



# HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE: 2019-2020

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## COMMUNITY AND HISTORY

Haleakalā Waldorf School is a K-12 private school located in Makawao, Hawai'i. A Maui-based learning community, HWS is located on two campuses: the Kealahou Campus in Kula for early childhood education through 8th grade, and the Kaluanui Campus at the Hui No'eau Visual Arts Center in Makawao for 9-12th grade students. Students come from the surrounding rural communities of Ha'iku, Pa'ia, Makawao, Kula, and Pukalani, as well as from the more suburban communities of Kihei, Wailuku, and Kahului. Our diverse student body reflects our small island community culturally and ethnically, as well as socio-economically.

In the fall of 2013, HWS expanded to include a high school, opening its doors with 23 students through the 9th and 10th grades. Currently, there are 45 students in grades 9-12. This academic school year marks our seventh year in existence and our fifth graduating class.

Waldorf education is the world's largest private non-sectarian movement. At its core, it fosters in each student the capacity for moral and critical thinking. Its interdisciplinary approach cultivates a lifelong love of learning. The Haleakalā Waldorf School offers a rigorous academic and arts-infused curriculum, K - 12, designed to educate the entire human being: mind, body, and heart. Waldorf graduates consistently demonstrate a high level of active engagement and achievement in their communities and in the post-secondary programs of study they enter. Waldorf graduates earn credits which exceed the minimum requirements for college admissions.

## ACCREDITATION

Haleakalā Waldorf School is fully accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC), Hawaii Association of Independent Schools (HAIS), and by the Association of Waldorf Schools of North America (AWSNA), of which it is a full member.

## EXPLANATION OF CREDITS

The Haleakalā Waldorf School uses a mixed term schedule. The Carnegie unit is used as a basis for the course credit assignments; 1 credit = 1 unit year of coursework.

Credits are awarded as follows:

Main Lessons (3-week blocks) = .25 credit

Quarter Courses (5 periods/week) = .25 credit

Semester Courses (FL, Math) = .50 credit

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English	4.0 credits
Mathematics	3.0 credits
U.S. History	1.0 credit
Hawaiian History	0.5 credit
Civics/Government	0.5 credit
World History	2.0 credits
Science	3.0 credits
Foreign Language	2.0 credits
Performing & Fine Arts	3.0 credits
Physical Education	1.5 credits
Health	0.5 credit
Electives	3.5 credits
Senior Project	0.5 credit
<b>Total required credits</b>	<b>25 credits</b>

## GRADING SYSTEM AND CLASS RANKING

Letter Grade	Percent Range	Grade Points	*Honors GP
A+	97-100+	4.3	4.6
A	93-96	4.0	4.3
A-	90-92	3.7	4.0
B+	87-89	3.3	3.7
B	83-86	3.0	3.3
B-	80-82	2.7	3.0
C+	77-79	2.3	2.7
C	73-76	2.0	2.3
C-	70-72	1.7	2.0
D+	67-69	1.3	0.0
D	63-66	1.0	0.0
D-	60-62	0.7	0.0
F	Below 60	0.0	0.0
I	Incomplete	0.0	0.0

Haleakalā Waldorf HS values the individual academic progress and determination of each student. Therefore, we do not rank our students.

### Honors

Haleakalā Waldorf HS offers a unique honors program beginning in the sophomore year. Any academic class is eligible for honors credit. Each honors course is a combination of proposals by the teacher and student. In most courses, students propose an additional area of study outside the original parameters of the class. This proposal and its execution are unique to each class and student.

### TEST SCORES 2018-2019

#### SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST

	<u>Range</u>	<u>Mean</u>
ERW	520 - 780	601
Math	490 - 680	550
Total score	1010 - 1460	1149

### COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES 2015-2019

#### *\*Matriculations*

Arizona State University\*  
Averett University  
Becker College  
Bennington College  
California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo  
California State Polytechnic University, Pomona  
California State University, Long Beach  
California State University, Monterey Bay  
Champlain College  
Chapman University  
Colorado College\*  
Colorado Mesa University  
Colorado State University  
Columbia College Chicago  
Concordia University Irvine\*  
Emory University\*  
Fairfield University  
Florida Institute of Technology  
Fort Lewis College\*  
Hampshire College  
Humboldt State University  
Iona College  
Lewis & Clark College\*  
Loyola Marymount University\*  
Marist College\*  
Menlo College  
Metropolitan State University of Denver\*  
Mills College  
Montana State University-Bozeman

Mount Holyoke College  
Nebraska Wesleyan University\*  
New Mexico State University  
Northeastern University  
Northern Arizona University\*  
Pace University  
Pitzer College\*  
Portland State University  
Quest University  
Quinnipiac University  
Reed College  
Regis University  
Rocky Mountain College\*  
Saint Mary's College of California  
San Diego State University  
San Francisco State University  
San Jose State University  
Santa Barbara City College  
Santa Clara University  
Santa Monica College\*  
Savannah College of Art and Design\*  
Simmons College  
Smith College\*  
Snow College  
Southern Oregon University  
Syracuse University  
The Evergreen State College\*  
The University of Arizona  
United States Naval Academy\*  
University of California, San Diego  
University of California, Merced  
University of Colorado Boulder\*  
University of Colorado Denver  
University of Colorado, Colorado Springs  
University of Denver  
University of Hawai'i at Hilo\*  
University of Hawai'i at Manoa\*  
University of Hawai'i Maui College\*  
University of Montana Western  
University of New Mexico  
University of Oregon  
University of Otago\*  
University of Portland\*  
University of San Diego  
University of San Francisco\*  
University of St. Andrews  
University of Utah  
University of Victoria\*  
Washington State University  
Western Washington University  
Willamette University  
Woodbury University