

WELCOME

TO YOUR NEW

HOMEPORT

JOINT BASE PEARL HARBOR-HICKAM



CHILD & YOUTH PROGRAMS

HAWAII SCHOOL INFORMATION SCHOOL YEAR 2024-2025

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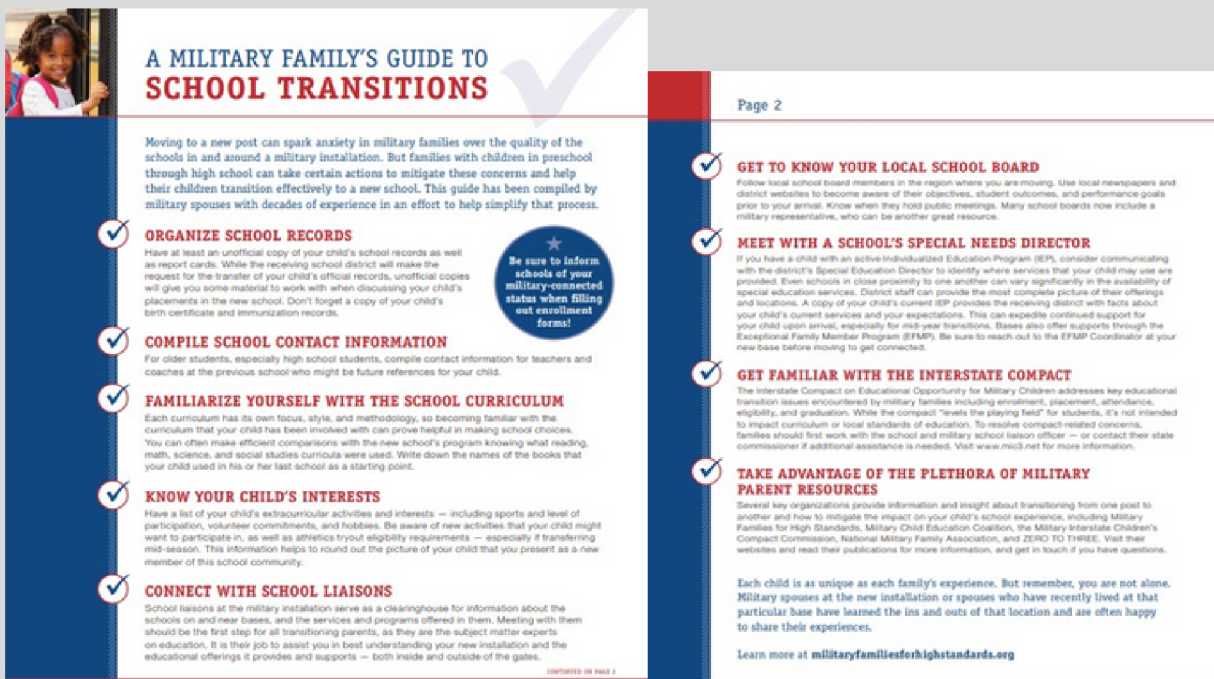
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PLANNING FOR YOUR CHILD'S EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

- ❑ Checklist for school moves
- ❑ Know your child's needs, interests
- ❑ Update / speak with the local school liaison
- ❑ All records-birth certificate/current report card/testing information
- ❑ Individualized Education Plan (IEP) or 504 Plan
- ❑ Gifted and talented-Testing Information
- ❑ Prepare educational binder with all information
- ❑ Hand carry all documents



A MILITARY FAMILY'S GUIDE TO SCHOOL TRANSITIONS

Moving to a new post can spark anxiety in military families over the quality of the schools in and around a military installation. But families with children in preschool through high school can take certain actions to mitigate these concerns and help their children transition effectively to a new school. This guide has been compiled by military spouses with decades of experience in an effort to help simplify that process.

