KANU O KA ʻĀINA - SUMMER 2025

Summer Learning Opportunities



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Dates	Program Description	Hui/Location
6/9 - 6/24	**SUMMER MATH CHALLENGE** Complete ALEKS math topics online to earn great prizes! Students earn the prize after completing a number of math topics.	Current Kanu o ka ʻĀina haumāna in grades 3-12 Location: Virtual
6/9 - 7/11	**MATH IN THE REAL WORLD** See math in the world around you & enter to win a surf skate! Submissions due July 11 at 9:00 am.	Current Kanu o ka ʻĀina haumāna in grades K-12 Location: Virtual
6/9 - 7/11	**BOOK POSTER CONTEST** Create a beautiful book poster about a book you read this summer and enter to win a surf skate! Submissions due July 11 at 9:00 am.	Current Kanu o ka ʻĀina haumāna in grades K-12 Location: Virtual

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6/9 - 7/18	**FOUNDATIONS IN PERSONAL FINANCE** Learn real-world skills with Foundations in Personal Finance asynchronously. The course includes a mix of hands-on activities and videos to keep things fresh.	High School Haumāna Location: Virtual
6/9 - 7/18 MWF 8:00 - 9:30 AM	**PRIDE AND PREJUDICE SUMMER FUN** im honor of Jane Austen's 250th anniversary this year (2025), we will take a 6 week deep dive into one of her classic works: Pride and Prejudice Virtual Meetings - M,W,F 8:00 am - 9:30 am	Haumāna in grades 6+ Location: Virtual
Session 1: 6/11 - 6/13 Session 2: 6/18- 6/20	**EXPLORING BIODIVERSITY THROUGH TECHNOLOGY** Explore the Unique Realm of Tech Squid! Discover various online programming platforms to design and celebrate Native Hawalian biodiversity.	Current Kanu o ka 'Āina Ka ʻOhā haumāna grades 6+ Location: Virtual

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6/10 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm	**SOCCER CLINIC - FOOTY LAB** Take your soccer skills to the next level with Micah from Footy Lab. Skills clinic in Waimea, Hawai'i Island.	Haumāna Grades 6+ Location: Hawai'i Island
6/23 - 6/27 Date/Time TBA	**KĀHULI TOUR - BERNICE PAUAHI BISHOP MUSEUM** Preview the Bishop Museum's Malacology Department. The anticipated duration of the tour is approximately 1 hour.	Current Kanu o ka 'Āina Ka ʻOhā haumāna grades 6+ Location: Bishop Museum, O'ahu
6/26 - 7/24 Thursdays TBA 9:15 am	**HOEMANA WAʻA ʻOHANA PADDLING** Bring the ʻohana to the kai and paddle with Hoemana Thursdays from 9:15 - 10:30. NOTE: ʻOhana are required to stay during the entire time and are encouraged to paddle as well.	Current Kanu o ka 'Āina Ka ʻOha ʻohana and haumāna 9+ Location: Ohai'ula Beach
6/30 - 7/3 10:00 am - 2:00 pm	**INTRO TO GOLF** Learn the basics of golf at the range and on the course! Transportation provided to golf course. Drop off and pickup at Kauhale campus.	Current Kanu o ka 'Āina haumāna in grades 7+ Location: Hawai'i Island

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SUMMER MATH CHALLENGE

Practice your math skills over break and earn cool prizes! It's that easy!

REGISTER ONLINE AT WWW.KANUOKAAINA.ORG

Current Kanu o ka ʻĀina haumāna in grades 3-11 can complete ALEKS math topics online to earn great prizes! Students earn the prize after completing each amount below of math topics.

Challenge runs from June 9 - June 24.
Registration closes June 3.

Choose your prize designs from HIC and T&C Surf websites!



Apple Airpods or T&C Surf Custom Water Bottle
120 Topics Completed



HIC Backpack
80 Topics Completed



HIC Hat or Necklace
60 Topics Completed



Aloha Modern Beanie
40 Topics Completed



T&C Surf Lanyard or keychain
20 Topics Completed

ALEKS®

MATH IN THE REAL WORLD COMPETITION

See math in the world around you & win prizes for sharing your discoveries!

DUE BY:
9:00 a.m. on
July 11, 2025.

COMPETITION RULES :

1. **Your project must show math in real life.** Find math in something you do this summer — like cooking, building, budgeting, or exploring nature.
2. **You must explain the math you used or noticed.** Help us understand how math connects to what you did or observed.
3. **Your work must be created by you.** Family members can help you film or type, but the ideas should be your own.



JUDGING CRITERIA:

1. Creativity
2. Real-world math connection
3. Clear explanation or presentation
4. Effort and originality

PRIZES:

Surfskate board prize for winners of each category:

