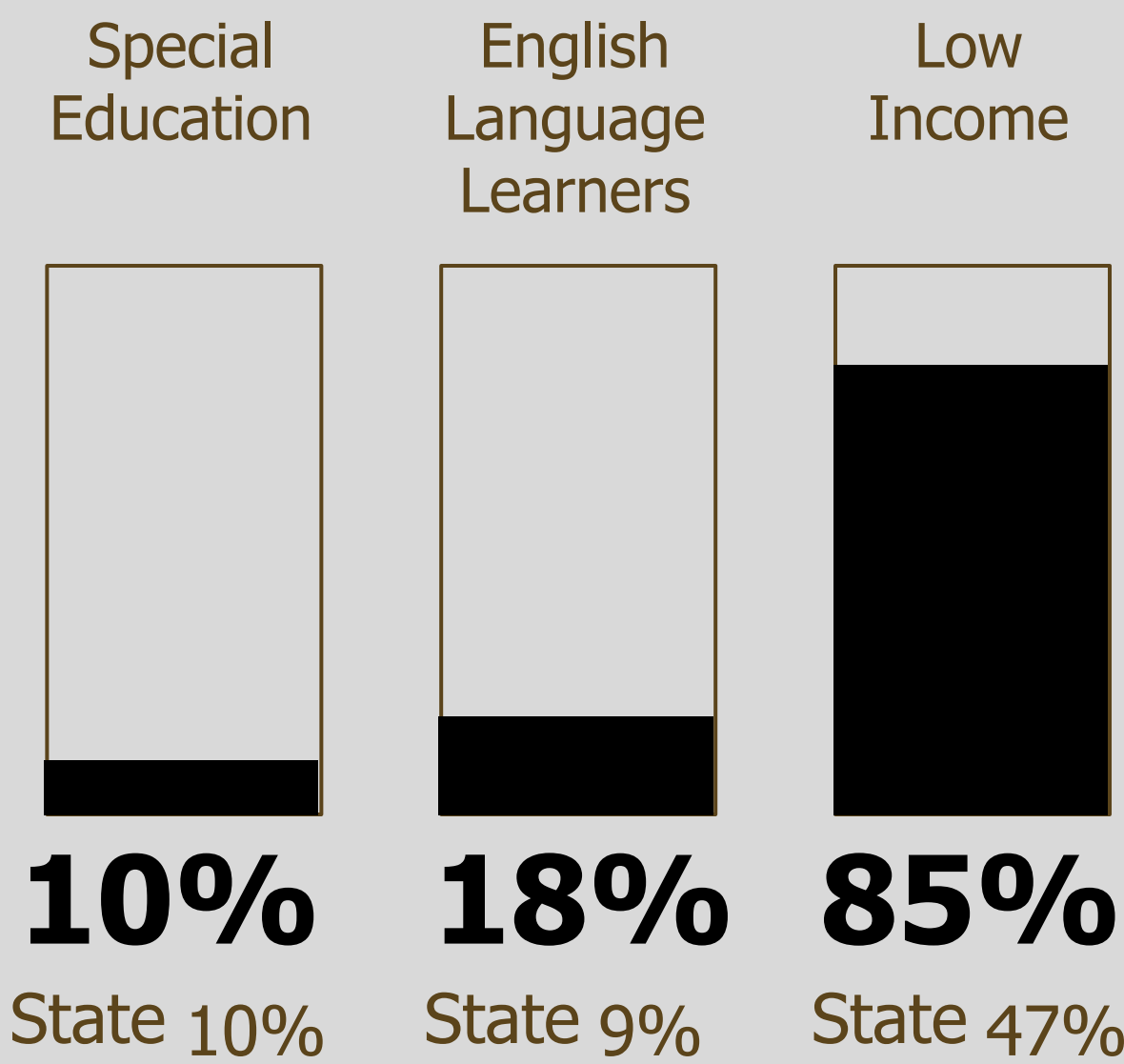
321 Students

6th
72

7th
99

8th
105

45 additional
students were
enrolled in Special
Education programs



Additional
ethnic groups
make up 2%
of the total
school enrollment



TEACHER RETENTION

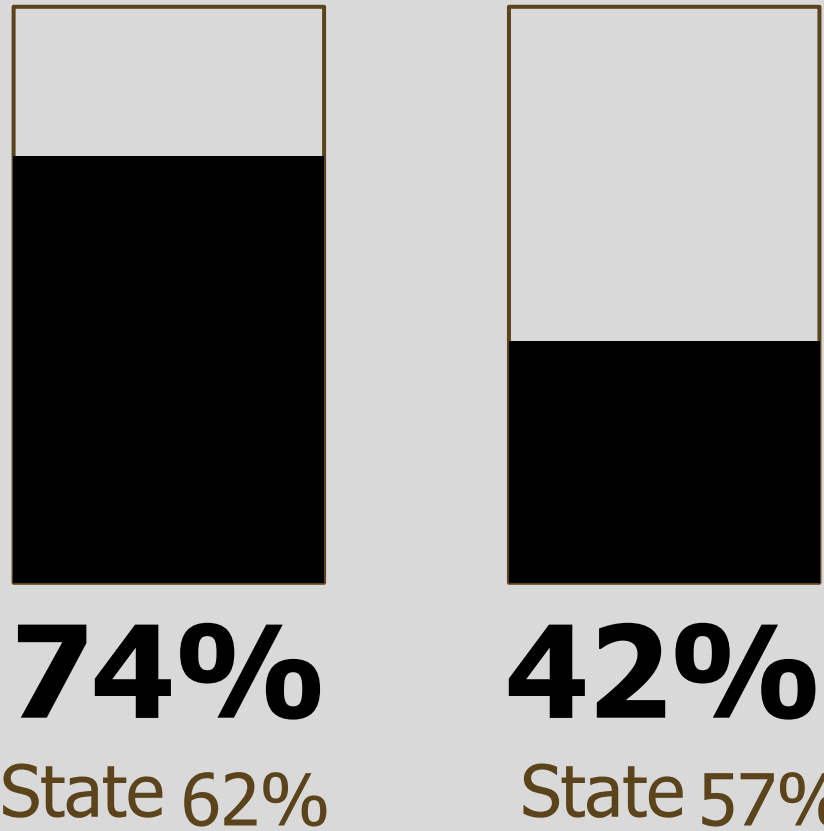
DATA LEGEND

Scores that
improved have
a green star

Scores higher
than the
State average
have a green plus



**Teachers working at the
same school 5 or more years**



Our teachers are committed to giving our
students a high quality education.



Retaining teachers
at our school helps
to provide a
consistent and
stable learning
environment.

OUR OPPORTUNITIES

Through dedication to research-based practices, Ke'elikōlani Middle School staff believe that in order for a young adolescent to become a