# State Performance Plan/Annual Performance Report FFY 2020-2025 Stakeholder Engagement

# Indicators 7 & 8

# Preschool Outcomes Parent Involvement

Monitoring and Compliance Branch & Exceptional Support Branch SEAC Meeting September 10, 2021



# Participant Outcomes Indicators 7 and 8



# **Engaging Families in the Educational Process**

Parent involvement is one of the most important predictors of students' educational success. Compared with students whose parents are not involved in their education, students whose parents participate in their education tend to:

- Have better grades
- Stay in school
- Graduate from high school at higher rates
- Demonstrate better social skills and behavior





Castro et al. 2015; Henderson and Mapp 2002; Mapp, Carver & Lander, 2017

### Preschool Outcomes

Parent input is valuable and important in order to assess the whole child. The Hawaii State Department of Education measures growth in preschool aged children 3-5 years with an Individualized Education Program (IEP). Student's skills are assessed as they continue to grow and learn. Talk with your child's teacher or IEP team to see how you can support your child's early learning.



#### Social-Emotional Skills

This outcome measures:

- · Playing and interacting with adults & other children
- Learning how to manage their feelings
- · Understanding and following rules

Parent feedback to the school can include:

- How my child expresses their feelings
- · How my child interacts with others in the community

### Knowledge & Skills

This outcome measures:

- · Thinking, problem solving & remembering
- · Displaying an interest in learning
- · Understanding and communicating thoughts & ideas

Parent feedback to the school can include:

- · What skills and activities my child does well
- · What skills and activities my child finds difficult





#### Meeting Own Needs

This outcome measures:

- · Self-care like feeding, toileting, dressing & grooming
- · Using objects like a crayons, utensils & switches as tools
- · Acting appropriately to get what they want

Parent feedback to the school can include:

- · How my child takes care of their basic needs
- How my child uses tools in their day to day life

Source: Hawaii DDE, Monitoring and Compliance Branch & Georgia Dept. of Education Note: Preschool Outcomes is required by IDEA and is reported as "Indicator 7". Read the report here: https://www.hawaiigublicschools.org/DDE%20Forms/Special%20Education/HIDDE.SPP

Created by SPIN Special Parent Information Network September 2021



# Preschool Outcomes Infographic

# Created in collaboration with SPIN

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### What is Indicator 7?

Preschool Outcomes



IDEA federal requirement that measures the percent of children 3 through 5 with IEPs who demonstrate improved:

- A. Positive social-emotional skills (including social relationships);
- B. Acquisition and use of knowledge and skills (including early language/communication and early literacy); and
- C. Use of appropriate behaviors to meet their needs.

### **Data Source**







# Data for Indicator 7 is required to be collected at two points in time:

- When a child first enters Part B Preschool Services; and
- 2) When a child exits Part B preschool services.



# Five Progress Categories for Each Outcome

### The percent of children who:

- a) Did not improve functioning
- b) Improved functioning, but not sufficient to move nearer to functioning comparable to same-aged peers
- c) Improved functioning to a level nearer to same-aged peers, but did not reach it
- d) Improved functioning to reach a level comparable to same-aged peers
- e) Maintained functioning at a level comparable to same-aged peers



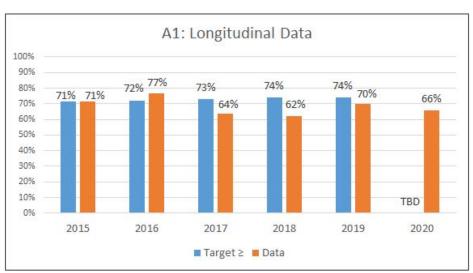
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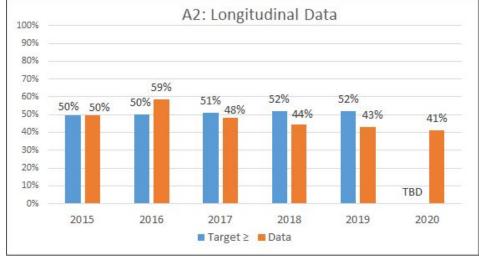
- Summary Statement 1: Of those children who entered the program below age expectations in each Outcome, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they exited the program.
- □ Summary Statement 2: The percent of children who were functioning within age expectations in each Outcome by the time they exited the program.

