

University Laboratory School

*Admissions Information Meeting
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UNIVERSITY LABORATORY SCHOOL
Honolulu, Hawai'i



UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA
College of Education



**Curriculum Research
& Development Group**

*providing quality educational programs
& services for preschool through grade 12*

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ULS Overview

- Mission and Vision
- A Brief History
- As a Laboratory School
 - Partnership with CRDG
- As a Charter School
- School Program
- Admissions Process



University Laboratory School

Mission

To provide the best possible education to its students while supporting the creation, evaluation, and dissemination of quality programs for all students kindergarten through grade 12.



Vision

All students graduate ready for college, work, and responsible citizenship.

School-wide Learner Goals

The University Laboratory School will prepare its students to be ready for college, work, and responsible citizenship, through a program emphasizing disciplines of knowledge and habits of mind, as indicated by demonstrating skills development in the areas of critical thinking, collaboration, creativity, and communication. In addition, our school focuses on three strategic areas: education of our own students, research in educational best practices, and dissemination via professional development.

ULS - Indicators of Success

- WASC Accredited - 2016-2022
- Charter Contract - 2017-2022
- 100% graduate, 98-100% post-secondary education
- Students among highest in State on Hawaii State Assessments and other standardized tests

ULS Recognitions

- Recognized as the #1 High School in Hawaii in the April 2019 edition of the Honolulu Magazine- *Grading the Public Schools*.
- 2019 GreatSchools College Success award
- In the 2018 Niche rankings, University Laboratory School was recognized as the 2018 Best Public High School in Hawaii.
- In the USA TODAY article (12/29/17): *Best public high schools in every state*, ULS was recognized as the best public high school in Hawaii.
- In the Business Insider article (2/26/18), *Best public high schools in every state*, ULS was recognized as the best public high school in Hawaii.
- 2013 Hawaii Charter School of the year
- Hawaii Distinguished School Awards 2003-2010
- National Merit Finalists and National Merit Scholarships
- Presidential Scholar, National Art and Speech/Debate Awards
- U.S. News and World Report America's Best High Schools Bronze Medal 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018

ULS Current Projects/News

- Research and demonstration site for UH College of Education, other UH Departments, and other education institutions
- Teacher Researchers - our faculty are lifelong learners, present at local, national and international conferences
- Innovative 1:1 technology program
- Good students, Good people - Social Emotional Learning program
- ULS Facilities Improvements

ULS Historical Roots

1896–1931 Territorial Normal & Training School serves as site for preparing teachers

1931 School becomes part of University of Hawai'i



1966 ULS becomes part of a new entity, the Curriculum Research & Development Group, serving as a laboratory for improving K–12 education

2001 ULS becomes a charter school and continues its partnership with CRDG.

2013 Historic name, University Laboratory School is restored.

Our University Partnership

UH COE and CRDG

CRDG Mission

Researching, creating, evaluating, disseminating, and supporting quality educational programs for all students and teachers, preschool through post-secondary.



Dr. Barbara Dougherty
Director
CRDG



Dr. Nathan Murata
Dean
College of Education

CRDG-ULS PARTNERSHIP

CRDG

Research &
Development (R&D)

- Exploration
- Development
- Evaluation
- Dissemination



ULS

Laboratory for

Exploration
Experimentation
Assessment

Demonstration Site

Visitors
COE
Best Practices

Facilities

UH Facilities

Orvis Auditorium

Kennedy Theatre

Andrews Outdoor Theatre

UH Track

Klum Gym

UH Library

UH Parking



UNIVERSITY LABORATORY SCHOOL
CAMPUS MAP ALL BUILDINGS



University High School #3 (UHS3)