fully functioning, self-actualized person, they need to be exposed to programs that offer abundant and meaningful learning to help them grow and develop the necessary skills and knowledge to be successful. Our unwavering commitment to delivering a strong academic program, complemented by real-world enrichment classes, and a robust afterschool program, ensures every student has access to an education that is developmentally responsive, challenging, empowering, and equitable.



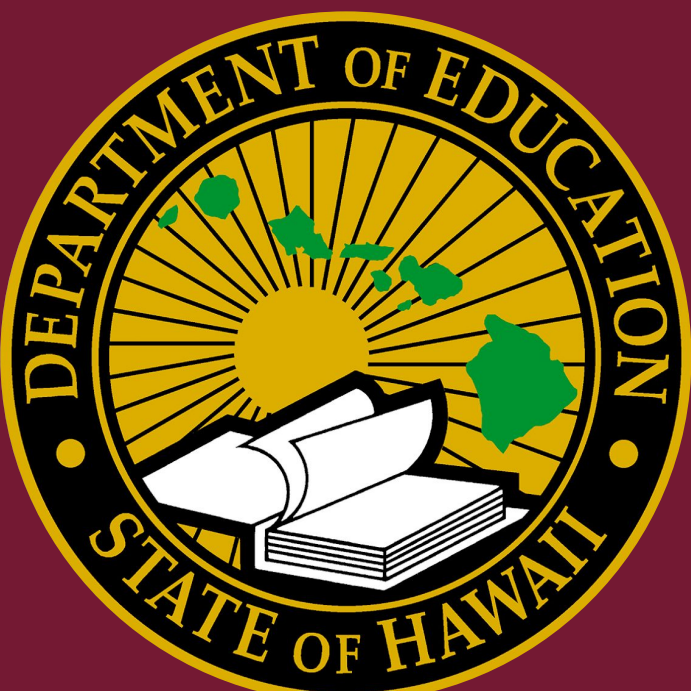
SCHOOL ENGAGEMENT

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Ke'elikōlani Middle School students appear to be more satisfied with their classroom experience than others in the state, with 3 out of 4 students reporting a positive classroom climate.

