

## International Student Service Fee

Mid-Pacific Institute provides educational opportunities to many international students and enriches the entire school community. With over 60 students from over 5 countries, Mid-Pacific is committed to provide the best educational experiences and services to support international students and their families. To respond to this commitment, Mid-Pacific required the International Student Service Fee.

Mid-Pacific International students are defined as students who don't have U.S. citizenship or legal permanent resident status ("Green Card") and need to obtain or have Form I-20 and/or a visa to be allowed into the U.S.

International Student Service Fee (annual fee): A fee of \$2,000 is charged annually to the enrolled student at Mid-Pacific who is considered an international student (between 7th and 12th grade).

The fees are used to support and enhance specialized services for the international students and families.

- **Pre-Arrival Orientation:** Provision of checklist and communication designed to prepare students for life at Mid-Pacific and a smooth transition to life in Hawaii.
- **Post-Arrival Orientation:** A welcoming program to facilitate a smooth adjustment to life in the United States and Hawaii.
- **At least bi-annual check ins with International Student Coordinator :** Provision of academic and cultural support about student life and personal matters.
- **Immigration Advising:** Providing accurate immigration information to international students, and monitors and tracks student immigration status.

- **International Student Activities:** Opportunities for cultural, social, and educational programs.
- **Academic Support:** Academic support and connections to Mid Pacific resources available.
- **Post Secondary Plan Support:** College and Career support, guidance for MaiaLearning platform and connection to Mid Pacific resources available.
- **Cultural Adjustment Support:** International Pueo Program, Workshops and resources designed to provide information on a wide variety of topics to international students to facilitate their cultural adjustment.
- **Parent Support and Communication:** Support services and communication between Mid-Pacific Institute, the student, and families.
- **Operational Support:** Staffing and technological infrastructure to better serve the growing international community.