



Education Programs

Ahupua`a; Hakipu`u

Grade 4

Program: 1.5-2 hours

- Introduction to Kualoa Ranch and Hakipu`u area
 - What is an ahupua`a?
- Hike
 - Experience different environments within the ahupua`a
 - Learn about the different vegetation with a focus on Hawaiian canoe plants
 - Visit a stream and lo`i kalo (taro patch) site in order learn about the importance of water and kalo to the Hawaiian people
 - Stop at a lookout area to view the ahupua`a from the highest mountain peak to the ocean, including a fishpond

Hawaii Content Performance Standards III Benchmarks addressed:

- Explain cause and effect relationships in stories and historical narratives ([SS.3.1.1](#))
- Describe both change and continuity of aspects of Hawaiian culture (including religion, land use, and social systems). ([SS.4.1.1](#))
- Describe how significant people, including those of legend (including Papa and Wakea, Pele, and Pa'ao) affected pre-contact Hawaii ([SS.4.3.10](#))
- Describe the economic interdependence among those living in the `ahupua`a ([SS.4.8.1](#))