- | | |
|---|---|
| <p>First Floor Classrooms
 UHS3-101, UHS3-104
 UHS3-130, UHS3-133
 UHS3-136</p> | <p>Second Floor Classrooms
 UHS3-201, UHS3-204
 UHS3-206, UHS3-217
 UHS3-220, UHS3-227
 UHS3-230, UHS3-233</p> |
| <p>First Floor Offices
 UHS3-111, UHS3-115
 UHS3-121 (School Office)
 UHS3-132, UHS3-135
 ULS Conference Room</p> | <p>Second Floor Offices
 UHS3-204, UHS3-205
 UHS3-212, UHS3-215
 UHS3-218
 (Teacher Collaboration Center)
 UHS3-225
 (Student Collaboration Center)
 UHS3-229, UHS3-232
 UHS3-235</p> |

Castle Memorial (CM)

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| <p>Elementary Classrooms
 CM-109, CM-110, CM-111
 CM-119 (Choir / Elem Math)</p> | <p>Visual Arts Classrooms
 CM-120, CM-122, CM-125
 CM-126, CM-127</p> |
| <p>Offices
 CM-102, CM-114, CM-115</p> | |

Multi-Purpose Building (MPB)

- Classrooms
 MPB-Bandroom, MPB-Cafeteria, MPB-103, MPB-103B

College of Education Portables (COEP)

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| COEP-N1 | COEP-N3 |
| COEP-N2 | COEP-N4 |

Frog Classrooms

- Classrooms
 Frog 1, Frog 2

Lab School Portables (LSP)

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| <p>ULS Athletic Department
 LSP-1A - Athletic Office
 LSP-1B - Training Room
 LSP-1C - Weight Room</p> | <p>Classrooms
 LSP-2
 LSP-3A
 LSP-3B</p> |
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Locker Rooms (LR)

- Boys Locker Room, Girls Locker Room, PE Office

- P **Parking**
UH Zone 1 Lot (Passes Only)
- R **Restrooms**
UH3 (1st and 2nd floors), Castle Memorial
- Grey Buildings**
UHM and College of Education (ULS Off-limits)

ULS School Program

All students are engaged in a comprehensive curriculum by grade-level cohort every year.

- English, Mathematics, Social Studies, Science, Physical Education, Performing and Visual Arts
- Second Language offerings gr. 10–12 (Hawaiian, Japanese, and Spanish)
- Learning Laboratory (gr. 6–8)
- Computer Literacy (gr. 6-8)
- Holomua Freshman Seminar (gr. 9)
- College and Career Seminar (gr. 10–12)

Academic Program

- The school has a diploma waiver from the Hawai'i State Board of Education (BOE) Policy 102-15, on graduation requirements for high school for the effective school years 2013-2022, this is associated to the applicable graduating classes of 2014-2025.
- All students have an equal opportunity to experience the school's program and achieve the school's educational objectives.
- Students are not separated by perceived ability. All classes are heterogeneous.
- The school's instructional methods stress direct experience, hands-on activity, inquiry and experimentation, simulations, role-playing, and cooperative learning.
- The school's program opens doors for post-high-school opportunities, preparing all students for admission to higher education so they have choices for their futures.

Here's what we offer you...

