October 10, 2012

Aloha e Parents/Guardians,

On behalf of the Pāhana Kīpaepae team, we would like to ask for your kōkua in participating in the Speak Up national research project survey. Speak Up is the first survey designed to help parents share their ideas directly with schools and national policymakers. As key stakeholders, Speak Up provides you, the parents/guardians, with a mechanism for expressing your views to the administrators at Kamehameha Schools Hawai 'i High School about key areas impacting your child(ren). Since 2003, Speak Up has collected and shared the views of 2.6 million students, teachers, and parents from all 50 states, as well as internationally.

Providing us your feedback is vital as we strive to improve our efforts in our Pāhana Kīpaepae 1:1 Laptop Program.

Please refer to the directions below. If you have any questions, please contact Phil Aganus, Vice Principal at phaganus@ksbe.edu.

Please complete the survey prior to December 21st, 2012.

Mahalo a nui loa in advance for taking the time to share your mana'o, The KSH HS Pāhana Kīpaepae Core Planning Team

> Speak Up Survey Instructions for Parents



Speak Up 2012 is open for input Oct 3rd – Dec 21st

- Step 1: Go to the Speak Up Welcome page at http://www.speakup4schools.org/speakup2012
- Step 2: Click on the Blue button to the bottom-left labeled "Parents enter here to take the survey".
- Step 3: Look up your child's school
 - 1.) Click on the state drop down button and select Hawai'i
 - 2.) Go down to the next line and type in Kamehameha.
 - 3.) Click on the "Find School" button.
 - 4.) Three different Kamehameha Schools will be listed. Click on: *Kamehameha Schools Hawaii High School KSH-HS.*

Step 4: You will now begin the survey. SURVEY PASSWORD for parents: keaau

Please read the Parent's introduction page. Then click on the red arrow (next) to begin the survey.

- 1.) Please use the RED arrow tabs labeled next and back to go to the next page (not the browser buttons).
- 2.) Please read the 29 questions thoroughly. For questions with circles you will choose one answer and for questions with squares you choose all that apply.
- 3.) If you are unsure of a question just skip to the next question.
- 4.) The survey should take approximately 20 minutes to complete.

Thank you for your participation in Speak Up 2012! For more information on Speak Up, visit <u>http://www.tomorrow.org/</u>