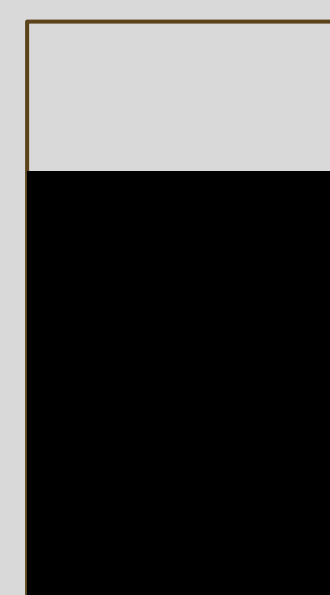


Students who attend school regularly are more likely to read proficiently and do well in school.



Positive Classroom Environment reported on the Panorama Survey

2019



73%
State 71%



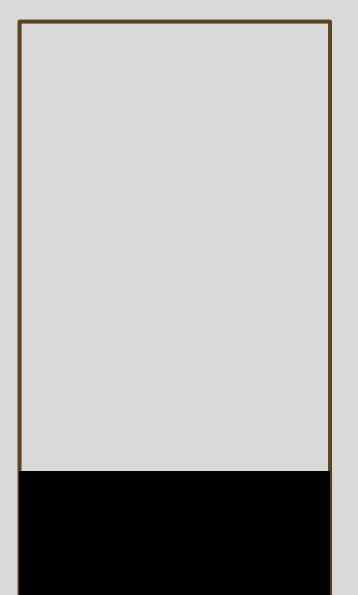
Students who were chronically absent

2016

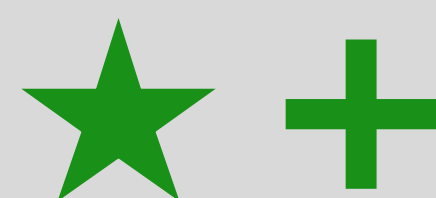


26%
State 19%

2020



24%
State 19%



Change in number of suspensions 2016 to 2020



-75%
State -2%

Suspensions decreased from 72 in 2015-2016 to 18 in 2019-2020, an indicator of improved school climate.



Students at Princess Ruth Ke'elikōlani Middle School can participate in many activities, including 5 after school intramural sports and STEM through the aquaponics system.

Additional reports and data are available by clicking the logos above

Note: 2019 was the first year that this Panorama Student Survey was used in the State



ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

ABOUT THIS DASHBOARD

This Dashboard was prepared with the most recently available information at the time it was published.

Comparisons to previous years and to State data are included for context.

School years are written using the calendar year when that school year ends, eg. “2019” is for the 2018-2019 school year

Student achievement scores are based on Smarter Balanced Assessment (SBA) for students in grade 11 for Language Arts and Math. The science test is taken at the end of the high school Biology course, not a particular grade level.

For more information, visit our [Complex Area website](#) or the [Hawai'i Department of Education \(HIDOE\)](#).

Data sources include:

- [Accountability Resource Center Hawai'i \(ARCH\)](#)
- [Hawai'i Longitudinal Data System](#)
- [Panorama student survey](#)
- [Strategic Plan Dynamic Report](#)
- [Strive HI reports](#)
- [P20 Data Partnership](#)
- [Other local Complex Area data](#)

Last Updated:
September 20, 2021

Students who met or exceeded State Academic Standards

2019 test scores for our school are shown below with comparisons to 2016 test scores