Course Requirements	High School Diploma	Board of Education Recognition Diploma (Voluntary)	Board of Education Recognition Diploma with Honors (Voluntary)	University Laboratory School Diploma
English	4.0 credits including ELA 1 (1 credit) and ELA 2 (1 credit)	4.0 credits including ELA 1 (1 credit), ELA 2 (1 credit), and Expository Writing (0.5 credit) or the equivalent*	4.0 credits including ELA 1 (1 credit), ELA 2 (1 credit), and Expository Writing (0.5 credit) or the equivalent*	4.0 credits, including Speech, Poetry & Writing; Asian and Pacific Lit. & Writing; Lit. of the Americas & Writing; British/European Lit. & Writing
Social Studies	4.0 credits including Modern History of Hawaii (0.5 credit) and Participation in a Democracy (0.5 credit)	4.0 credits including Modern History of Hawaii (0.5 credit) and Participation in a Democracy (0.5 credit)	4.0 credits including Modern History of Hawaii (0.5 credit) and Participation in a Democracy (0.5 credit)	4.0 credits, including Modern History of Hawai'i; Modern World History & Geography; United States History & Government; Ethics (0.5); Comparative Political/Economic Systems (0.5)
Mathematics	3.0 credits	4.0 credits including, as a minimum, Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra II or the equivalent	4.0 credits including, as a minimum, Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra II or the equivalent	4.0 credits, including Geometry Learning Project; Integrated Math I/II, III, and IV.
Science	3.0 credits	3.0 credits including 2.0 credits in Biology, Chemistry, and/or Physics	3.0 credits including 2.0 credits in Biology, Chemistry, and/or Physics	4.0 credits, including Marine Science with Lab; Practices in Physics & Technology with Lab; Chemistry with Lab; Biology with Lab
World Language, Fine Arts, Career and Technical Education	2.0 credits in one of the specified courses	2.0 credits in one of the specified courses	2.0 credits in one of the specified courses	3.0 credits in Second Language, including Language I, II, III 4.0 credits in Performing Arts, including Band, Choir, or Orchestra 4.0 credits in Visual Arts, including Drawing, Painting, Sculpture, Ceramics, and/or Fiber Arts
Senior Project	Not required	1.0 credit	1.0 credit	N/A
Physical Education	1.0 credit including required PE (0.5 credit) and required PE elective (0.5 credit)	1.0 credit including required PE (0.5 credit) and required PE elective (0.5 credit)	1.0 credit including required PE (0.5 credit) and required PE elective (0.5 credit)	0.5 credit
Health	0.5 credit	0.5 credit	0.5 credit	0.5 credit
Personal/ Transition Plan	0.5 credit	0.5 credit	0.5 credit	2.0 including Holomua seminar and College & Career seminar
Electives	6.0 credits	5.0 credits	5.0 credits	3.0 credits
TOTAL	24.0 credits	25.0 credits	25.0 credits	33.0 credits

School Program and Curricula Differs from Others

- Comprehensive, liberal education
- Inquiry-, problem-, and project-based
- Requires active hands-on learning
- Focused on the whole child
- Challenging
- Experimental



Our Role as a Laboratory School

In addition to providing high quality education for our own students, the function of this school is experimentation and innovation in education with the intent to disseminate.

ULS sees hundreds of visitors annually to observe our unique collaborative learning environment, curriculum implementation, and innovative educational practices.

The Importance of Technology

ULS is committed to 21st Century Skills, including Technological Literacy. We aim to develop and support our community of learners through engaging technology and cutting-edge practices.

In addition, we require the use of technology to facilitate communication between student, teacher, parent and administrator to better support and engage all learners in a flattened, more inviting educational environment.

What is a Charter School?

Charter schools are nonsectarian public schools of choice that operate with freedom from many of the regulations that apply to traditional public schools; the basic concept is that charter schools exercise increased autonomy in exchange for greater accountability.

As a public school we are still guided by:

- Hawaii State Charter School Law
- Federal Education Legislation
- Federal Individuals with Disabilities Act (IDEA)

The “charter” details the school’s mission, program, goals, students served, methods of assessment, and ways to measure success. Our charter establishes ULS in partnership with CRDG as an educational laboratory.

Essential Features of University Laboratory School

- Heterogeneous grouping in all classes from across a diverse, purposive lottery of students to represent a demographic cross section of Hawai'i
- Teaching, learning, and demonstrations of knowledge based on disciplinary practices and habits of mind are the modes of interaction in every class, every day.
- All students enroll in a common curriculum by grade-level cohort that includes daily instruction in English language and literature, history and social science, natural science, mathematics, visual arts and performing arts. Students are taught in common classes without tracking.

University Laboratory School Charter Conditions

- The school enrolls a cross-section of students who typify the Hawai'i school population.
- All students participate in the same comprehensive education program
- All students are taught in common classes without ability tracking nor are they offered courses of varying rigor. The ULS belief is that the best should be available to all.
- Students and their parents must be willing to accept innovative and experimental programs that challenge the norms of current educational practices and change continually.

