

## **STUDENT ADMISSIONS AND ENROLLMENT POLICY**

Myron B. Thompson Academy (MBTA) subscribes to the principles and laws of the State of Hawaii and the Federal Government pertaining to civil rights and equal opportunity.

This MBTA policy prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, marital or parental status, national origin or ancestry, age, disability or need for special education services. MBTA does not limit admission based on race, ethnicity, national origin, disability, gender, income level, academic or athletic ability or proficiency in the English language.

In the event there are more applicants than there are spaces available, students will be selected for enrollment using a random selection process that shall be publicly announced and open to the public. No enrollment preferences are used in current admissions processes except for returning students. Returning students are not required to go through the admissions process once accepted at MBTA.

For MBTA's K-6 program, instruction delivery of the curriculum is a shared responsibility between parent(s) and the elementary teacher. Subsequently, at least one parent/legal guardian is responsible for the delivery of curriculum instruction in the home environment, dedicating an undivided, unconditional academic focus on the MBTA student without interruption from external factors.

Parents must submit a completed application by the school's enrollment deadline in order for the application to be processed. Applications received after the deadline will be placed on the new enrollment waitlist. Applications that remain incomplete once the deadline expires will also be placed on the new enrollment waitlist.