2021 Annual Report

Reading Changes Lives



COMMUNITY IMPACT

Presentations to Help Families Support their Children with Dyslexia at Home & School

- *Advocacy and Your Child with Learning Differences
- *Back-to-School and Your Child with Learning Differences
- College Disability Services and Accommodations
- · HIDA Overview (presentation for LDAH Parent Talk Café)

Research-Based Instructional Strategies for Teachers & Tutors

- *Linking Language and Reading Comprehension
- Educator Spotlight featuring Veteran Educator Cindy Thurman

Due to the ongoing pandemic, all events were held virtually.

Visit HIDA's YouTube Channel ("Hawaii Dyslexia - HIDA")

to watch the recorded presentations.

Over \$2,500 in Scholarship Awards to Hawai'i Parents & Teachers for the 2021 Conference of the International Dyslexia Association

Each award included:

- Virtual access to the Reading, Literacy & Learning Conference
- * 1-year IDA/HIDA Membership



Resources 24/7 at Website (hi.dyslexiaida.org) + YouTube Channel ("Hawaii Dyslexia - HIDA")

- Lists for Diagnostic Assessment and Private Tutoring
- · A Resource Guide About Dyslexia for People in Hawai'i
- Youth Self-Advocacy Card + "You Are Not Alone!" wristband
- Recorded Webinars and Educational Presentations
- · Links to other Community Resources

Personal Assistance

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GRANTS FOR PROGRAM & OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

O'ahu Visitor Industry Charity Walk

Hawai'i Bowl Foundation

F. William Littlejohn and Amy E. Littlejohn Fund of the Hawai'i Community Foundation

We are grateful and honored by the generosity of foundations, individuals and businesses who have chosen to join HIDA's mission in supporting struggling readers throughout Hawai'i.

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The mission of the Hawai'i Branch of the
International Dyslexia Association (HIDA) is to
increase awareness of dyslexia in our community; provide support for
people with dyslexia, families and educators; promote teacher training;
and, improve literacy for struggling readers.