Funding

Charter School Per-Pupil Allocation

Support Organizations 501(c)(3)

Uls Booster Club

Uls Foundation

ulsfoundation.org

Uls Alumni Association

ULS Governing Board

The purpose of the Governing Board of the University Laboratory School is to set policy and provide oversight for ULS in accordance with HRS, Chapter 302D. The Board ensures that ULS complies with the terms of the charter contract between the authorizer and the School, which pertain to and manage the financial, organizational, and academic viability of the school.

ULS Governing Board Members

Mislyn Alensorin

Edward Aquino, Secretary

Bradley Kai Fox, Vice-Chair

Tina Keane

Aaron Levine

Melvina Nakao

Preet Nijjar, Treasurer

Everett Ohta

Travis Palmeira

Kara Suzuka

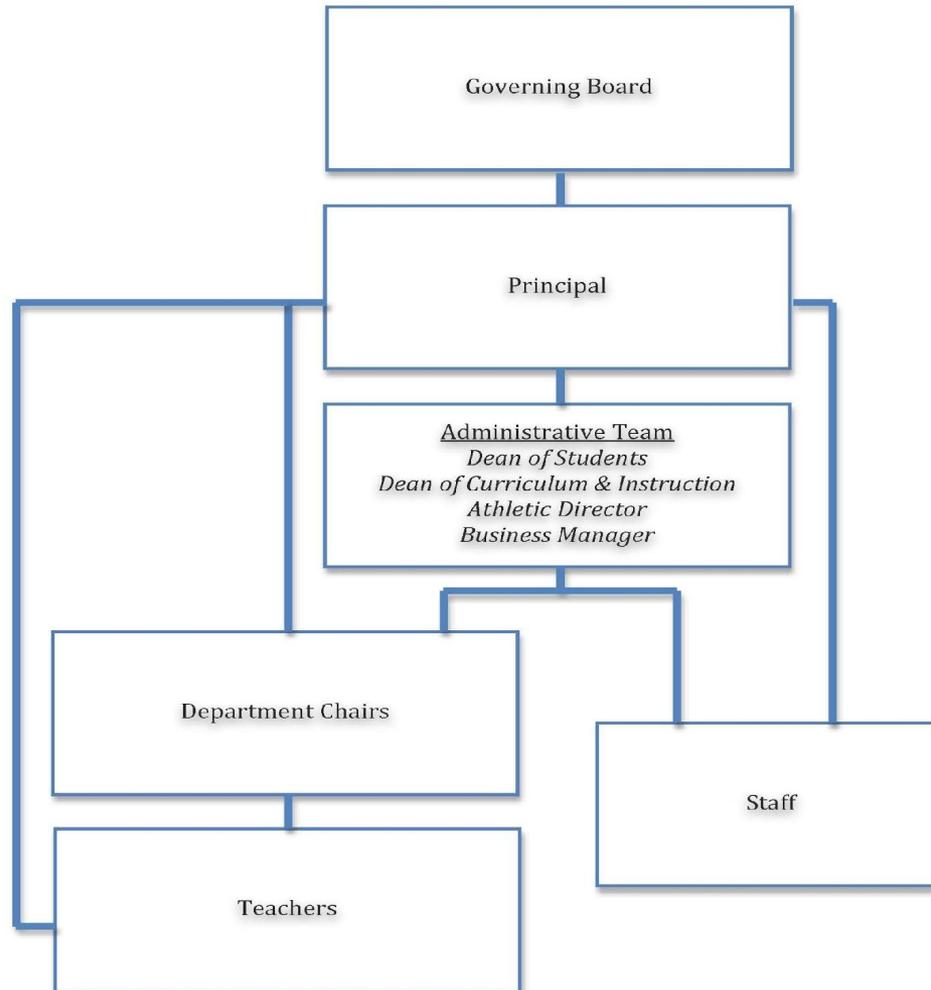
Karyn Yoshioka

Denise Yoshimori-Yamamoto, Chair

A. Keoni Jeremiah, Principal (ex-officio)

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

**The Education Laboratory: A Hawai'i New Century Public Charter School
Organizational Chart**





Features of ULS

Grades

Kindergarten 10	6th Grade 56
1st Grade 10	7th Grade 56
2nd Grade 10	8th Grade 56
3rd Grade 10	9th Grade 56
4th Grade 10	10th Grade 56
5th Grade 10	11th Grade 56
	12th Grade 56