ORGANIZE SCHOOL RECORDS
Have at least an unofficial copy of your child's school records as well as report cards. While the receiving school district will make the request for the transfer of your child's official records, unofficial copies will give you some material to work with when discussing your child's placements in the new school. Don't forget a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization records.

COMPILE SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION
For older students, especially high school students, compile contact information for teachers and coaches at the previous school who might be future references for your child.

FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THE SCHOOL CURRICULUM
Each curriculum has its own focus, style, and methodology, so becoming familiar with the curriculum that your child has been involved with can prove helpful in making school choices. You can often make efficient comparisons with the new school's program knowing what reading, math, science, and social studies curricula were used. Write down the names of the books that your child used in his or her last school as a starting point.

KNOW YOUR CHILD'S INTERESTS
Have a list of your child's extracurricular activities and interests — including sports and level of participation, volunteer commitments, and hobbies. Be aware of new activities that your child might want to participate in, as well as athletics tryout eligibility requirements — especially if transferring mid-season. This information helps to round out the picture of your child that you present as a new member of this school community.

CONNECT WITH SCHOOL LIAISONS
School liaisons at the military installation serve as a clearinghouse for information about the schools on and near bases, and the services and programs offered in them. Meeting with them should be the first step for all transitioning parents, as they are the subject matter experts on education. It is their job to assist you in best understanding your new installation and the educational offerings it provides and supports — both inside and outside of the gates.

Be sure to inform schools of your military-connected status when filling out enrollment forms!

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GET TO KNOW YOUR LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD
Follow local school board members in the region where you are moving. Use local newspapers and district websites to become aware of their objectives, student outcomes, and performance goals prior to your arrival. Know when they hold public meetings. Many school boards now include a military representative, who can be another great resource.

MEET WITH A SCHOOL'S SPECIAL NEEDS DIRECTOR
If you have a child with an active Individualized Education Program (IEP), consider communicating with the district's Special Education Director to identify where services that your child may use are provided. Even schools in close proximity to one another can vary significantly in the availability of special education services. District staff can provide the most complete picture of their offerings and locations. A copy of your child's current IEP provides the receiving district with facts about your child's current services and your expectations. This can expedite continued support for your child upon arrival, especially for mid-year transitions. Bases also offer supports through the Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP). Be sure to reach out to the EFMP Coordinator at your new base before moving to get connected.

GET FAMILIAR WITH THE INTERSTATE COMPACT
The Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children addresses key educational transition issues encountered by military families including enrollment, placement, attendance, eligibility, and graduation. While the compact "levels the playing field" for students, it's not intended to impact curriculum or local standards of education. To resolve compact-related concerns, families should first work with the school and military school liaison officer — or contact their state commissioner if additional assistance is needed. Visit www.mic3.net for more information.

TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE PLETHORA OF MILITARY PARENT RESOURCES
Several key organizations provide information and insight about transitioning from one post to another and how to mitigate the impact on your child's school experience, including Military Families for High Standards, Military Child Education Coalition, the Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission, National Military Family Association, and ZERO TO THREE. Visit their websites and read their publications for more information, and get in touch if you have questions.

Each child is as unique as each family's experience. But remember, you are not alone. Military spouses at the new installation or spouses who have recently lived at that particular base have learned the ins and outs of that location and are often happy to share their experiences.

Learn more at militaryfamiliesforhighstandards.org

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INITIAL REQUIRED PAPERWORK TO ENROLL IN PUBLIC SCHOOL

Birth Certificate

Medical Records, including:

- Updated Immunizations

(For immunizations required by Hawaii Department of Health to attend school visit, <https://health.hawaii.gov/docd/vaccines-immunizations/school-health-requirements/sy-20-21>)

- TB Clearance

(Navy Medical Immunizations can be reached at (808) 473-1880 x 92323. For the 15th Medical Group Immunizations can be reached at (808) 448-6275. If you are new to Hawaii, please change regions first with TRICARE / Health Net. For questions regarding TRICARE / Health Net, please call 1-844-866-9378.)

