

# 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Orientation



COLLEGE & CAREER ACADEMIES OF  
PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL

# Welcome!

# Agenda

- Principal's Message
- Overview of Academies
- General School Information
- Academic Supports, Student Activities, Athletics
- Registration Information
- Counseling
- Question & Answer

# Administrators

- Principal: **Joseph Halfmann**
- Vice Principals:
  - **Herman Leong**  
Academy of Technology & Design
  - **Liane Sataraka**  
Academy of International Business & Design
  - **Anna Costin**  
Academy of Culinary Arts, Health Sciences & Leadership
  - **Aaron Chung**, Student Support
  - **Denise Canon**, Student Support

# College & Career Academies of Pearl City High School



## Academy of Culinary Arts, Health Sciences and Leadership

FRESHMAN SEMINAR				INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS CERTIFIED NURSE ASSISTANT, CPR, GOOGLE EDUCATION SUITE, MEDICAL ASSISTANT, OSHA 10, SERVSAFE, SURGICAL INSTRUMENT PROCESSING TECHNICIAN	MAHALO TO OUR INDUSTRY PARTNERS CENTER FOR TOMORROW'S LEADERS HAWAII PACIFIC HEALTH HAWAII STATE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE OUTRIGGER HOTEL AND RESORTS RITZ-CARLTON HOTELS WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA
CULINARY 1	HEALTH SERVICES CORE	HOSPITALITY & TOURISM	EXPLORATIONS IN EDUCATION		
CULINARY 2	CLINICAL HEALTH	HOSPITALITY CAREERS & CUSTOMER SERVICE	EDUCATION (SECONDARY OR ELEMENTARY)		
CAPSTONE					



## Academy of International Business and Design

FRESHMAN SEMINAR					INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS ADOBE ILLUSTRATOR, ADOBE PREMIER, GOOGLE, MICROSOFT	MAHALO TO OUR INDUSTRY PARTNERS AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES FIRST HAWAIIAN BANK HAWAIIAN TELCOM HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE THE QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTER - WEST OAHU
BUSINESS CORE		ARTS & COMMUNICATION CORE				
MARKETING	ACCOUNTING	DIGITAL MEDIA 1	FASHION DESIGN 1	GRAPHIC TECH 1		
ENTREPRENEURSHIP / CAPSTONE		DIGITAL MEDIA 2 / CAPSTONE	FASHION DESIGN 2 / CAPSTONE	GRAPHIC TECH 2 / CAPSTONE		



## Academy of Technology and Design

FRESHMAN SEMINAR					INDUSTRY CERTIFICATIONS AUTOCAD ASSOCIATE, AUTOCAD INVENTOR, COMPTIA, OSHA 10	MAHALO TO OUR INDUSTRY PARTNERS HAWAII CARPENTERS UNION HAWAII TECH SUPPORT HONOLULU COMMUNITY COLLEGE LEEWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE PEARL CITY URBAN GARDEN (CTAHR) STRUCTURAL HAWAII
BUILDING & CONSTR. 1	IET CORE		NATURAL RESOURCES CORE	NETWORK & LAN		
BUILDING & CONSTR. 2	DESIGN TECH 1	ENGINEERING 1	ENVIR. RESOURCE MGMT.	CYBER SECURITY		
CAPSTONE	DESIGN TECH 2 / CAPSTONE	ENGINEERING 2 / CAPSTONE	CAPSTONE			

# Infinite Campus Parent Portal

- Check your student's progress on-line
- Same log-in as Highlands Intermediate 😊

# Geographic Exceptions (GE)

- Submit completed GEs to Highlands Intermediate – they will forward to PCHS
- Deadline to submit is March 1, 2020
- GE decisions should be mailed out no later than April 30, 2020
- If your GE is approved, please call the Registrar's Office to inform us of your intentions ASAP

# Freshman Orientation

- First day of the school year – incoming 9<sup>th</sup> graders only (**August 4, 2020**)
- Meet administration, counselors, teachers
- Review school policies & procedures
- Breakout sessions to promote team building
- Students attend all 7 periods on a very short schedule

# Bus Transportation

- Must reside in the PCHS district – students on GE not eligible for school bus service
- Student must reside 1.5 miles+ from the school to qualify for school bus service
- Applications are available online or at your school
- Submit completed application form to PCHS office
- Do not attach your payment to the application form – payments only accepted after application is approved by PCHS



# Lunch Deposits/Free & Reduced Lunch

- Deposits made in the front office before 8:30 a.m. for use on the same day
- Cash, money order or cashier's checks are accepted; payment receipts are provided for each lunch deposit
- Free & Reduced Lunch application is available on line or in the office - applications must be completed before the middle of September
- One application per household