### A. Positive Social-Emotional Skills

A1. Of those preschool children who entered or exited the preschool program below age expectations in Outcome A, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they turned 6 years of age or exited the program.

A2. The percent of preschool children who were functioning within age expectations in Outcome A by the time they turned 6 years of age or exited the program.

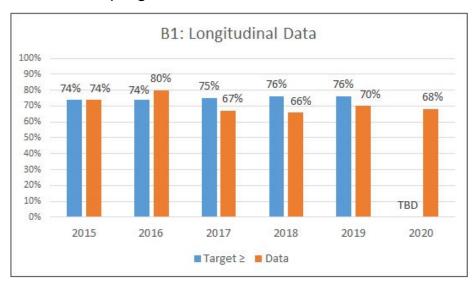


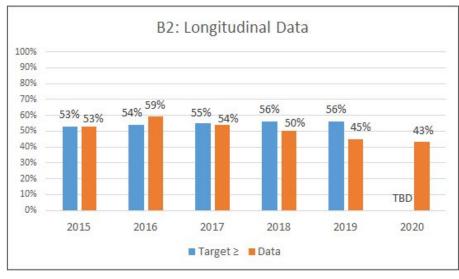




### B. Acquisition and Use of Knowledge and Skills

- B1. Of those children who entered the program below age expectations in Outcome B, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they exited the program.
- B2. The percent of children who were functioning within age expectations in Outcome B by the time they exited the program.

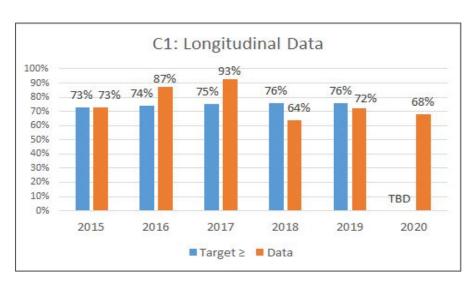


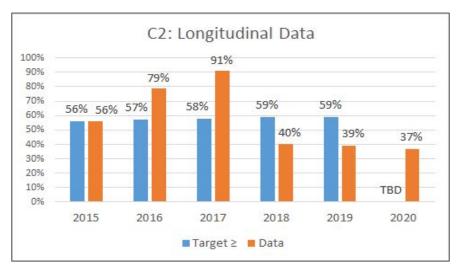




### C. Use of Appropriate Behaviors to Meet Their Needs

- C1. Of those children who entered the program below age expectations in Outcome C, the percent who substantially increased their rate of growth by the time they exited the program.
- C2. The percent of children who were functioning within age expectations in Outcome C by the time they exited the program.







# Strategies for Improvement Preschool Outcomes





# It's all about language

### Functional/conversational

- Language for daily living
- Getting things done & having relationships



### **Academic language**

• Language for formal learning





Children with oral language difficulties are at risk for later reading challenges, particularly comprehension.

For social emotional health and academic success, children need to be able to share information with others.





### Research: Language and Literacy Connection

ASHA. 2001, Justice (2002)

Oral language provides the foundation for the development of literacy

The relationship between oral language and literacy development is reciprocal in nature (Boudreau & Hedberg, 1999; Chaney, 1992; Dickinson & Tabors, 1991; Lonigan et al., 1999; Maclean, Bryant, & Bradley, 1987).

Children with speech and language impairments are at increased risk for difficulties with early and conventional literacy development

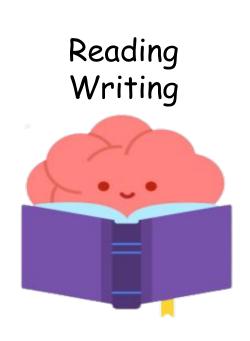
Intervention for oral language can positively influence literacy development and vice versa.