Instructional Time

Kindergarten - 5th Grade

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
7:45am - 2:30pm

Wednesday
7:45am - 2:00pm

6th Grade - 12th Grade

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
7:45am - 3:15pm

Wednesday
7:45am - 2:35pm



ULS Grades K - 5 Program

Grade K-1	Grade 2-3	Grade 4-5
Art	Art	Art
English Language Arts	English Language Arts	English Language Arts
Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics
Music	Music	Music
Physical Education	Physical Education	Physical Education
Science	Science	Science
Social Studies	Social Studies	Social Studies

Social Emotional Learning: Toolbox, Voices Literature & Writing

ULS Grade 6 - 8 Program

	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
English	Dramatic Language & Composition	Comedic Language & Composition	Narrative Literature & Composition
Math	Connected Mathematics Program 3 (CMP3)	Connected Mathematics Program 3 (CMP3)	Connected Mathematics Program 3 (CMP3)
Science	The Local Environment (Foundational Approaches in Science Teaching 1)	Matter and Energy in the Biosphere (Foundational Approaches in Science Teaching II)	Change Over Time (Foundational Approaches in Science Teaching III)
Social Studies	Pacific Studies & Anthropology	World Geography & Early Civilizations	Early America & United States Constitution
Art	Drawing & Painting	Sculpture, Drawing & Painting, Ceramics, Fiber Arts	
Music	Beginning Band, Choir, Orchestra	Intermediate Band, Choir, Orchestra	
Physical Education	Physical Education		
Other (required)	Learning Laboratory		

ULS Grade 9 - 12 Program

	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
English 4 yrs. req.	Language, Literature and Writing	Asian, Pacific, Local Literature & Writing	Literature of the Americas & Writing	British/ European Literature & Writing
Math 4 yrs. req.	Integrated Math I	Integrated Math II	Integrated Math III	Integrated Math IV
Science 4 yrs. req.	Marine Science with Lab	Practices in Physics & Technology with Lab	Chemistry with Lab	Biology With Lab
Social Studies 4 yrs. req.	Modern History of Hawai'i	Modern World History	United States History & Government	Civics & Ethics
Second Language 3 yrs. req.	N/A	Spanish I, Hawaiian I, Japanese I	Spanish II, Hawaiian II, Japanese II	Spanish III, Hawaiian III, Japanese III
Art 4 yrs. req.	Students choose from Sculpture, Fiber Arts, Ceramics, Drawing & Painting or Printmaking			
Music 4 yrs. req.	Students participate in Band, Chorus or Orchestra			
Physical Education	Phys. Ed., Health	P.E. Elective: Weightlifting; Fitness and Flexibility; Yoga and Meditation		
Other (required)	Seminar-Holomua	College & Career Seminar (three semesters)		
Electives 3 credits	N/A	Digital Photography; Fitness & Flexibility; Global Leadership; Global Issues through Art; Hawaiian Studies; Hula & Chant; Kimono Culture; Japanese Traditional and Pop Culture; Science Research; Speech and Debate; Wearable Art; Weightlifting; Yearbook; Yoga and Meditation.		