- Physical Examination within a year of entering school

(Students without a current physical may start school with a documented appointment date. For Air Force, contact the 15th Medical Group at (808) 448-6000. For Navy contact the Makalapa Medical Clinic at (808) 473-1880 to schedule an appointment and for additional information.)

Documentation of Lodging

Report cards/records from previous school

IEP or 504 Plan

For more information please visit:

<https://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/ParentsAndStudents/EnrollingInSchool/HowToEnroll/Pages/home.aspx>



SCHOOL PLACEMENT - TEMPORARY VS PERMANENT ADDRESSES

While you are staying in temporary lodging, there are designated schools for your child until your family receives permanent housing. Choose your home wisely; your child will be assigned to a school based on the street you live on. If you move to a house that is located in a different zone than your temporary lodging, your child will be assigned to a different school. The temporary schools do not have space to accommodate students outside their zoned area all year long. Geographic Exceptions (GE) to attend a different school are rarely granted.

Temporary Lodging	Elementary School	Middle School	High School
Tripler Guest House	Moanalua	Moanalua	Moanalua
Best Wester Plaza or Airport Honolulu	Nimitz	Aliamanu	Radford
Waikiki Hotels (varies)	Jefferson	Washington	Kaimuki
NGIS Royal Alakai	Hickam	Aliamanu	Radford
Ford Island	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Embassy Suites/Hampton Inn/Residence Inn - Kapolei	Ho'okele	Kapolei	Kapolei

Permanent Address	Elementary School	Middle School	High School
Camp Stover	Wheeler	Wheeler	Leilehua
Catlin Park	Nimitz	Aliamanu	Radford
Doris Miller	Aliamanu	Aliamanu	Radford
Ford Island	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Halawa	Aiea	Aiea	Aiea
Hale Ali'i	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Hale Moku	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Halsey Terrace	Aliamanu	Aliamanu	Radford
Hokulani	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Hospital Point	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
Makalapa	Makalapa	Aliamanu	Radford
Maleolap	Aliamanu	Aliamanu	Radford
Manana	Pearl City	Highlands	Pearl City
Marine Barracks	Pearl Harbor Kai	Aliamanu	Radford
McGrew Point	Alvah Scott	Aiea	Aiea
NCTAMS	Helemano	Wahiawa	Leilehua
Pearl City Peninsula	Lehua	Highlands	Pearl City
Radford Terrace	Shafter	Moanalua	Moanalua
Moanalua Terrace (Asher, Cakon, Clarey, Flaherty, Moreell, Pharis, Scott, Taylor, Thomas, Tomich, Warden)	Aliamanu	Aliamanu	Radford
Moanalua Terrace (Bennion, Fuqua, Jones, Kidd, McMorris, Reeves, Ross)	Pearl Harbor	Aliamanu	Radford
Earhart Village	Nimitz	Aliamanu	Radford
Earhart Village Park	Mokulele	Aliamanu	Radford
Hale Na Koa I	Mokulele	Aliamanu	Radford
Hale Na Koa II	Hickam/Mokulele	Aliamanu	Radford
Onizuka/Officer Field	Hickam	Aliamanu	Radford
Ohana Nui Circle	Nimitz	Aliamanu	Radford
Camp Smith	Webling	Aiea	Aiea

CHILD CARE AND BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CARE OPTIONS

Navy Child and Youth Programs

Navy CYP Hawaii offers quality programs for eligible children and youth ages 6 weeks -18 years of age. Our centers are located on JBPHH, NCTAMS on Installation and off base in Navy Housing. We have the following programs available:

Child Development Centers (CDC)

Offering full-day, part-day, and hourly care for ages 6 weeks-5 years old
Locations include Center Drive CDC, Ford Island CDC, Hickam Harbor CDC, Hickam Main CDC, Hickam West CDC, Kids Cove (24/7), Peltier CDC, Pier Side CDC, Wahiawa Annex CDC

To sign up for childcare please visit www.militarychildcare.com to create an account.