# Preschool to 3rd grade connection

Skills in oral language are predictive of later written language achievements, particularly in the area of reading (Catts, et al., 2001, 2002)

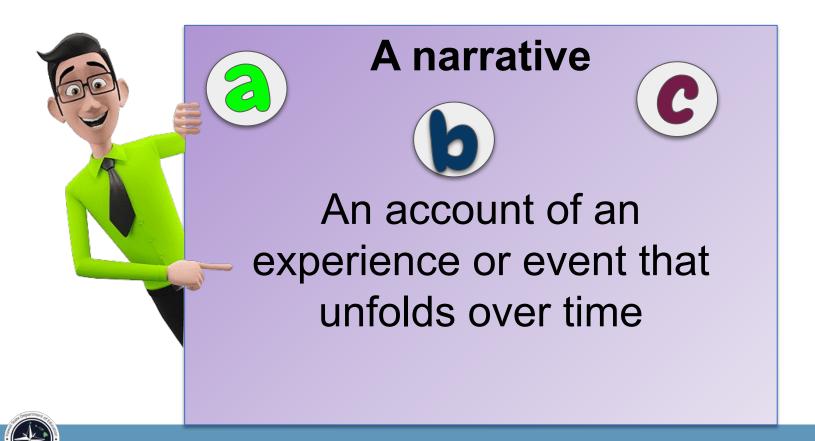
A strong focus on oral language development in early years is critical for future academic success (Marchman et al., 2013)



The gap in academic ability tends to persist or grow throughout the school experience, particularly those who are at risk (Fielding et al., 2007)



## **Improvement Activities**



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### **Professional Learning Communities**

#### Who

- District Resource Teachers
- Speech-Language Pathologists

#### Content:

- Interactive Reading Strategies and
- Coaching
  - Teachers and
  - Parents

#### Goal:

- Improve language & literacy skills
- Enhance student outcomes

### Research

Enhances language development

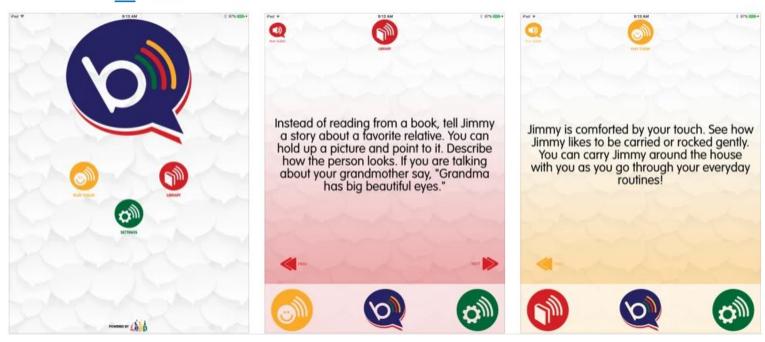
Facilitates the acquisition of emergent literacy skills

Is respectful of economic, cultural and environmental differences



# FREE app: Beginning with Babble I-phone or I-pad

Screenshots iPad iPhone





# Suggestions for Improvement Strategies Preschool Outcomes

#### Implemented:

- Professional Development with preschool Resource Teachers & SLP Coordinators statewide
- Preschool Outcomes data
  - Oral language challenges amongst preschool population
  - Language literacy connections (overview)
- Preschool Workgroup with selected DESs

### **Continued Events and Coming Soon:**

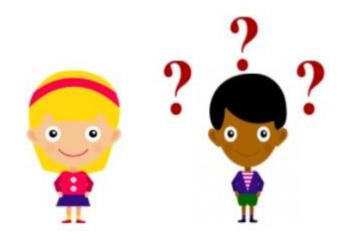
- Continued PLCs with Preschool RTs and SLPs
- In-depth training with selected preschool RTs and SLPs
  - Language and Literacy
  - Coaching for teachers and parents

### **Your Input:**

 Please use this <u>link</u> to provide your suggestions for strategies for improvement for further discussion at the December 10 meeting.