Electives

Current enrichment elective classes offered for grades 10–12:

Digital Photography

Fitness & Flexibility

Global Issues through Art

Global Leadership

Hawaiian Studies

Hula & Chant

Japanese Culture

Kimono Culture

Science Research

Select Choir

Speech & Debate

Wearable Art

Weightlifting

Yearbook

Yoga & Meditation



Social and Emotional Learning (SEL) & School Climate

SEL Curricula:

TOOLBOX (Grades K-8)

Voices Literature and Writing (Grades K-5)

Facing History and Ourselves (Grades 6-12 English, Social Studies)



School-Wide initiatives:

Kindness Activities

Mindfulness

Peer Mentoring

Advisory

Community Service Learning Projects



University Laboratory School

More Opportunities

- Writing Contests
- Spelling and History Bees
- Visual Art Awards
- Hawai'i Youth Symphony
- Oahu Select Band
- Hawai'i Speech League
- Second Language Experiences
- Science Olympiad/Fair
- Community Service
- Athletics
- UH Mānoa Academy
- Global Leadership
- Pacific and Asian Affairs Council (PAAC)
- Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA)



Gold Key 2014



Congressional Art Exhibit
First Place



Stanford Speech Invitation

Athletics

University Jr. Bows

Pac-5 Wolfpack

- Interscholastic League of Honolulu (ILH).
- Member of the ILH since 1959.
- Grades 7–12

Intermediate (gr. 7–9)

Junior varsity (9–11)

Varsity (9–12)



Student Support

- School Success Program
- College and Career Counselor
- Elementary and Middle/High School Counselor
- Dean of Students
- Diverse Learner Needs



Here's our greatest asset and investment – our students



2012 Accepted Colleges

Academy of the Arts
 Bard College
 Brown University
 California Baptist University
 California Institute of the Arts
 California Lutheran University
 Chapman University
 Clark University
 College of the Holy Cross
 Colorado Mesa University
 Colorado State University
 Creighton University
 DePauw University
 Eastern Oregon University
 Gonzaga University
 Grinnell College
 Hampshire College
 Harvard University
 Hawai'i Pacific University
 Hillsdale College
 Honolulu Community College
 Kapiolani Community College
 Leeward Community College
 Lewis and Clark University
 Linfield College
 Loyola University Chicago
 Menlo College
 Mills College
 Montana State University Northern
 New Hope Christian College
 Northern Arizona University
 Occidental College
 Oregon State University
 Pacific University
 Pacific Lutheran University
 Pepperdine University
 Portland State University
 Puget Sound
 Rhodes College
 San Francisco State
 Saint Martin's University
 Santa Clara University
 Seattle University
 Seattle Pacific University
 Seton Hall University
 Snow College
 The Evergreen State College
 University California Davis
 University California Irvine
 University California San Diego
 University of Colorado Colorado Springs
 University of Hawai'i at Hilo
 University of Hawai'i at Manoa
 University of Illinois at Chicago
 University of Maryland Baltimore County
 University of Nevada Las Vegas
 University of Northern Colorado
 University of Oregon
 University of the Pacific
 University of Portland
 University of Puget Sound
 University of San Francisco
 University of Southern California
 University of Utah
 University of Wyoming
 Utah Valley University
 Vassar College
 Western Oregon University
 Whittier College
 Willamette University
 Yale University

2011 Accepted Colleges

Academy of Art University
 Adam's State College
 Arizona State University
 Art Institute of California: Hollywood
 Art Institute of California: San Diego
 Beloit College
 Bennington College
 Brown University
 California Baptist University
 California Institute of Arts
 California Lutheran University
 Chaminade University of Honolulu
 Clark University
 Colorado School of Mines
 Colorado State University
 Concordia in Irvine
 Corban University
 Cornell College
 Creighton University
 Culver-Stockton College
 Denver University
 DePauw University
 Eastern Michigan University
 Eastern Washington University
 Fort Scott Community College
 George Fox University
 Gonzaga University
 Hampshire College
 Hartwick University
 Hawai'i Pacific University
 Hofstra University
 Honolulu Community College
 Illinois Wesleyan University
 Kalamazoo College
 Kapi'olani Community College
 Lawrence University
 Loyola University of Maryland
 Marquette University
 Mt. San Antonio College
 Northern Arizona University
 Northern Colorado
 Occidental College
 Oregon Institute of Technology
 Oregon State University
 Pacific Lutheran University
 Pacific University of Oregon
 Portland State University
 Purdue University
 Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
 Saddleback Community College
 Saint Joseph's College
 Seattle University
 St. John's University
 The Evergreen State College
 University of British Columbia
 University of California Irvine
 University of California Riverside
 University of Colorado Boulder
 University of Colorado Denver
 University of Hawai'i at Hilo
 University of Hawai'i at Manoa
 University of Massachusetts Amherst
 University of Massachusetts Boston
 University of Minnesota
 University of Nevada at Las Vegas
 University of Nevada Reno
 University of Northern Colorado
 University of Oregon
 University of the Pacific
 University of Portland
 University of Puget Sound
 University of San Francisco
 University of Southern California
 University of Washington
 Washington State University
 Washington University in St. Louis
 Western New Mexico University
 Western Washington University
 Westmont University
 Whitman College
 Whittier College
 Willamette University