Child Development Homes (CDH)

Program that allows authorized family members to provide childcare in their government quarters to children ages 4 weeks-12 years of age. All personnel providing childcare in their government quarters must be certified with the CDH program.

JBPHH: (808) 471-8445

To sign up for childcare please visit www.militarychildcare.com to create an account.

School Age Centers (SAC)

SAC meets the needs of parents requiring child care on a daily basis for children grades K-6, such as before and/or after school programs, full-day programs (when school is not in session), and camps for extended school breaks.

Locations include Catlin School Age and Hickam School Age

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Youth Sports and Fitness

Youth Sports and Fitness offers a wide range of team and individual sports in a safe environment throughout the year and sports camps during school breaks.

JBPHH: (808) 473-0789

Teen Center

The open recreation Teen Centers provide activities for youth typically in grades 7-12. Youth have access to BGCA and 4H programs, field trips, special events, camps, scholarships, and more.

JBPHH: (808) 448-1068

ALTERNATIVE CARE OPTIONS

A+ Program

Students in the Department's After-School Plus (A+) Program are given time to complete homework and participate in enrichment and physical activities such as arts, crafts, drama, dance, sports and games. The monthly enrollment fee is \$120 per child, with subsidies available for qualified participants. The A+ Parent Handbook includes more information about the program. For questions about the program, contact your elementary school office or A+ program coordinator.

Program Contact: Jenna Pak, 808-305-0692, jenna_pak@hawaiidoe.org

For more information: <https://www.kamaainakids.com/school-age/program>

YMCA Afterschool Enrichment on Pearl Harbor

After School Enrichment is designed for military children at the elementary level who may benefit from a fun, hands-on, multisensory learning approach in core subjects such as, language arts, science, and math. Each lesson is aligned with core subjects to foster additional emphasis in subjects currently taking place in the classroom and are tailored to each participant's ability. Curriculum is developed for a small group environment and taught by qualified teachers. After School Enrichment, subject matters are offered on a rotating basis.

Program Contact: (808) 473-3398

For more information: <https://www.ymcahonolulu.org/youth-programs/after-school-care>

PATCH Hawaii

Childcare resource and referral (CCR&R) agencies, like PATCH are located throughout the country. CCR&R services have evolved from grassroot efforts to help parents find childcare, to well-developed systems that support parents, providers, and local communities in finding, planning for, and providing quality child care. PATCH is the only Hawaii member of the Child Care Aware National Association of Child Care Resource and Referral Agencies (NACCRA)

Program Contact: (808) 839-1988, patch@patch-hi.org

Child Care Aware

For more information: <http://childcareaware.org/military-child-care-assistance-programs/>

Phone: 1(800) 424-2246, Hours 8 am – 7 pm, Eastern Time, M-F

DoD Pilot program for 5 regions including Hawaii In-house Child Care Fee Assistance Program

<https://www.militaryonesource.mil/family-relationships/parenting-and-children/childcare/in-home-child-care-fee-assistance-program/>

HOME, CHARTER AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS

Charter

<http://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/TeachingAndLearning/EducationInnovation/CharterSchools/Pages/home.aspx>

Private

I have a list of private schools I can send to you, please request in a separate email
<https://www.hais.us.families>

Military Discounts
Scholarships/Work Study

<http://www.honolulumagazine.com/Hawaii-Private-School-Guide/August-2019/Hawaiis-Private-Schools-Offer-a-Variety-of-Settings-Experiences-and-Opportunities/>

Homeschool

<http://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/ParentsAndStudents/EnrollingInSchool/Choosingaschool/Pages/Homeschooling-FAQs.aspxool/Pages/Homeschooling-FAQs.aspx>

TRANSITION SUPPORTS IN SCHOOLS AND NAVY CYP

Transition Centers

Parent Community Network Centers Coordinators (PCNC)/Transition Coordinators (TC) in schools

Anchord4Life

Youth to Youth Welcomes & Tours

Military Family Life Consultants (MFLC)

Lunch Bunch/Lunch Buddy Programs

Youth Sponsorship Program in Navy CYP for SAC and Teen Programs

DID YOU KNOW?

