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July 10, 2020

Dear Parents, Guardians and Students,

I hope this letter finds everyone in good health and good spirits. Please know Waipahu Intermediate School has been hard at work coming up with an opening school plan for school year 2020 – 2021 with the understanding that optimal learning takes place when students and teachers have as much interaction as possible. We also know it is critical that the health and safety of our students, faculty and staff, and the greater community is of utmost importance when developing a plan.

The Superintendent has released several options for school schedules for School Year 2020 - 2021. It was also determined by the Hawaii Department of Education the first 9 days will be half days. Waipahu Intermediate School has chosen to follow Model C and will be having students come according to this model for the first week of school from August 4, 2020 - August 7, 2020. The Schedule for August 4, 2020 - August 7, 2020 will be as follows:

- August 4, 2020 8th Grade: 8th graders only - Last name alphas A-J
- August 5, 2020 8th Grade: 8th graders only - Last name alphas K-Z
- August 6, 2020 7th Grade: 7th graders only - Last name alphas A-K
- August 7, 2020 7th Grade: 7th graders only - Last name alphas L-Z

Bell Schedule for August 4 to August 7, 2020:

8:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Advisory
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	Break
10:30 AM - 12:25 PM	Advisory
12:25 PM - 12:55 PM	Lunch - Grab and Go

Classroom Instruction will end at 12:25 PM at which time students will have the option to eat lunch or go home.

From August 10, 2020 to August 14, 2020 students will be coming to school by alphabetical order by last name. (Red and Gold).

**Red Track:**

- 7th graders with last name alphas A-K
- 8th graders with last name alphas A-J

**Gold Track:**

- 7th graders with last name alphas L-Z
- 8th graders with last name alphas K-Z

-August 10, 2020	Red Track
-August 11, 2020	Gold Track
-August 12, 2020	Red Track
-August 13, 2020	Gold Track
-August 14, 2020	Red Track

Bell Schedule for August 10 to August 13, 2020.

8:00 AM - 10:15 AM	Advisory
10:15 AM - 10:30 AM	Break
10:30 AM - 12:25 PM	Advisory
12:25 PM - 12:55 PM	Lunch Grab and Go

School Instruction ends at 12:25 PM at which time students will have the option to eat lunch on campus or not.

On August 14, 2020 regular classroom rotation of classes will begin.

August 14, 2020 Schedule

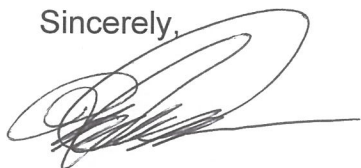
Time	Minutes	Friday
7:55 - 8:00	5	Passing
8:00 - 8:40	40	Class 1
8:40 - 8:45	5	Passing
8:45 - 9:25	40	Class 2
9:25 - 9:30	5	Passing
9:30 - 10:10	40	Class 3
10:10 - 10:25	15	Break
10:25 - 10:30	5	Passing
10:30 - 11:05	35	Class 4
11:05 - 11:10	5	Passing
11:10 - 11:45	35	Class 5
11:45 - 11:50	5	Passing
11:50 - 12:25	35	Class 6
12:25 - 12:55	30	Lunch/Grab and Go

Classroom instruction will end at 12:25 PM at which time students will have the option to eat lunch on campus or go home.

Please understand that the schedule is subject to change given updated situations that arise because of COVID - 19 in Hawaii. Waipahu Intermediate School will follow the guidance from the Center for Disease Control (CDC), Hawaii Department of Health and the Hawaii Department of Education. We at Waipahu Intermediate School will continue to focus on safety as a priority and we will make every effort to make things as least intrusive to everyone as possible and implement what makes the most sense to the school community at large.

A school handbook with further details regarding our plan will be posted shortly. Please check our school website for updated information regularly. <https://www.waipahuintermediate.org/>

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Randell Dunn', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Randell Dunn  
Principal  
Waipahu Intermediate School