2010 Accepted Colleges

American University
 Arizona State University
 Art Institute of New York University
 Bloomfield College
 Brenau College
 CSU Polytechnic San Luis Obispo
 Chaminade University
 Chico State University
 City College of New York
 Claremont McKenna College
 Clark University
 Colorado School of Mines
 Colorado State University Pueblo
 Connecticut College
 Creighton University
 Dana College
 DePauw University
 Doane College
 Eastern Washington University
 Georgetown University
 Gonzaga University
 Goucher College
 Hawai'i Pacific University
 Holy Names University
 Honolulu Community College
 Illinois Institute of Technology
 Kapi'olani Community College
 Lehigh University
 Lewis and Clark College
 Macalester College
 Marymont Manhattan College
 Menlo College
 Middlebury College
 New York Institute of Technology
 New York University
 Northern Arizona University
 Northern Colorado University
 Notre Dame University
 Oregon Institute of Technology
 Oregon State University
 Pacific Rim Bible College
 Pacific University
 Portland State University
 Rochester Polytechnic Institute
 Sacramento State University
 San Diego City College
 Santa Clara University
 Seattle University
 Simpson College
 Southern Methodist University
 Stanford University
 Texas Christian University
 The New School University
 Tufts University
 University of Arizona
 University of California Davis
 University of California San Diego
 University of California Santa Barbara
 University of California Santa Cruz
 University of Colorado at Boulder
 University of Hawai'i at Hilo
 University of Hawai'i at Manoa
 University of Hawai'i at Mānoa
 University of Hawai'i at West O'ahu
 University of Illinois Urbana Champaign
 University of Oregon
 University of the Pacific
 University of Portland
 University of Puget Sound
 University of San Diego
 University of San Francisco
 University of Texas at Austin
 University of Victoria, British Columbia
 University of Washington
 Vanderbilt University
 Washington State University
 Western Washington University
 Whitman College
 Whittier College
 Whitworth College
 Willamette University
 Windward Community College
 Worcester Polytechnic University

2009 Accepted Colleges

Boston College
 California State University Long Beach
 California State University Los Angeles
 Cardinal Stitch University
 Case Western Reserve
 Chaminade University of Honolulu
 College of Southern Nevada
 Colorado School of Mines
 Colorado State University
 Concordia University
 Creighton University
 Eastern Arizona College
 Hanover College
 Hawai'i Pacific University
 Honolulu Community College
 Holy Names University
 Illinois College
 Illinois Institute of Technology
 Kapi'olani Community College
 Lewis and Clark College
 Lindenwood College
 Loyola Marymount University
 Menlo College
 Mills College
 Montana State University
 Montana Western University
 Mount St. Mary's College
 Newbury College
 Northern Arizona University
 Occidental College
 Oregon Institute of Technology
 Oregon State University
 Oxford College of Emory University
 Pacific University
 Pitzer College
 Portland State University
 Santa Barbara City College
 Santa Clara University
 Santa Monica Community College
 Scottsdale Community College
 Seattle University
 St. Mary's College
 Tulane University
 University of British Columbia
 University of California Davis
 University of California Irvine
 University of California Riverside
 University of Hawai'i at Hilo
 University of Hawai'i at Manoa
 University of Hawai'i at West Oahu
 University of LaVerne
 University of Michigan Flint
 University of Montana
 University of Montana Western
 University of Nebraska at Lincoln
 University of Nevada Las Vegas
 University of Oregon
 University of the Pacific
 University of Portland
 University of Puget Sound
 University of Redlands
 University of Rochester
 University of San Francisco
 University of Washington
 University of Wisconsin Madison
 Wake Forest University
 Washington State University at Pullman
 Western State College of Colorado
 Western Oregon University
 Whitworth University
 Willamette University
 Windward Community College
 Worcester Polytechnic Institute