# Indicator 7 Preschool Outcomes





### What is Indicator 8?

Parent Involvement

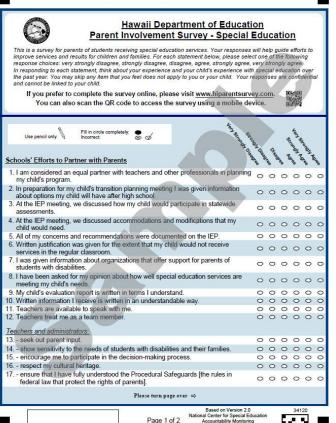


IDEA federal requirement to survey parents to determine the percent of parents with a child receiving special education services who report that schools facilitated parent involvement as a means of improving services and results for children with disabilities.

(20 U.S.C. §1416(a)(3)(A))



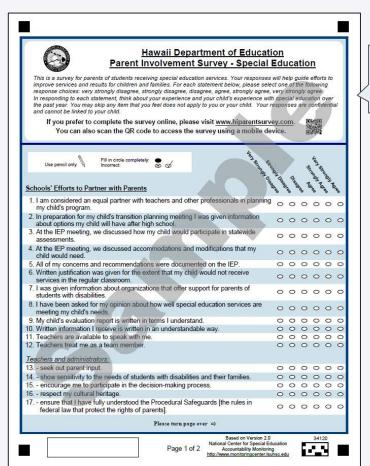
### **Data Source**



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Schools' Efforts to Partner with Parents (cont.)  The school:		
18 has a person on staft who is available to answer parents' questions.  19 communicates regularly with me regarding my child's progress on IEP goals.  20 gives me choices with regard to services that address my child's needs.  21 offers parents training about special education issues.  22 offers parents a variety of ways to communicate with teachers.  23 gives parents the help they may need to play an active role in their child's education.		
school.  25 explains what options parents have if they disagree with a decision of the school.		
26. Child's Grade  27. Child's Age in Years  28. Child's Race / Ethnicity (Babble cae caly)  28. Child's Race / Ethnicity (Babble cae caly)  Two or more races  American Indian or Alaskan Native  Asian  Black or Affican-American  Black or Affican-American  Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander  White  White  29. Child's Disability  Developmental Delay  Emotional Disability  Hard of Hearing  Intellegtual Disability  Outhopedic Disability  Other Health Disability  Specific Learning Disability  Specific Learning Disability  Traumatic Brain Injury  Visual Disability induding Blindness  30. District (Bubble cae caly)  Central Leeward  Hawaii Maui  Honolulu Windward  Kauai		
31. School Name:		
a1. School Name:		
Thank you for your participation		



# **Survey Delivery Methods**



Paper Copy

Online version was released SY 2020-21



Indicator 8:
Parent Involvement Survey - Special Education
School Year 2021-22

Translations are available in 15 languages.

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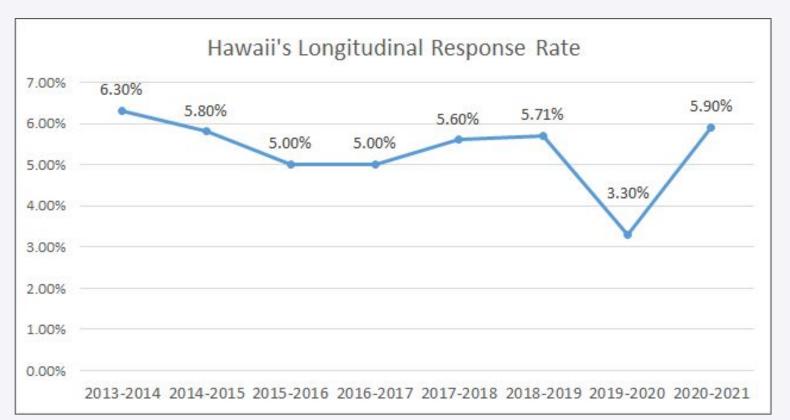


# **Distribution of Survey Versions - SY 2020-21**

Survey Version	Respondents	Total Respondents	Percentage
Paper Copy	604	1,178	51%
Online	574	1,178	49%

