

**GENERAL TECHNOLOGY (GT) IMPROVEMENT CLASSES**

The General Technology improvement classes focus on improving the math and reading skills of active military personnel in all military branches.

Class	Site	Days/Date/Times/Hours
Basic Skills – Math/Eng	Distance Learning	Register online and a WCSA personnel will contact you with details.

**PARAPROFESSIONAL ASSESSMENT**

Assessment	Campus	Day	Date	Time	Fees
ParaPro Test	Wahiawa		Call for appointment		\$75 Cash only

**SUBSTITUTE TEACHER CERTIFICATION COURSES**

Course	Dates and times of class	Hrs.	Fees
Sub Teacher and Recertification Training	Please call for dates and times of classes and registration deadlines	30 hrs.	\$70 Cash Only

**MAIN CAMPUS DIRECTORY**

Campus	Address		Phone
Waipahu	94-1211 Farrington Hwy.	Waipahu, HI 96797	307-9677
Wahiawa	1515 California Ave.	Wahiawa, HI 96786	305-3200
Windward	730 Iliaina St.	Kailua, HI 96734	307-1455
Hilo	155 West Kawili St. P27	Hilo, HI 96720	974-4100
Kona	74-5062 Onipaa St. F2	Kailua-Kona, HI 96740	313-3032

**ANNUAL NOTIFICATION OF PRIVACY RIGHTS**

Know your privacy rights as they apply to 1) student record information; 2) directory information; 3) surveys and other information collection; and 4) military recruitment information. For more information on your privacy rights, the laws that protect them, and how to exercise your rights, contact your school administrator or visit <http://bit.ly/FERPAHI>.

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Inquiries concerning discrimination and/or harassment may also be referred to the Office for Civil Rights, United States Department of Education.



If you are an individual with a disability, please contact your campus to make arrangements for accessibility **at least 10 working days** prior to the start of classes. Reasonable efforts will be made to accommodate your request.



# Waipahu Community School for Adults

## Wahiawa Campus

**SPRING 2021 Term 1**

January 21, 2021 – March 4, 2021

Pat Anbe, Principal

**Special note: Due to the COVID-19 situation, the Wahiawa Campus will only offer distance learning courses during our Spring 2021 Term 1 session. Most courses are free during this term. Masks are required on campus.**

**Office Hours Information**

Campus	Days	Times
Wahiawa Campus	Monday - Friday	8:00 am – 3:30 pm

**Registration Information**

Register online at <http://www.wcsahawaii.org>. WCSA personnel will contact you to complete the registration and class assignment process.

**Wahiawa Campus Directory**

Location	Address	Phone
Wahiawa Campus <i>(On the campus of Leilehua HS)</i>	1515 California Avenue Wahiawa, HI 96786	808-305-3200

**Vision**

Where learning never ends!

**School Mission**

Waipahu Community School for Adults will provide learning opportunities for students to improve the quality of their lives as they contribute positively to society.

**Our Website**

<http://www.wcsahawaii.org>

## DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION/SCHOOL POLICIES

- Enrollment is open to all persons 18 years and over, regardless of race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, age, disability, and religion. Be prepared to present photo identification.
- Students ages 16-17 must be officially released from a public high school in the State of Hawaii before admission into academic classes. Call our office for more information
- Unregistered persons, including children, are not allowed in adult classes.
- The consumption of alcohol, illegal substances and the use of tobacco products are prohibited during school functions and on school grounds.
- The school reserves the right to remove from class and school grounds any student or individual exhibiting inappropriate behavior.

## REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

- Registration will initially be conducted online at our website <http://www.wcsahawaii.org>.
- You will receive a call to schedule a placement test (if needed) and/or the class you will be placed in.
- Please bring a valid government-issued photo ID (State I.D., Driver's License, Passport or Military I.D.) with you to on-site registration and testing. For online registration, bring your ID with you to your pre-test assessment session.
- A Social Security number is also required for any HSE, WDDP, ABE and ELA course.
- The administration reserves the right to combine or cancel any class which lacks sufficient enrollment.
- Enrollment fees are NON-REFUNDABLE unless the school cancels the class. Tuition fees vary by course and may be refunded only if a request is made **before the start of the second class or the school cancels the class**. Testing fees are non-refundable. Refunds may take 6-8 weeks.
- Books will be purchased by students at registration. Book fees are non-refundable.