# ID Badges

- All students must have an ID on them at all times for safety reasons
- IDs used to obtain lunch, check out books and for identification purposes
- Replacement ID cost is \$5.00 each
- IDs can be picked up at the Attendance Office in the administration building
- There will be a day when ID pictures are taken
  - ❖ July 2020 – information will be provided at a later date
  - ❖ Make-up Date(s) – when school resumes

# Attendance Procedures

- Excused absences
  - ❖ Illness
  - ❖ Funeral
  - ❖ Doctor / Dentist Appointment
  - ❖ Family Court
  - ❖ Authorized School Activity
  - ❖ Driver's License Test

# Attendance Procedures (continued)

- Unexcused Absences
  - ❖ Non-School Related Activity
  - ❖ Family Trips
- Procedure When Absent
  - ❖ Parent writes note for student
  - ❖ Student brings note to Attendance Office
  - ❖ Student shows Re-Admit slip to all teachers

# Academic Support, Student Activities, & Athletics

- **Ms. Danalyn Murata**

College & Career Coordinator (Ph# 307-5574)

- ❖ Early College, Running Start

- **Mr. Kyle Miyashiro**

Student Activities Coordinator (Ph# 307-5552)

- ❖ AVID
- ❖ Student Activities
- ❖ Athletics

# 2020-21 Registration

## REGISTRATION GUIDE 2020-21



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## HIS REMINDER

- Completed registration form and Technology Responsible Use Form (TRUF) are due to your **HOMEROOM** teacher by **Wednesday, January 22, 2020**

# 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Registration Form – 2020-21



PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL  
REGISTRATION

GRADE 9  
2024

PEARL CITY HIGH SCHOOL

1 Freshman Seminar -- Rank #1 -- 3, with 1 being your first choice.

Rank	Freshman Seminar <sup>1</sup>	Description
	<b>ACADEMY OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS &amp; DESIGN</b> TGG1103 / TGG1100	The Academy of International Business and Design houses the Business, Graphic Design, Fashion Design, and Digital Media programs of study. The academy is intended for students interested in (1) learning about essential business concepts, how to establish and manage a small business, and/or understanding marketing and its role in the free enterprise system, and (2) learning concepts in Visual, Fashion, Graphic, Written, and Media arts.  Students in the academy will have the opportunity to possibly earn industry level certifications in the various programs of study.
	<b>ACADEMY OF CULINARY ARTS, HEALTH SCIENCES &amp; LEADERSHIP</b> TGG1103 / TGG1100	The Academy of Culinary Arts, Health Sciences, and Leadership houses the Culinary Arts, Health Sciences, Education, and Hospitality programs of study. Have a skill for working with people? Enjoy collaboration and teamwork? You can serve your community and make a difference in people's lives by considering career opportunities in (1) culinary and hospitality, education, legal and protective services, or (2) through diagnostic and clinical health work, biotechnology medical research, and health and nutrition services.  Students in the academy will have the opportunity to earn industry level certifications in the various programs of study.
	<b>ACADEMY OF TECHNOLOGY &amp; DESIGN</b> TGG1103 / TGG1100	The Academy of Technology and Design houses the Building and Construction, Design Technology, Engineering Technology, Cybersecurity, & Environmental Resource Management programs of study. The academy is intended for students interested (1) in designing, engineering, developing, and building solutions to address society's problems and needs, or (2) in making the best use of natural resources in order to meet the basic needs of the world's population.  Students in the academy will have the opportunity to (1) earn various certifications through their programs of study, (2) waive entry-level course requirements and earn placement into upper level CTE courses in the Hawaii community colleges through the Building & Construction program of study, and (3) gain admittance as a freshman into the University of Hawaii at Manoa College of Engineering through the Engineering program of study.

COURSE	COURSE TITLE	ACCN CODE	CR	(FOR SCHOOL USE ONLY) COURSE LEVEL
2 LANG ARTS	ENGLISH LA 1	LCY1010	1	Honors* ELL Speed Inclusion Resource (Circle if applicable)
3 SOCIAL STUDIES	U. S. HISTORY	CHU1100	1	Honors* ELL Speed Inclusion Resource (Circle if applicable)
4 SCIENCE	INTEGRATED SCIENCE	SAH2003	1	Honors* ELL Speed Inclusion Resource (Circle if applicable)
5 MATHEMATICS	CIRCLE ONE MOW 1 (Speed ONLY) ALGEBRA 1 GEOMETRY	MAX1060 MAX1150 MGX1150	1	Honors* ELL Speed Inclusion Resource (Circle if applicable)
Teacher Initials _____				*Honors courses require teacher initials.