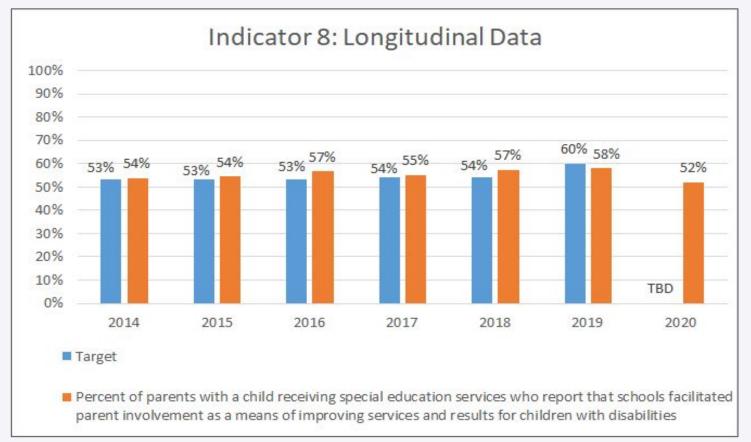


# Hawaii's Longitudinal Response Rate





# **Indicator 8: Longitudinal Data**





# Responses by Grade Category - SY 2020-21

Grade Category	Percentage	Child Count %
Pre-Kindergarten	18%	10%
Kindergarten–Grade 5	46%	38%
Grades 6-8	17%	22%
Grades 9-12+	16%	30%
Missing	3%	NA

# Responses by Race/Ethnicity - SY 2020-21

Race/Ethnicity	Percentage	Child Count %
American Indian or Alaskan Native	<1%	0.22%
Asian	21%	17%
Black or African American	1%	2%
Hispanic/Latino	3%	20%
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	23%	33%
White	9%	12%
Two or More Races	41%	16%
Missing	2%	NA

# Responses by Eligibility Category - SY 2020-21

Disability Category	Percentage	Child Count %
Autism	18%	11%
Hearing Impairment	<1%	1%
Developmental Delay	14%	15%
Deaf-Blindness	0%	.02%
Emotional Disturbance	3%	5%
Intellectual Disability	3%	7%
Multiple Disabilities	11%	3%
Orthopedic Impairment	<1%	.28%
Other Health Impairment	13%	16%
Specific Learning Disability	12%	38%
Speech or Language Impairment	16%	4%
Traumatic Brain Injury	<1%	.29%
Visual Impairment	<1%	.25%
Missing	7%	NA

### Statewide Responses Ranked by Satisfaction

Items are ranked from the most to the least responses of "Strongly Agreed" and "Very Strongly Agreed."

71%	Teachers are available to speak with me.
70%	At the IEP meeting, we discussed accommodations and modifications that my child would need.
70%	Teachers treat me as a team member.
69%	I am considered an equal partner with teachers and other professionals in planning my child's program.
68%	All of my concerns and recommendations were documented on the IEP.
67%	Teachers and administrators show sensitivity to the needs of students with disabilities and their families.
66%	Teachers and administrators ensure that I have fully understood the Procedural Safeguards [the rules in federal law that protect the rights of parents].
66%	Teachers and administrators encourage me to participate in the decision-making process.
65%	The school has a person on staff who is available to answer parents' questions.
64%	Teachers and administrators seek out parent input.
63%	Teachers and administrators respect my cultural heritage.
63%	Written information I receive is written in an understandable way.
62%	My child's evaluation report is written in terms I understand.

## Statewide Responses Ranked by Satisfaction (pg.2)

Items are ranked from the most to the least responses of "Strongly Agreed" and "Very Strongly Agreed."