Language Arts **29%** ★

State 52%

Math **14%** ★

State 39%

Science **12%** ★

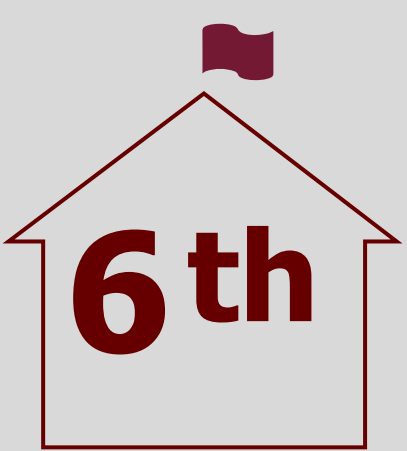
State 44%

Language Arts increased 3% at CMS and 3% in HI

Math increased 1% at CMS and remained the same in HI

Science increased 1% at CMS and 2% in HI

In 6th grade, we improved most in Language Arts between 2016 & 2019



Language Arts **21%** ★

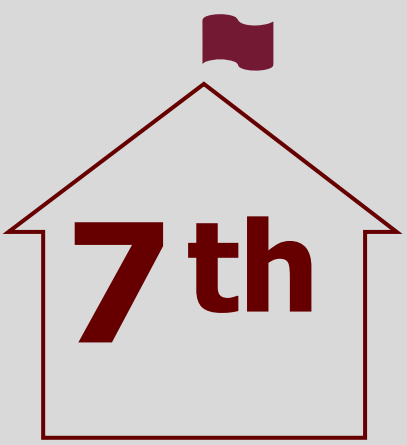
State 53%

Math **10%**

State 41%



In 7th grade, we improved most in Language Arts between 2016 & 2019



Language Arts **34%** ★

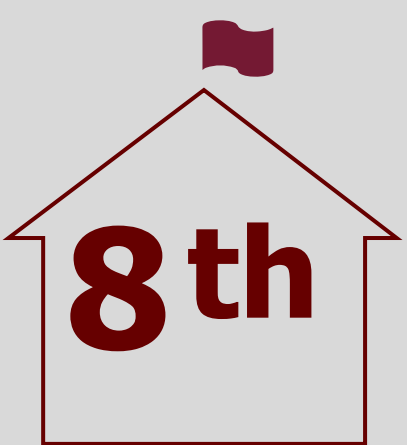
State 53%

Math **13%**

State 38%



In 8th grade, we improved most in Language Arts between 2016 & 2019



Language Arts **34%** ★

State 52%

Math **18%** ★

State 38%

Science **12%** ★

State 44%



OUR OUTCOMES

At Ke'elikōlani Middle, educators believe the key to high academic achievement is through the implementation of evidence-based instructional practices in the classroom with fidelity, strong relationships between and among all of our stakeholders, rigor and relevance in the curriculum and instruction, and a plethora of learning opportunities to prepare students for high school, college, career and life. The improvements in student achievement, attendance, and behavior shown in this Dashboard highlights the success of that focused work.



READINESS FOR THE FUTURE

WE BELIEVE

We believe in making real world connections to all our students to have ownership of their learning and demonstrate social responsibility.

We believe a shared vision by all will result in student success.

We believe a well-structured school will foster committed, courageous, and collaborative leaders.

We believe that by understanding the needs of our students, we can develop a challenging academic program.

We believe we can inspire students by being a positive role model.

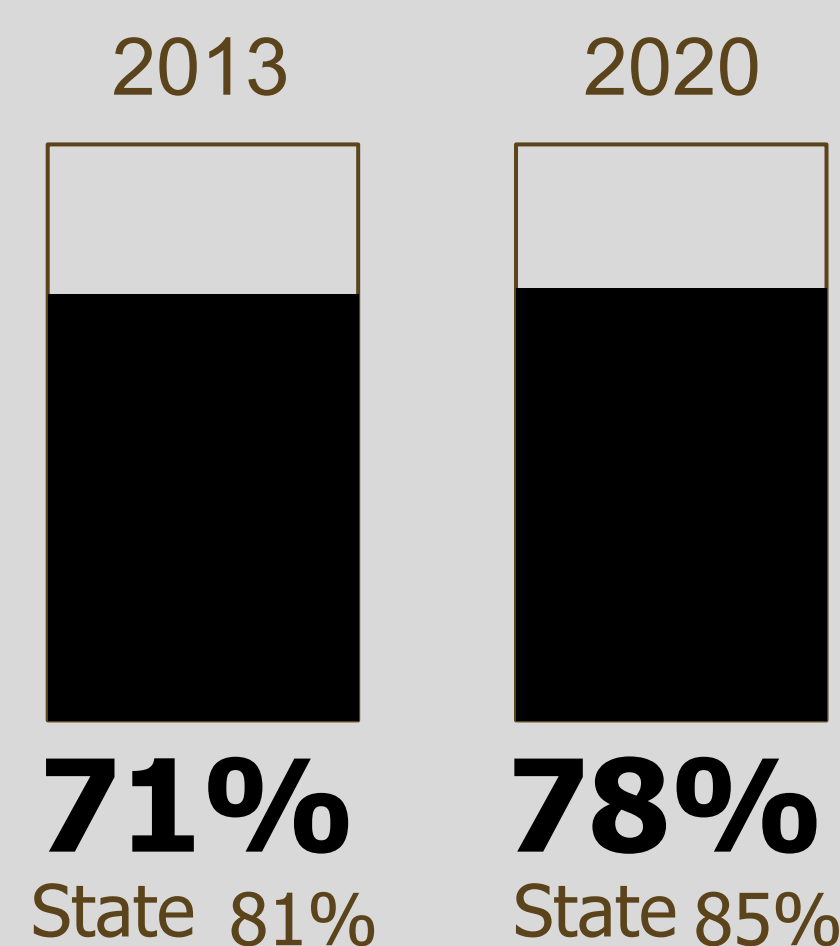
Around 1 in 5 of our students complete middle school on grade level in English and math



