

KEA'AU MIDDLE SCHOOL

GRADE 7 COURSE CATALOG School Year: 2021-2022

A 7th grader's program of study and course load at Kea'au Middle School will consist of Language Arts, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and one (1) credit (cr) worth of elective classes.

I)* REQUIRED CORE COURSES: All 7th graders will take the 4 required core courses below.

*(LCY0200) ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS, Grade 7	Year/1 Cr
<p>This course provides students a balanced, standards-based program emphasizing and integrating reading, writing, speaking, and listening with language and literature. In this course, reading, writing, and oral communication processes are experienced as interrelated and interactive processes operating in meaning-rich contexts. The study of informational and literary texts is experienced as an interactive process of constructing meaning and making connections. Primary emphasis is on the personal, interpretive, and critical response of the reader in the construction of meaning.</p>	
*(MMX0750) MATHEMATICS, Grade 7	Year/1 Cr
<p>This course is required of all students in grade 7. Emphasis is on developing proficiency with concepts and skills in Ratios and Proportional Relationships; The Number System; Expressions and Equations; Geometry; Statistics and Probability. Learning in these areas will support the development of student proficiency of the Common Core State Standards for Mathematics.</p>	
*(SLM0103) LIFE SCIENCE	Year/1 Cr
<p>This is a laboratory course in the life sciences. Life Science is an introduction to biological concepts on life processes; relations between structure and function; classification of organisms; interdependence of living things; the biotic environment; the cell as the basic unit of living things; reproduction, genetics, and evolution. Emphasis is on the use of laboratory activities to develop skills in laboratory procedures and inquiry, and analysis of relationships between science-technology-society.</p>	
*(CER0700 & CHR0700) SOCIAL STUDIES, Grade 7	2 Sem/1 Cr
<p>This first semester course engages students in deep historical thinking about the evolution of the historic, economic, political, and social/cultural institutions of the Hawaiian Kingdom. This comprehensive course critically examines the people and events of that era.</p> <p>The second semester grade 7 course engages students in historical thinking about contemporary issues (sociopolitical, geographic, cultural, historical, and economic) faced by Hawaii and the nations and territories of the Pacific. This course examines the diversity and commonalities of the Pacific, the impact of contact with other nations, and the issues, challenges, and decisions facing these nations and territories. Students are actively engaged in decision-making and problem-posing and solving.</p>	

**Elective choices continued on back →

II) ELECTIVE / NON-CORE COURSES: Students shall enroll in one credits worth of elective courses.

STEM A XEP0101/ STEM B XEP0102	Sem/0.5 Cr
<p>STEM - This course incorporates learning experiences that will involve middle school activities related to Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. Integrated STEM education cultivates deep-rooted and transferable learning experiences that purposefully apply the practices of the STEM disciplines through thematic, interdisciplinary, or problem/place/culture-based learning approaches.</p>	
PHYS FIT A PFP0310/ PHYS Ed PEP0020	Sem/0.5 Cr
<p>Physical Education/Physical Fitness - This course is designed to strengthen physical movement forms, concepts, principles, and skills through participation in a variety of physical fitness experiences. Initial focus is placed on the concepts surrounding the components of physical fitness. Students will also learn basic principles of physical fitness and set goals to improve and maintain health.</p>	
Sign language WNS0110	Sem/0.5 Cr
<p>Sign Language - The course is designed for students interested in learning basic skills and general knowledge about sign language, fingerspelling, and deaf culture. In this course, students will learn the most basic information regarding how to communicate with deaf individuals who are ASL users. Students will be helped to develop beginning expressive and receptive sign and fingerspelling skills and basic knowledge and appreciation of "Deaf Culture."</p>	
Music FMA02007/ FMA05007	Sem/0.5 Cr
<p>Applied Music - This course is to provide students with the opportunity to study and play music through traditional concert band instruments with modern technology. All three progressive levels of middle school band will be offered through this course as well as the study and performance of how music is applied in the world today. Students will experience music reading, performing, and composition while learning how technology enhances all types of music around us.</p>	

Notice of Language Assistance

If you have difficulty understanding English, you have the right to receive language assistance at no cost to you. Please contact your school's principal for more information.