61%	The school offers parents a variety of ways to communicate with teachers.
60%	The school gives me choices with regard to services that address my child's needs.
60%	The school communicates regularly with me regarding my child's progress on IEP goals.
56%	The school gives parents the help they may need to play an active role in their child's education.
56%	I have been asked for my opinion about how well the special education services my child receives are meeting my child's needs.
51%	At the IEP meeting, we discussed how my child would participate in statewide assessments.
46%	Written justification was given for the extent that my child would not receive services in the regular classroom.
45%	The school explains what options parents have if they disagree with a decision of the school.
39%	The school provides information on agencies that can assist my child in the transition from school.
37%	I was given information about organizations that offer support for parents of students with disabilities.
36%	The school offers parents training about special education issues.
36%	In preparation for my child's transition planning meeting, I was given information about options my child will have after high school.

# Strategies for Improvement Parent Involvement

#### Implemented:

- Online version of the survey
- Parent Involvement Handout for School Staff
- Translations of the survey available in 14 languages including English
- SEAC & DOE Infographic
- PLCs with Complex Areas

#### **Coming soon:**

- Continued PLCs
- Parent Involvement Handout will be translated in 13 additional languages
- Online survey transition to be available in other languages

#### **Your Input:**

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#### **Parent Involvement Survey Handout Special Education**

School Year 2021 - 2022



The Hawaii State Department of Education (HIDOE) values your involvement in the Individualized Education Program (IEP) meetings and other school activities/events relating to your child's education and would like to hear about your experience with your school's efforts to partner with you. Your participation in the Parent Involvement Survey will help HIDOE to improve parental involvement in the special education process and increase positive outcomes for our students with disabilities and their families.

To meet the requirements of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act of 2004 (IDEA), the HIDOE is required to annually report to the Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP) the percent of parents with a child receiving special education services who report that schools facilitated parent involvement as a means of improving services and results for children with disabilities enrolled in Hawaii public schools in the provision of a free appropriate public education (20) U.S.C. 1416(a)(3)(A)).

Like many other states, HIDOE collects this data through a large-scale survey. The HIDOE is using the Schools' Efforts to Partner with Parents Scale (SEPPS) that consists of a 25-item rating scale and was developed and validated by the National Center for Special Education and Accountability Monitoring (NCSEAM).

#### The Parent Involvement Survey:

- . Is multiple choice and takes less than ten (10) minutes to complete.
- Collects responses that are reported anonymously and cannot be personally linked to you or your
- . Is available either online or from your child's public school in a paper copy to be submitted using the provided postage-paid envelope.
- Ensures objectivity by being collated, aggregated, and analyzed independently outside of the HIDOE by the current contractor, Piedra Data Services LLC.
- Provides you with the opportunity to complete one (1) survey per child receiving special education. and related services.
- Is offered by your child's public school after the initial or annual IEP meeting.
- Is available to be completed from July 1, 2021 June 30, 2022.

#### SURVEY INSTRUCTIONS

If you do not have access to a device, ask your child's school if a device is available for use at the campus.

On a computer, smart phone, or tablet, open an Internet browser, and go to: https://www.hiparentsurvey.com/ and complete the survey.

If you have a Quick Response (QR) reader on your device, you can access the survey using the this QR code.

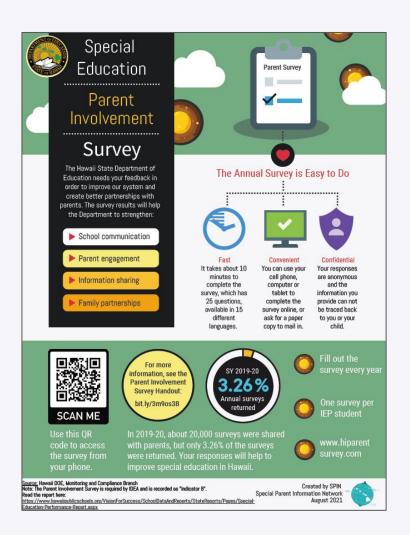
If you would like to complete the survey via a paper copy, please contact your child's school



This handout can also be found on the HIDOE website under Parent Involvement Survey: http://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/TeachingAndLearning/SpecializedPrograms/SpecialEducation/Pages/h ome.aspx

# HIDOE Parent Involvement Survey **Handout**





# Parent Involvement Survey Infographic

# Created in collaboration with SPIN

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