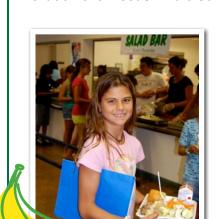


COMPONENT OVERVIEW **HEALTHY FOOD ON CAMPUS**

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The 'AINA In Schools Healthy Food On Campus component increases local, fresh products in school lunches and snack programs to provide healthy choices. It also encourages healthy food and waste-free alternatives in home lunches, classroom celebrations, and school fundraisers.

Grade Level Focus: Entire School.



Educational Offerings

- Kōkua Hawai'i Foundation staff consult with 'AINA Schools to develop and build upon school food initiatives appropriate for each campus.
- Healthy Snack Programs expose children to fresh, local produce while providing a nutritious learning experience. Some 'ĀINA Schools participate in the Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program while others fundraise to implement and coordinate their own snacks.
- The 'ĀINA In Schools Fresh Choice Hawaiian Harvest Toolkit features info sheets, prep guides, and signage on locally grown fruits and vegetables. This resource has been distributed to all Hawai'i schools participating in the Fresh Fruit & Vegetable Program and is available for download at kokuahawaiifoundation.org/hawaiianharvest.
- Student Farmers' Markets and "farm-raisers" are excellent ways for kids to become eco-entrepreneurs while supporting their school garden and local farmers through school fundraisers.
- Kōkua Hawai'i Foundation has been actively involved in supporting 'Aina Pono, the Hawai'i State Farm to School Program aimed at increasing the amount of locally sourced, scratch-cooked meals in DOE schools. For more information, see ainapono.org.

Getting Involved & Learning More

- · Resource guides on Healthy and Waste-Free Lunches. Healthy Snacks and Waste-Free Classroom Celebrations, Green Fundraising for Schools and more are available.
- Visit kokuahawaiifoundation.org/resources.
- · To support 'ĀINA In Schools contact aina@kokuahawaiifoundation.org.
- Subscribe to KHF and 'ĀINA In Schools e-newsletters for the latest information.
- · Become a KHF Member at kokuahawaiifoundation.org/membership.

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