# **Number of Faculty and Staff**

Position		Number of Staff
Principal		1
	Vice Principal	1
	Japanese	3
	Social Studies	3
	Mathematics	4
	Science	3
Teaching	Music	1
Staff	Art	1
	Physical Education / Health	3
	Home Economics	1
	English	3
	Special Education	2
Off-Campus		0
	Office Staff	1
	Nurse	1
Pro	efectural Faculty	28
	Janitor	1
Tota	al Full-Time Staff	29
	Librarian	1
Assistant	Language Teacher (ALT)	1
	Student Support	1
Support Staff	Special Education	1
	Information Technology	1
Counselor		1
Security		1
	Food Service	2
	Overall Total	38

#### **Number of Students**

1st Grade			
Class	Male	Female	Total
1	16	14	30
2	15	14	29
3	16	14	30
4	16	13	29
5	15	14	29
Total	78	69	147

2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade			
Class	Male	Female	Total
1	21	19	40
2	19	20	39
3	20	19	39
4	20	19	39
Total	80	77	157

3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade			
Class	Male	Female	Total
1	15	17	32
2	14	17	31
3	14	17	31
4	15	17	32
Total	58	68	126

Special Education			
Grade	Male	Female	Total
1 <sup>st</sup>	1		1
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1		1
3 <sup>rd</sup>			
Total	2		2

Overall Student Population		
Male	Female	Total
218	214	432

#### **Extracurricular Activities**

Athletics		
Club	Members	
Girls' Volleyball	17	
Boys' Basketball	30	
Boys' Table Tennis	26	
Girls' Table Tennis	42	
Girls' Soft Tennis	24	
Baseball	32	
Softball	33	
Track and Field	34	
Soccer	45	

Cultural / Academic		
Club	Members	
Brass Band	79	
Art	7	
Broadcasting	7	
Science	21	
Volunteering	23	



## **Education Policy**

In order to realize the educational goals of this school, we will endeavor to:

- Raise conscientious, self-motivated students who have clear goals
- Maintain a supportive, friendly environment and encourage positive interpersonal relationships
- Teach fundamental life skills, foster self-reliance, and instill the value of hard work
- Cooperate with families and the community to encourage student health and wellbeing

# **Educational Objectives**

Using the educational policy above as a guideline, we strive to raise students who possess a balance of knowledge, virtue, health, generosity, and academic ability. Our aim is to encourage the growth of proactive students who:

- Respect all life
- Innovate while still observing tradition
- Appreciate the value of gratitude and cooperation

#### **School Objectives**

- Our school should be a cheerful, dynamic place where every student is valued
- Students should always feel safe and supported
- Our school should walk in step with the community and earn the trust of parents and the public

# **Student Objectives**

- Students should follow the *Kanazawa Children's Kagayaki Declaration*
- Students should be friendly, on time, and strive to improve the world around them
- Students should work hard toward their goals and take responsibility for their own actions

## **Instructor Objectives**

- Teachers should be passionate about each and every student's growth
- Teachers should strive for self-improvement, take pride in their roles as professionals, and be strong leaders
- Teachers should be responsible, ethical, and generous

# **School History**

April 1st, 1947 – As part of the new education policy, Kanaiwa-machi Junior High School is born. The main school is located in the same building as Kanaiwa-machi Elementary, while branch schools are established in Daitoku, Ono, and Futatsuka. Yoichirō Morikawa serves as the first principal.

May 17<sup>th</sup>, 1947 – The official opening ceremony is held. April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1948 – The school is renamed Kanaiwa Junior High School. A third grade is established at the Futatsuka branch school.

March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1952 – The school crest and song are created.

**April** 7<sup>th</sup>, 1952 – Construction begins on a new school at its current location. A branch of Kanaiwa Junior High remains at Kanaiwa-machi Elementary while the Ono, Daitoku, and Futatsuka branches are closed.

**February 12<sup>th</sup>, 1953** – With all students moved to the new school, the Kanaiwa-machi branch is closed.

**February 11<sup>th</sup>, 1956** – A dedication ceremony is held for the new building.

**June 17**th, **1980** – A dedication ceremony is held for the new expansion.

April 1st, 1982 – Midori Junior High opens and part of the student body is relocated.

June 6<sup>th</sup>, 1984 – The new gymnasium is completed.

June  $1^{st}$ , 1985 – Additions to the main building are completed.

May 17<sup>th</sup>, 1987 – A clock tower is built in honor of the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school's founding.

**April 1**st, **1989** – Daitoku Junior High opens and the school district is divided in two.

February  $20^{th}$ , 1992 – The computer / multimedia room is completed.

March 31st, 1994 – Construction on the new swimming pool is completed.

October 14<sup>th</sup>, 1996 – The multipurpose room is completed.

October 16<sup>th</sup>, 1997 – A commemoration ceremony is held for the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school's founding.

**September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2003** – Kanaiwa Junior High launches its school lunch program.

**July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2007** – A commemoration ceremony is held for the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the school's founding.

**September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2011** – The school is further reinforced against earthquakes.

## **Major Annual Events**

April	May	June
1st semester opening ceremony     Entrance ceremony     Ability and subject exams     Academic ability exams (3rd grade)     School trips	Club activity day Kanazawa spring sports tournament Parents' day, PTA meeting Founding day seminar Ist semester midterm exams	Student meeting     English test     Kaga prefectural qualifiers     School sports tournament     1st semester final exams
• Work experience (2 <sup>nd</sup>	• Summer school	• 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester opening
grade) • Kanji test • Speech contest • Parent conferences • 1st semester closing ceremony	Summer check-in     Home visitations     Proficiency tests	eremony School sports day Kanazawa newcomers fall sports tournament
October	November	December
Field trips     English test     Parents' day, school forum     2 <sup>nd</sup> semester midterm exams     Fine arts week     Music festival	Kanji test     Start of B timetable     Standardized testing     (3 <sup>rd</sup> grade)     Career information     session (3 <sup>rd</sup> grade)	2nd semester final exams     Student interviews     English ability test (3rd grade)     Academic ability exams (2nd grade)     Group conferences     2nd semester closing ceremony
January	February	March
3 <sup>rd</sup> semester opening ceremony     Standardized testing (3 <sup>rd</sup> grade)     Proficiency tests     PTA mochi event (3 <sup>rd</sup> grade)     100 person poetry tournament (1 <sup>st</sup> grade)	Private high school entrance exames Career assembly (1st grade) Life goals meeting (2nd grade) Group conferences (3rd grade) Parents' day	<ul> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> semester final exams</li> <li>School sports tournament</li> <li>Public high school ability exams</li> <li>Graduation ceremony</li> <li>3<sup>rd</sup> semester closing ceremony</li> </ul>

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