(Traditional Chinese / 繁體中文) 如果您理解英語有困難，您有權得到免費的語言幫助。請聯繫您的學校校長以獲得更多信息。

(Simplified Chinese / 简体中文) 如果您理解英語有困難，您有權得到免費的語言幫助。請聯繫您的學校校長以獲得更多信息。

(Japanese / 日本語) 英語の理解に困難を覚える方は、無料で言語支援を受ける権利があります。詳細につきましては学校長にお問合わせください。

(Hawaiian / 'Ōlelo Hawai'i) Ina pilikia oe i ka hoomaopopo i ka olelo Pelekania, he kuleana no kou e lawelaweia oe i ke kokua olelo me ka uku ole. E hui kuka me ke poo kumu o kou kula no kekahi ike hou aku.

(Korean / 한국어) 영어를 이해하는데 어려움이 있는 경우, 무료로 통역 지원을 받을 권리가 있습니다. 더 자세한 정보는 학교장에게 연락하십시오. (Chuukese / Kapasen Chuuk) Ika epwe weires ngonuk omw weweiti fóós un Merika, mi wor omw pwúúng omw kopwe angei aninnisin aweween fóós esapw kame. Kose mochen kékkéeri ewe meinapen ewe sukkun (Principal) ren tichikin pworausan.

(Ilokano / Ilokano) Nu narigat mo a maawatan ti Ingles, karbengam nga umawat ti tulong ti lenggwahe ket awan bayad na dayta a serbisyo. Para ti kanayonan nga impormasyon, mabalin a kontakem ti prinsipal ti eskwelaan yo maipanggep iti dayta a serbisyo.

(Samoan / Gagana Samoa) Afai e faigatā ona ē malamalama i le Igilisi, e i ai lau aiā e maua ai le fesoasoani tau gagana e aunoa ma se tupe e te totagi ina. Fa'amolemole fa'afeso'ota'i le pule o lau aoga mo nisi fa'amatalaga.

(Tongan / Lea faka-Tonga) Kapau 'oku faingata'a ke mahino kiate koe 'a e lea faka-Papalangi, 'oku 'i ai ho'o totonu ke ke ma'u ha tokoni fakatonulea 'ikai totongi. Kataki 'o fetu'utaki ki he puleako ki ha toe fakaikiiki ange. (Tagalog / Tagalog) Kung nahihirapan kang intindihin ang Ingles, karapatan mong makatanggap ng tulong para sa lenggwahe at libre ang serbisyong ito. Para sa karagdagang impormasyon, maari mong kontakin ang prinsipal ng iyong paaralan tungkol sa serbisyong ito.

(Cebuano / Sugboanon) Kon kamo adunay kalisud sa pagsabut sa Iningles, naa moy katungod sa pagdawat sa tabang sa pinulongan nga walay gasto kaninyo. Palihog kontakang ang prinsipal sa inyong eskwelahan alang sa dugang nga impormasyon.

(Vietnamese / Tiếng Việt) Nếu quý vị thấy khó khăn trong việc hiểu tiếng Anh, quý vị có quyền nhận được sự hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí. Vui lòng liên hệ hiệu trưởng của trường quý vị để biết thêm thông tin.

(Spanish / Español) Si tiene dificultad para entender Inglés, tiene derecho a recibir asistencia lingüística sin costo alguno para usted. Comuníquese con el director de su escuela para obtener más información.

(Marshallese / Kajin Majôl) Elaññe ejabwe am melele kajin Pälle, ewōr am jimwe ñan jibañ ko ikijien ukok ilo ejelok wōnen. Jouj im kōjjelāik lok principle eo an jikuul eo am ñan melele ko rellap lok.