- Hawaii DOE uses Common Core Standards
- If you have a 9-12th grader who is interested in athletics - you must have a sports physical filled out by their PCP. Different than the Hawaii Student Health Record
- IEP and Gate programs will be provided if documentations is provided with equivalent accommodations. "Equivalent" programs does not mean the "exact same"
- Geographic Exceptions require both principals agreement
- A majority of schools do not offer before school care
- Kindergarten entry age is 5 years old by 7/31
- Bus transportation roundtrip costs \$288 annually - quarterly payments available and recommended by schools as there are no refunds for bus passes
- Impact Aid Federal Survey Cards give federal funding to public schools that are lost because of "tax free" federal properties. One survey card is needed for each child, not per family. Impact Aid gives between \$1,500-\$1,700 per child back to the public school system a year.
- Schools start the first week of August and end the last week of May

For more FAQ's please visit,

<http://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/ParentsAndStudents/MilitaryFamilies/Pages/FAQs-for-military-families.aspx>

CONTACTS AND USEFUL WEBSITES

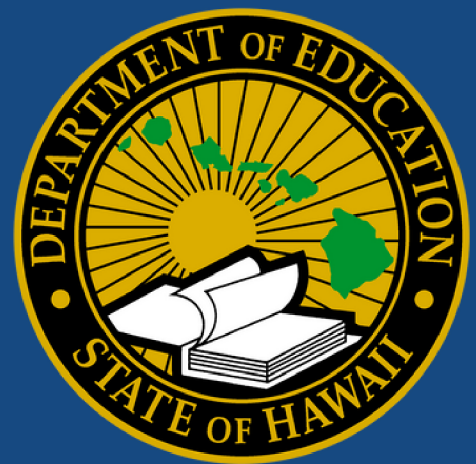
Hawaii Department of Education (HI DOE)

Central District Office (808) 831-6852
Leeward District Office (808) 692-8000
Honolulu District Office (808) 733-4952
Windward District Office (808) 233-5700
Comprehensive Student Support Services (808) 308-9787

Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam www.greatlifehawaii.com
Hawaii Department of Education www.hawaiipublicschools.org
Hawaii Private Schools www.hais.org
Tutor.com www.tutor.com/military
March 2 Success www.march2success.com/index.cfm
Military Kids Connect www.militarykidsconnect.dcoe.mil
Interstate Compact (MIC3) www.mic3.net
Military One Source www.militaryonesource.mil
KHAN Academy www.khanacademy.org
Catholic Schools Hawaii www.catholicschoolshawaii.org
FOCUS (Families Overcoming Under Stress) www.focusproject.org
Special Parent Information Network Hawaii www.spinhawaii.org/Resources/advocacy.html
Leadership in Disabilities & Achievement Hawaii www.ldahawaii.org
Pacer Center, Champions for Children with Disabilities www.pacer.org
Military School Liaison Officers – All Branches www.dodea.edu/Partnerships/schoolLiaisonofficer.cfm
HSLDA Hawaii (Homeschooling) <https://hslda.org/legal/hawaii>



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Hawaii State Department of Education 2024-2025 OFFICIAL SCHOOL CALENDAR

Teachers' Work Year - 1st Semester: July 30, 2024 - January 6, 2025; 2nd Semester: January 7, 2025 - June 2, 2025
Students' Work Year - 1st Semester: August 5, 2024 - December 20, 2024; 2nd Semester: January 7, 2025 - May 30, 2025

