

# Hawaii

HUNGER AT A GLANCE



1 in 6

kids struggles with hunger



Only 29%

of eligible kids who need school breakfast are getting it

Summer meals sites are serving



only 6%

of the meals that kids need

## Our Partners in Hawaii

No Kid Hungry works with a variety of local organizations, including:

**Maui Family YMCA**

**Kauai Food Bank**

**YMCA of Honolulu**

## No Kid Hungry's Impact in Hawaii

Mahina is a third grader who participates in the YMCA of Honolulu's afterschool programs. She knows the importance of food to fuel her days, "We need energy in our body. We could get hungry and be grouchy." Thanks to a grant from No Kid Hungry, the YMCA of Honolulu was not only able to provide healthy afterschool meals to kids like Mahina, they also developed a new resource



kit of lessons for their afterschool program staff that promotes the importance of breakfast and healthy eating. The lessons incorporate food skills education, the chance to reflect on their eating habits, and hands-on activities.

By providing children at risk of hunger a safe community space where they can get a healthy meal, as well as the opportunity to develop lifelong healthy habits, No Kid Hungry is ensuring that children like Mahina grow up free from the burden of hunger.

## About No Kid Hungry

No child should go hungry in America. But 1 in 6 kids will face hunger this year. No Kid Hungry is ending childhood hunger through effective programs that provide kids with the food they need. This is a problem we know how to solve. No Kid Hungry is a campaign of Share Our Strength, an organization working to end hunger and poverty.

## Take Action

Learn more about how you can help end childhood hunger.

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