Happy New Year

Message from the UH Hilo Upward Bound Director

WILL & CHOICE

Aloha and best New Years wishes to every Upward Bound student and parent. The Upward Bound family hopes everyone experienced a wonderful and unforgettable Christmas and holiday season. The New Year is upon us offering each of us an opportunity to begin anew.

First Semester, for better or worse is now history, and very soon the Second Semester will begin. Seniors, this is the last semester before moving on to the challenges and opportunities accompanying attendance at an institution of higher education. Your world is about to become much larger. Juniors, sophomores and freshmen you have the coming semester to advance academically and experience a multitude of activities to expand your understanding about an increasingly wonderful world.

Although it is important to do the above, it is also important to reserve time for reflection, to look at what you have accomplished and set new challenging goals that will lead to the rewards you want. This is a time to look at who you are with satisfaction and also a time to develop a plan to become even better. You can accomplish anything you chose to do, provided you are willing to make sound choices. Your ‘WILL’ and the ‘CHOICES’ you make will determine your future.

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