

Aliamanu Middle School...



TRANSITION center

Our mission is... to empower and improve the experience for ALL students that arrive at AMS, while ensuring that students feel the spirit of Aloha and are inspired to be active participants in our AMS Ohana.



Transition Coordination

We are very blessed to have so many caring and compassionate team members that help our Transition Center run effectively.

- Registrar team
- Administrators
- Librarian
- Panther Academy Students/Teacher
- TCC
- PCNC
- Counselors
- MFLC



Registration and Welcome process

- Registrar updates shared excel spreadsheet with new student info
- Panther Academy students are assigned for the campus tour
- Registrar send welcome letter to student's teachers and support staff, along with a copy of their schedule.
- TC Coordinator and PCNC send welcome emails to families




Transition coordinator oversight of process

- **Print student schedule**
- **Make lunch and PAW passes**
 - 2 lunch lessons**
 - 1 PAW time lesson/1 PAW time meet up**
 - Bell schedule, calendar and Island favs.**
- **Update my monthly calendar for lessons/meet ups scheduled**
- **Update excel spreadsheet to keep the team in the loop about lessons and to provide feedback to students running the lessons.**

Please Go to
H1
For
**New Student Lunch Lesson

Student Name: _____
Date: _____
Time: _____



P.A.W. Pass
Personalized Assisted Worktime
H1 Transition Ctr

Student Name: _____
Date: _____



Excel spreadsheet

| Email Ts | Start AMS | Grade | Last Name | First Name | From | Panther Academy | Parent Emails | | | PCNC Check in - email | TCC Check in -Email | TCC Check in -Call |
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☰ Q4 ▾ Q3 ▾ Q2 ▾ AMS Lesson ▾ HI Lesson ▾ A4L Lesson ▾ 2023 Panther Assign ▾ Panther Acad Sched Tchr ▾ 2022 Panther Assign ▾ Q1 ▾ No grades ▾

Our excel spreadsheet keeps track of new student starts and follow up information

- **Main page is current quarter: date, name, coming from, grade, contact info, PCNC and TCC check-in**
- **Each quarter has its own tab**
- **Each lesson has its own tab**
- **Panther Academy student assignment has its own tab**



How the TCC connects with students and families

- **Once the students finish testing I introduce myself, chat and answer questions**
- **Handouts: bell schedule, calendar and top picks list**
- **Escort them to their class**
- **Email parent/guardian introducing myself and explain how the Transition Center supports their student**
- **Post-lessons group session meet up with other new and existing students**
- **After 3 main lessons, parent phone call follow up at the 2 week mark**
 - **Solicit questions/concerns/feedback about their students transition into AMS**
 - **Informs next steps**



Our Campus Tours



AMS Transition Center



THE WORLD

CONTINENTS
 AMERICA
 AFRICA
 ASIA
 AUSTRALIA
 EUROPE
 NORTH AMERICA
 SOUTH AMERICA



OCEANS ATLANTIC PACIFIC INDIAN ARCTIC
HEMISPHERES EASTERN WESTERN NORTHERN SOUTHERN



August

October Name: **John Adams**
State: Massachusetts
State Capital: Boston
State Bird: Chickadee
State Flower: Trillium
State Tree: American Sycamore
State Motto: Ense petit placidam sub libertate quietem
State Song: "The Star-Spangled Banner"

October

October Name: **George Washington**
State: District of Columbia
State Capital: Washington, D.C.
State Bird: Wood Duck
State Flower: Rose
State Tree: Cherry
State Motto: Agri Cultura: Mecum
State Song: "My Country 'Tis of Thee"

December

December Name: **Elizabeth Cady Stanton**

February

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E Komo Mai To The Transition Center

| Transition Center Schedule | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Day | Time |
| Monday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Tuesday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Wednesday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Thursday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Friday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Saturday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
| Sunday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |

| Ball Schedule | |
|---------------|--------------------|
| Day | Time |
| Monday | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM |
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A 4 L Quotes

"The greatest thing you can do is to be a good person. It doesn't matter what you do, it matters how you do it." - Martin Luther King Jr.

"The time is always right to do what's right." - Martin Luther King Jr.

"The expert at anything was once a beginner." - William Shakespeare

"Just because the past didn't work out like you wanted it to, doesn't mean the future can't be better than you've ever imagined." - D.J. Ackles

"Doing together is the beginning, keeping it together is progress, and the future is success." - Henry Ford

"Attitude is a little thing that makes all the difference." - Winston Churchill



Aliamanu Middle Things to Know About AMS

By: Panther Academy

Anchored4Life

Every
accomplishment
starts with the
decision to try!



Anchored4Life



- AMS Lunch Lesson
- Hawaii Lunch Lesson
- Anchored4Life Lunch Lesson



Services We Provide in the TC

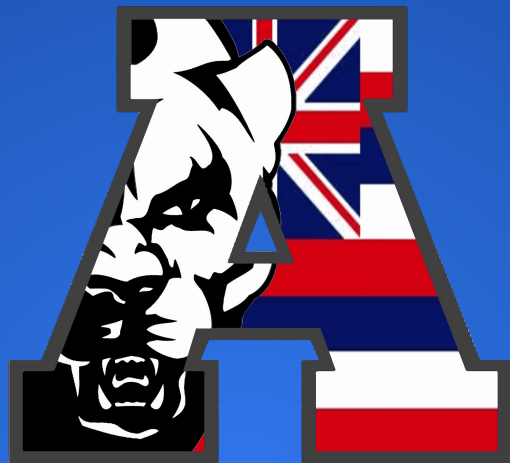
| Initially | Longer Term |
|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Welcoming atmosphere● Student led tour of AMS● 3 student led lessons: AMS, Hawaii and Anchored 4 Life● Provide the opportunity to meet new friends● Google/Infinite Campus login assistance | <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Host games and activities● Safe and comfortable space to spend lunch with friends● Help finding the right support services● Assist in finding information on school clubs/activities● Support our families with check in phone calls and emails |



Students Helping New Students Become Panthers

1. Registration and info on shared spreadsheet
2. First day of school
 - a. PA students meet new students in the library and lead school tour
 - b. New students test in library for appropriated placements
 - c. TC Coordinator escorts to first class
 - d. PA students hang out with new students during recess
 - e. Students go to next class
 - f. PA students meet new students after class, escort to cafe for lunch then to TC to have first lunch lesson
3. Subsequent days
 - a. New students receive passes to other lessons
 - b. PA students meet new students in their class to escort to TC





Testimonials

Xavier

Mia

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE.....

How we're trying to get better

- **Writing grants**
 - **Field trip to learn effective tour leading skills and about a historic military community**
- **Celebrating students as they exit AMS**
 - **Lei, a hui hou card (message from students)**
- **Gifts that correlate with each lesson**
- **Transitioning the next Panther Academy class**



Advice

For working with new students





Thank you!!!