ALL incoming freshmen are required to select two (2) elective choices and two (2) alternate choices.  
Choose 4 electives from the list on the back page. Number your choices # 1 -- 4, with #1 being your first choice.

Turn over. More on back! →

6 and 7 ELECTIVE COURSES

# 1 - 4	COURSE	Return	Selection #1
	Art	Ceramics 1A/1B (p. 40)	FVL1100 / FVL1200
	Art	Drawing & Painting 1 (p. 40)	FVQ1000
	Art	Photography 1A/1B (p. 39)	FVP1100FVP1200
	Art	General Art 1 (p. 40)	FVB1000
	CTE	Computer Literacy / Exploring Technology (p. 27)	TGG1400ECS1200
	English	Beginning Acting (p. 30)	FTAL300
	Math	Mathematics Workshop Algebra 1 (p. 31)	MSW109A.MSW109B
	Music	Band 1 (p. 41) (Need 8 <sup>th</sup> grade BAND DIRECTOR approval)	FME1000
	Music	Chorus 1 (p. 42)	FMC1000
	Music	Guitar 1A/1B (p. 41)	FMF1100FNF1200
	Music	Piano 1 (p. 42)	FME1000
	Music	Music Tech 1 (p. 42)	FMD3000
	Physical Ed	Weight Training 1A/1B (p. 39)	PWP1210PWP1220
	Physical Ed	Team Sports 1 / 2 (p. 39)	PTP1640PTP1650
	World Lang	French 1 (p. 43)	WFF1000
	World Lang	Hawaiian 1 (p. 44)	WPH1000
	World Lang	Japanese 1 (p. 44)	WAL1000
	World Lang	Spanish 1 (p. 45)	WES1000
	World Lang	Sign Language 1 (p. 45)	WNS1000

If a registration form is NOT SUBMITTED by the due date, courses will be selected for the student and no program changes will be allowed.

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Honors Courses

## **English 9, US History, Integrated Science, Geometry**

- Honors courses are ala carte, meaning that students can be recommended and sign up for one, two, three, or four honors courses.
- **Students wishing to take an honors course need to get their current teacher's approval (initials on the registration form).**

## **CRITERIA FOR HONORS COURSES:**

- Possesses good time management & organizational skills
- Displays a strong work ethic, takes initiative, and is resilient
- Exhibits a positive attitude; works collaboratively
- Has above average reading skills
- Demonstrates critical thinking, problem solving, and creativity



# Contact Information

Questions about Band,  
Marching Band, or Music  
courses?

**Chad Kamei**

**Phone: 307-5655**

Questions about World Languages?

**Jami Higashi Lee**

**Phone: 307-5500**

# Counselors



## **Academy of Technology & Design**

- Mr. Reed Hisamoto, Grades 9 - 10
- Ms. Kory Jury, Grades 11 - 12



## **Academy of International Business & Design**

- Ms. Kayla Arakawa, Grades 9 - 10
- Ms. Malamalama Ada, Grades 11 - 12



## **Academy Culinary Arts, Health Sciences & Leadership**

- Ms. Kari Gervacio, Grades 9 - 10
- Ms. Nikki Takai, Grades 11 - 12

# Tips for Success from the Counseling Department

- Registering for the appropriate high school courses can effect graduation requirements, admission to colleges, NCAA eligibility, and preparing for a career
- Your high school grade point average (GPA) can affect eligibility to participate in high school co-curricular activities, as well as effect admission to colleges, eligibility for scholarships, and eligibility to participate in college athletics

# Tips for Success from the Counseling Department

Things you can do **NOW** to prepare for life after high school:

1. PCHS daily bulletin (also available on our school website: [www.pchs.k12.hi.us](http://www.pchs.k12.hi.us))
2. Earn above average grades (e.g., UH Manoa requires a 2.8 G PA)
3. Participate in school and/or community activities -- start a resume/personal data sheet
4. Research college admission requirements and education/work skills needed for different careers – it's never too early!
5. Speak to a counselor to help with your planning
6. Attend activities like college and career fieldtrips, guest speakers, workshops, etc.
7. Keep a portfolio of your honors, awards, certificates, medals, projects, test scores, etc. so that you have a record for your resume (update annually)

# Summer School 2020

- 2020 summer school information/ dates are not out yet
- Information will be forwarded to Highlands Intermediate as soon possible (April 2020)
- Summer school registration is tentatively scheduled for May 2020

# Thank you for attending!

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*This PowerPoint presentation will be available to view on the PCHS website after tonight .*