

Hawaii Department of Education Every Student Succeeds Act Summary of Statewide Engagement

In January 2016, the Hawaii Department of Education began to solicit input that would impact development of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Consolidated State Plan. Public engagement occurred statewide through a variety of forums, culminating in a final plan presented to the Board of Education on June 20, 2017.

Statewide Meetings

The Hawaii Department of Education convened or participated in over **230 meetings** to share information and gather feedback on ESSA, including meetings with:

Governor | Legislative Leaders | HSTA
School Leaders | Teacher Leader Work Group
Native Hawaiian Education Advocates
Charter Schools & Commission | Community Partners
Teacher Education Coordinating Committee
Hawaii State Student Council | HE`E Coalition

Board of Education

Between January 19, 2016 and June 6, 2017, the Board of Education heard **35 presentations** on topics impacting ESSA and acted as a public forum, collecting **450 pieces testimony** on these topics.

From January 2016 to June 2017, there were:

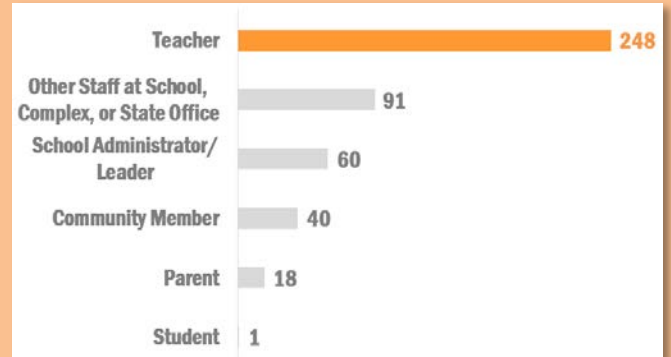
- 273** pieces of written testimony.
- 176** pieces of oral testimony.
- 22** general board meeting presentations.
- 13** committee presentations.

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Public Comment

458 people participated in a public comment period to provide feedback on Hawaii's ESSA Consolidated State Plan through an **online survey** between April 18 and May 18, 2017.

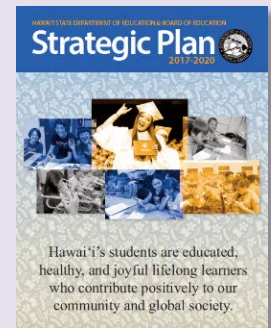


During the public comment period, there were:

- 7,989** views of the draft consolidated plan.
- 4,149** views of the executive summary of the plan.
- 1,350** views of the feedback page on the website.
- 186** plays of the ESSA video.
- 105** views of the public comment press release.

Plan Alignment

The Consolidated State Plan draft is aligned with **Hawaii's Blueprint for Public Education** and the **2017-2020 Strategic Plan**, both created through unprecedented stakeholder engagement.



- 2,125** meeting attendees
- 1,019** summit attendees
- 20** meetings/forums
- 2,573** survey responses
- 108** focus groups
- 9** community meetings