Admissions

ULS may conform its student enrollment profile to the standard prescribed by the University of Hawaii college of education in order to meet the University of Hawaii college of education's research requirements.

Student Selection by Lottery

At ULS, we create a laboratory for conducting education related research. As provided in State Law, ULS may conform its student enrollment to meet the research requirements of the College.

As a charter, we must utilize a lottery system. For our research needs, our lottery is conducted using the following factors:

1. Family socioeconomic status
2. Ethnicity
3. Gender
4. Ability measured by test score (not for Kindergarten)

Our intake years are Grades K and Grade 6.
Other Grade levels are filled as openings become available.

Kindergarten

A child must be 5 years old on or before July 31 to be eligible for kindergarten.

Grade 6

Successful completion of your child's current 5th grade academic program, as well as completion of the orientation and enrollment process.

University Laboratory School Charter School

Mareva Nopuente
Admissions Coordinator



Admissions Phone: 956-7844

admissions@universitylaboratoryschool.org

www.universitylaboratoryschool.org/admission/

Please do not call the main school office line for admission questions. Use the admissions phone line, 956-7844.

How do I apply?

- Apply online

www.universitylaboratoryschool.org/admission/

- Download a pdf copy of the application form
- Pick up an application in the admissions office
 - University High School Building 3, room 115
 - 7:15 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

ULS Admissions Information 2020-2021 (ULS Website)

Applications for the 2020-2021 are now available. The deadline to submit applications with supporting materials is January 31, 2020.

Kindergarten

Application period: October 16, 2019 – January 31, 2020

[Online application](#)

Grade 6

Application period: October 16, 2019 – January 31, 2020

[Online application](#)

Grade 1-5, 7-12

Application period: October 16, 2019 – January 31, 2020

[Online application](#)

Downloadable Materials

[ULS Application for SY 2020-2021 \[pdf\]](#)

[ULS Application Information Sheet for SY 2020-2021 \[pdf\]](#)

[ULS Admissions Frequently Asked Questions \[pdf\]](#)

[ULS Admissions Policy \[PDF\]](#)

What other documents must I submit with the application?

Kindergarten Application:

- Completed and signed application form

6th Grade Application:

- 1st quarter report card for the current school year
- Final report cards or transcripts for the past two years (3rd & 4th grades)
- Most recent standardized test scores/results for reading and mathematics taken by the applicant (4th grade)

What other documents must I submit with the application?

Non-Entry Application:

- 1st quarter report card for the current school year
- Final report cards or transcripts for the past two (2) years
- Most recent standardized test scores/results for reading and mathematics taken by the applicant.

When is the deadline?

- For Entry Level Openings (gr. K and 6)
 - Postmarked by January 31, 2020
- For Non-Entry Level Openings (1-5, 7-12)
 - Postmarked by January 31, 2020

**COMPLETE APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED
BY THESE DEADLINES. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

When do we receive notice if we were selected?

Kindergarten & 6th grade applicants will be notified by mid-March

Non-Entry Level applicants (Grades 1-5 & 7-12) are only notified if selected (April-July)

How do I get more information?

www.universitylaboratoryschool.org

- Admissions Information page

Application

Application Information Sheet

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ULS Website

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