Honolulu Kuang Hwa Chinese School
檀香山光華中文學校
100 N. Beretania St. #204, Honolulu, HI 96817. Also c/o principal Anna L. Hsiung, 1212 Farrington Street, Honolulu, HI 96826; Telephone (808) 941-4528

**Mission:** To promulgate Chinese culture by teaching children the Chinese language as well as the concepts of filial piety, respect for teachers, and social ethics and morality.

**History:** Mr. Rex Fa founded the School on September 3, 1985, to perpetuate Chinese culture and enable future generations to learn about their Chinese heritage. The first students enrolled in the school were children of friends and acquaintances. When he became the general manager of the Longevity Corporation (that ran the Chinese Cultural Plaza), he handed the School over to other willing and capable volunteers to operate.

**Activities** Kwang Hwa schedules three 16-week terms of Chinese language (Mandarin) classes a year: the Fall term beginning on the first Saturday in September, the Spring term beginning on the first Saturday in January, and the Summer term beginning on the first Saturday in May. Classes meet every Saturday afternoon, from 1:30 to 4 pm.

**Membership:** There are currently between 25-30 students, aged 5 and above, being taught in small classes by four native-speaking instructors. Tuition is $150 per term, including the cost of books and materials. If one family enrolls more than one student, all enrollees after the first receive a 20% discount.

**Principals**
- 1985–87 Rex Fa 法龍標
- 1988–92 Lily Lu 吳天莉
- 1993–pres. Anna L. Hsiung 熊慮靜安

**Teachers:** Ruby Yang Jochum, Lily Kamei, and Jane Wang

Sources: UCS directory; correspondence with Anna Hsiung and Ruby Yang Jochum