Week	Student Days	Teacher Days		Su	M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	
	0	0	July 2024	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	1st SEMESTER - 89 Student Days (Ends December 20)
1	0	4	August	28	29	30	31	1	2	3	July 30: Teachers' First Day
2	5	9		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	July 30 - August 2: Teacher Work Days (no students)
3	9	13		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	August 5: Students' First Day
4	14	18		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	August 16: Statehood Day
5	19	23		25	26	27	28	29	30	31	Q1 43 days Ends Oct. 4
6	23	27	September	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
7	28	32		8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
8	33	37		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
9	38	42		22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
10	43	47	October	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	
11				6	7	8	9	10	11	12	October 7-11: Fall Break***
12	48	52		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	
13	53	57		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
14	58	62	November	27	28	29	30	31	1	2	Q2 46 days Ends Dec. 20
15	62	66		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
16	66	70		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	November 11: Veterans' Day
17	69	73		17	18	19	20	21	22	23	November 28: Thanksgiving
18	74	78		24	25	26	27	28	29	30	November 29: School Holiday
19	79	83	December	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
20	84	88		8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
21	89	93		15	16	17	18	19	20	21	December 23-January 6: Winter Break****/****
22				22	23	24	25	26	27	28	2nd SEMESTER - 93 Student Days (Ends May 30)
23			January 2025	29	30	31	1	2	3	4	December 25: Christmas
24	93	98		5	6	7	8	9	10	11	January 1: New Year's Day
25	98	103		12	13	14	15	16	17	18	January 6: Teacher Workday (no students)*
26	102	107		19	20	21	22	23	24	25	January 20: Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Day
27	107	112	February	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	Q3 46 days Ends Mar. 14
28	112	117		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
29	116	122		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	Date for each island TBD.)
30	120	126		16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
31	125	131	March	23	24	25	26	27	28	1	February 17: Presidents' Day
32	130	136		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
33	135	141		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
34				16	17	18	19	20	21	22	March 17 - 21: Spring Break***
35	139	145		23	24	25	26	27	28	29	March 26: Kuhio Day
36	144	150	April	30	31	1	2	3	4	5	
37	149	155		6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
38	153	159		13	14	15	16	17	18	19	April 18: Good Friday
39	158	164		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	
40	163	169	May	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	Q4 47 days Ends May 30
41	168	174		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
42	173	179		11	12	13	14	15	16	17	
43	178	184		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	May 26: Memorial Day
44	182	188		25	26	27	28	29	30	31	May 30: Last Day for Students & Second Semester Ends**
45	182	189	June	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	June 2: Last Day for Teachers
	-2^			8	9	10	11	12	13	14	

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*Teacher workday between semesters: Jan. 6 **Commencement exercises: No sooner than May 23, 2025

***For 10-month teachers - Intersession: Oct. 7-11; Recesses: Dec. 23-Jan. 3 and March 17-21

****For 12-month teachers - Paid break days include the day after Thanksgiving: Nov. 29, and

Winter Break: Dec. 23-Jan. 3

Educational Officer & Teacher Institute Days: February 10-14 (one day per island)

^A2 Instructional days shall be converted to a non-student day for school planning and collaboration.

^^The work year for teachers consists of 193 days. Teachers report to campus for 189 days and 4 additional days, converted to 27 hours, shall be scheduled contiguous to the teacher's work day. 21 hours are used for job-embedded professional development and 6 hours for training, planning and assessment, or teacher evaluation meetings.

STATE HOLIDAYS: 2024-2025 SCHOOL YEAR

Statehood Day:	August 16, 2024
Labor Day:	September 2, 2024
Election Day:	November 5, 2024
Veterans' Day:	November 11, 2024
Thanksgiving Day:	November 28, 2024
Christmas Day:	December 25, 2024
New Year's Day:	January 1, 2025
Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day:	January 20, 2025
Presidents' Day:	February 17, 2025
Prince Jonah Kūhio Kalanianaʻōle Day:	March 26, 2025
Good Friday:	April 18, 2025
Memorial Day:	May 26, 2025