## CASAS PLACEMENT TEST

All new or returning students (after one year of absence) must take a placement test prior to enrolling in any academic, community school diploma or English Language Acquisition course. The placement test will be used to determine which class best fits the student's academic need. Please bring the following items to the assessment test:

- Approved release papers (4140) from your home high school (16 – 17 year olds)
- A valid picture ID with birth date (State I.D., Driver's License, Passport, or Military I.D.).
- Mask

Location	Test Information	Cost
Wahiawa Campus	Register online at <a href="http://www.wcsahawaii.org">wcsahawaii.org</a>	There will be no cost for this term.

## DISTANCE LEARNING

Distance learning classes are available free of charge for this current term. An instructor will conduct virtual sessions and students will work on online courses on their own time. These systems allow you to work at home on your computer, at your own pace. You will have access seven days a week, 24/hours a day. Enroll at the campus of your choice.

Virtual Courses	Days	Date	Time	Fees
HSE, WDDP, ABE, & iCAN	T/Th	1/21 -3/04/2021	6:00 – 9:00 pm	None for this term
ELA	T/Th	1/21 -3/04/2021	AM: 9 – 12/ PM: 6 – 9	

Upon registering online with your campus, you will receive a call and be placed in one of the following courses:

- Essential Ed and PLATO are self-directed online learning systems that will assist you in preparing for various tests like the GED®, HiSET®, Compass, and ASVAB. It also encompasses extensive reading and math skills. It
- BurlingtonEnglish is an online program for the English Language Acquisition course.

## PROGRAMS AND COURSES

### HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY PREPARATION PROGRAM (HSE)

The High School Equivalency Program provides an opportunity for adults to earn a diploma through preparation courses for the GED® or HiSET® Tests. A textbook is available for purchase at each campus. The following requirements are needed to qualify for the diploma:

- A minimum test score must be met by either the GED® or HiSET® Tests:
  - **GED®**: A score of 145 out of 200 will be required on each of the 4 subtests (Reasoning through Language Arts, Mathematical Reasoning, Science and Social Studies).
  - **HiSET®**: A score of 8 out of 20 on 5 subtests (Language Arts – Reading, Language Arts – Writing, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies), 2 out of 6 on the essay and a minimum total score of 45 out of 100.
- Minimum ½ credit from an accredited private/public high school in Hawaii or at one of the Hawaii Community Schools for Adults.
- An official transcript from an accredited Hawaii high or Adult Community school.
- If you are under 18 years of age, you will need to provide additional documentation before being approved to register for the test. Contact our school for more information

### WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT DIPLOMA PROGRAM (WDDP)

The Workforce Development Diploma Program provides an opportunity for adults to gain the knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for employment and/or job training. The Workforce Development Diploma is not a High School Equivalency.

#### Module 1: The Academic Section

Students work in two classes on reading and work skills (active listening and situational judgement).

Students must also:

- attend (online) at least 75% of the total class sessions per class,
- complete assigned tasks for each class,
- complete a total of 120 hours of **combined** on-site classes and computer-based learning, **AND**
- attain a minimum 5-point scale score gain or an Educational Functioning Level gain as measured on the CASAS/TABE pre- and post-tests.

#### Module 2: Career Goals

Students must complete and provide documentation for one of the following choices. The student must:

- be employed or volunteer for a minimum of 100 hours within a two- to six-month period of the start of the program (hours must be with the same organization); **OR**
- complete the iCAN Program requirements; **OR**
- complete a minimum of one credit at an accredited post-secondary institution.

### ADULT BASIC EDUCATION (ABE)

A series of classes designed to help adults build on basic academic skills in reading, writing, and math. Skills learned in ABE classes will help prepare adults for next step in earning a community school diploma.

### ENGLISH LANGUAGE ACQUISITION (ELA)

These classes focus on the development of communication skills in speaking, listening, reading, writing and basic mathematics for foreign-born students.

### INDIVIDUALIZED CAREER ACHIEVEMENT NETWORK (iCAN) CLASS

The iCAN is a college and career transition program. Classes focus on strengthening reading, writing, and mathematics in preparation for post-secondary education and entrance into the workforce.