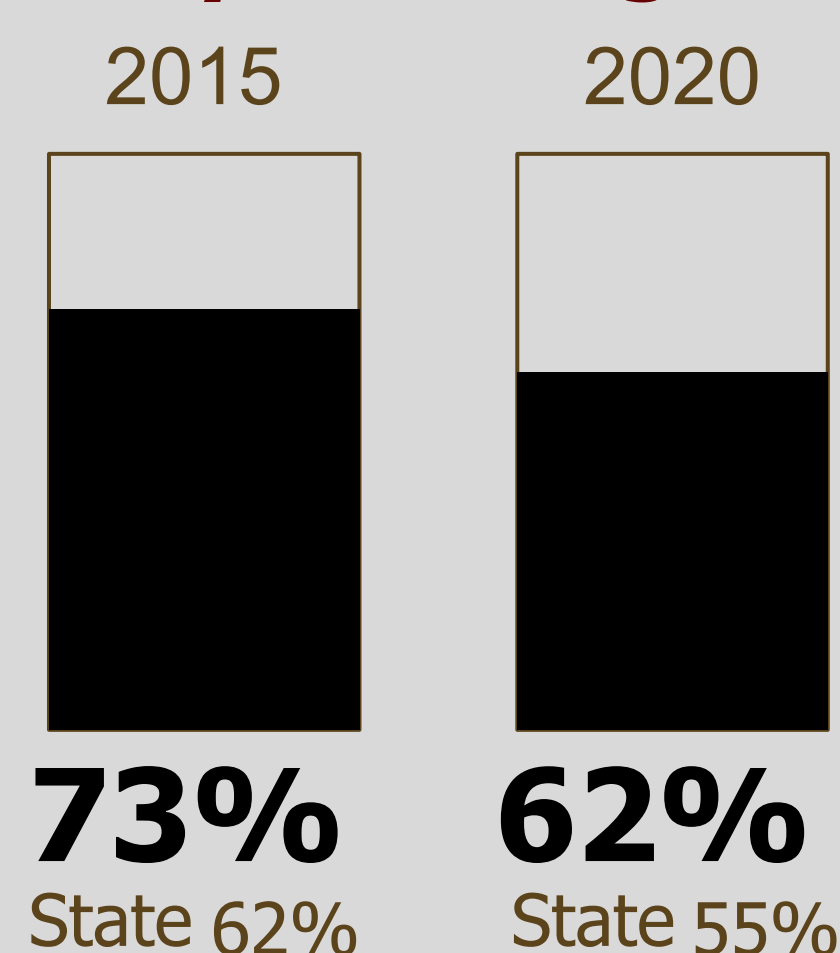
Most Ke'elikōlani Middle School students go on to attend McKinley High School

OUTCOMES FOR MCKINLEY HIGH

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MHS students who graduated from high school on-time



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MHS Graduates who enrolled in 2 or 4 year college



In the past 5 years, MHS graduates have gone on to attend 105 colleges and universities in 30 different states and Japan.





ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

MISSION

We, the Ke'elikōlani Middle School Ohana, are dedicated to nurture, inspire, and empower all students to be resilient learners.

Inspired by our vision, 'Onipa'a (resilient, faithful, trustworthy), and humbled by our connection to the rich Hawaiian history of Princess Ruth Luka Ke'elikōlani, the Ke'elikōlani Middle School Ohana is committed to nurturing, empowering, and inspiring our students to become resilient learners.



ALMA MATER

"Maroon and Gray"

words and music by Glenda Horner

*Near the heart of Honolulu
Where our palace proudly stands
We will echo to our ali'i
Ke a'o 'ana a mau loa
Here the hearts of many Bulldogs
We play and study hand in hand
May our hearts be ever true
To Ke'elikōlani Middle School.*

*Maroon and gray, maroon and gray
May we always be a place for learning.*

*Hear the voices of our people
As we stand so proud and true
May our hearts be ever loyal
Hail! Ke'elikōlani Middle School.*

Learn more about our school history and watch our Nā Ali'i video



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**Learn more about Ke'elikōlani Middle School
by visiting our school website**

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