



# Ke Kula 'o Samuel M. Kamakau

Laboratory Public Charter School

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Dear Parents,

Our school is dedicated to helping students succeed. We have high expectations for our students in line with federal No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act standards.

Annually, the Hawaii Department of Education (Department) releases a report on the "Adequate Yearly Progress" (AYP) that schools make towards achieving proficiency for students under NCLB. The SY 2010-2011 AYP report is scheduled for release mid-July 2011 and will be available on the Department's website <http://www.doe.k12.hi.us/> the following day.

The Department also places schools in a specific "NCLB status" category depending on how many years each school has made or not made progress. Should our school not make AYP, our school will be or may be in the following NCLB status category for School Year 2011-2012.


- School Improvement Year 1
- School Improvement Year 2
- Corrective Action
- Planning For Restructuring
- Restructuring

We are committed to achieving our goal of success for every student. For more information regarding AYP, what we are doing to help students achieve, and what we can offer you and your child, please see the questions and answers on the following pages.

Me ka ha'aha'a,



Ivy K. Kelling  
Hope Kahu



Phyllis K. Waiau  
Hope Kahu

All Title I schools need to include:

**Attachments: A – E**

All Non-Title I schools need to include:

**Attachment: A**

E mālama 'ia ana ka mauli oia o kākou mai kēlā hanauna a i kēia hanauna.

Our spirit of being is nurtured from generation to generation.