

Aloha Kalaheo School Families,

Kalaheo Elementary School will continue to offer voluntary **free weekly COVID-19 testing** to help keep our students, staff and community safe. This testing will continue to take place every Thursday morning from 9:00 am -11:00 am. Regular COVID-19 testing will help prevent the spread of the virus by finding positive cases quickly and identifying positive cases in people who do not show any symptoms. Testing will also help us have regular, in-person learning while making everyone feel safer.

What is the COVID-19 testing program?

- Participating students will be tested for COVID-19 once a week using an Antigen test.
- The test is performed at our school.
- The COVID-19 test is quick, easy, and it does not hurt. Students will gently self-swab their lower inner nostril: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DQjh4TAuqb0&authuser=0>
- Parents that registered online will receive their child's test results shortly thereafter. If parents are unable to register online, a hard copy of the test results will be sent home.
- The test is free. You do not need to pay for the test or have insurance to get the test.
- This program is optional, but we hope you will participate to help us stop the spread of COVID-19.

How to sign up:

- You only need to register your child once to participate in this program. If you've already registered, your child is able to continue taking weekly tests.
- Sign up electronically at <https://alohaclear.com/>
 - Step 1: Create an Account in AlohaClear: <https://youtu.be/Br3Ol6lgr88>
 - Step 2: Create a Profile for your student and consent: <https://youtu.be/m2qCza56x50>
 - Parent Guide, How to Access Test Result: <https://youtu.be/mRQVzSqXDhA>
 - Parent Guide, Revoke On-Campus Testing: <https://youtu.be/dPqx5YuV1f8t>
- Student information will only be shared with the Hawaii State Department of Health and necessary departments if a student tests positive in an individual test.

The program is voluntary. Students are not required to participate in the program. We strongly encourage your child to participate to help us reduce the spread of COVID-19.

If you have questions, please reach out to our school at 332-6801.

Thank you,

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Kalaheo School Principal