- **GRADES K-2**
- **GRADES 3-5**
- **GRADES 6-8**
- **GRADES 9-12**
- **JUDGE'S CHOICE**

CONTACT

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BOOK POSTER CONTEST

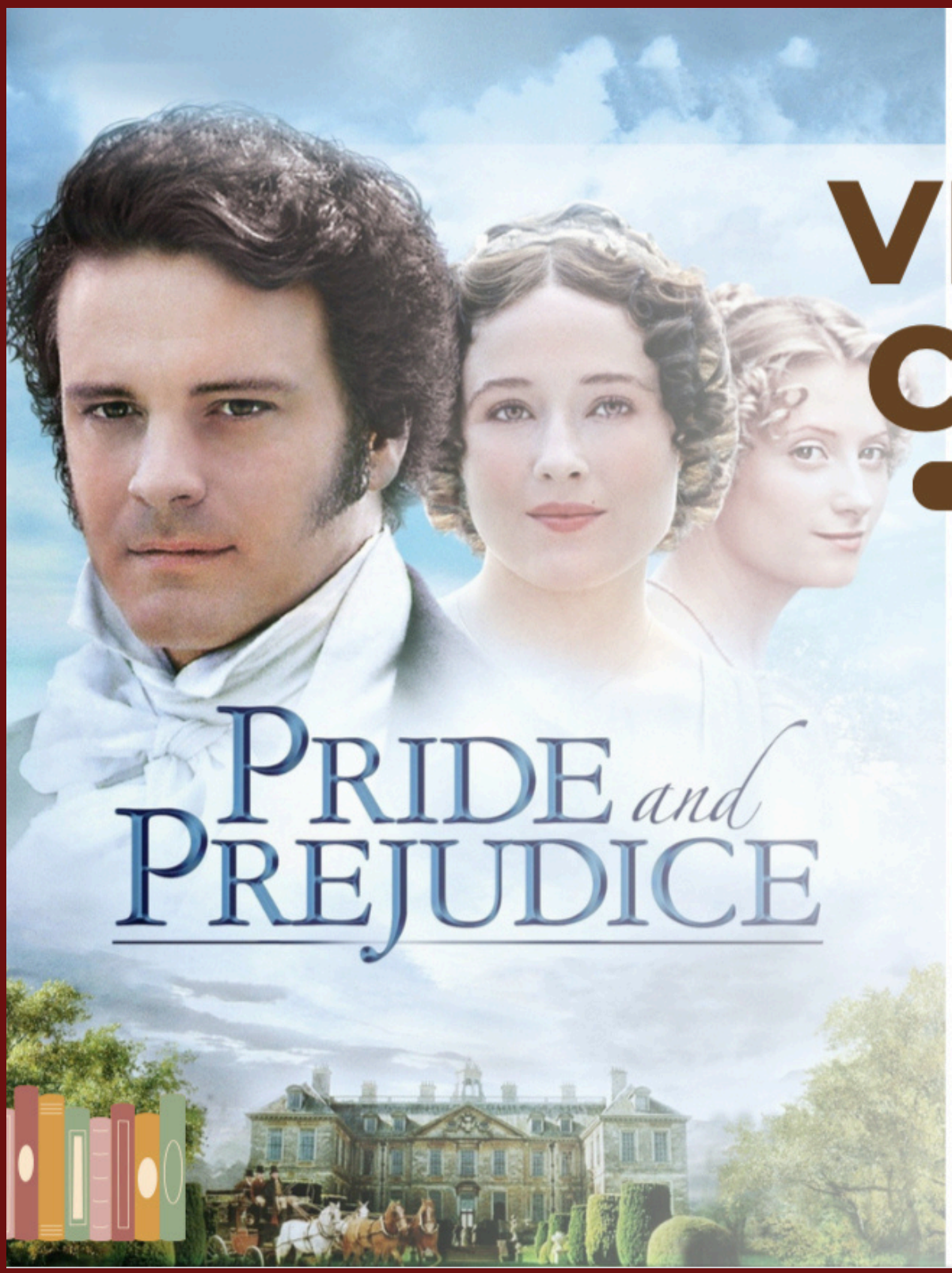


OPEN TO
KANU O KA ʻĀINA
HAUMĀNA
GRADES K-12

ENTRIES DUE JULY 11 @ 9:00 AM

CREATE A BEAUTIFUL BOOK POSTER ABOUT A BOOK YOU READ THIS SUMMER AND ENTER TO WIN GREAT PRIZES!

SUBMIT YOUR ENTRY ON OUR WEBSITE:
WWW.KANUOKAAINA.ORG



VIRTUAL COURSE

PRIDE AND PREJUDICE BY JANE AUSTEN

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3x per week (M, W, F)

OUR COURSE

Discussion
Literary Analysis
Interactive Activities (including watching the BBC Production)

DATE
June 9-July 18, 2025

TIME
8.00 - 9.30 AM

REGISTER NOW

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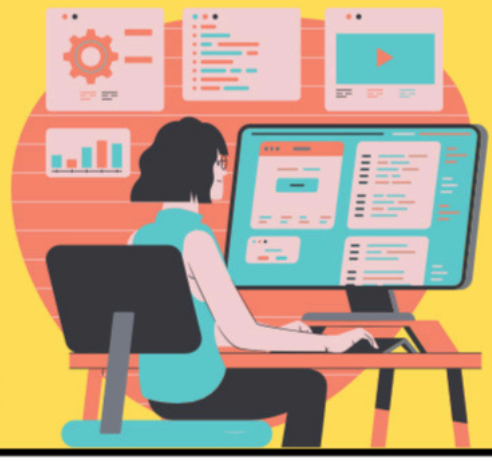
Schedule
Days: Wednesday to Friday (Online)
Meeting Time: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM











WHAT WILL YOU LEARN?

CODING
ANIMATION
CAD DESIGN

COMPUTER REQUIRED

FIRST SESSION
06/11 - 06/13
SECOND SESSION
06/18-06/20

NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

KA ʻOHĀ HAUMANA
GRADES 6TH +

BIG ISLAND DAY CLINIC

JUNE 10TH
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

PARKER ARENA FIELD
WAIMEA 📍









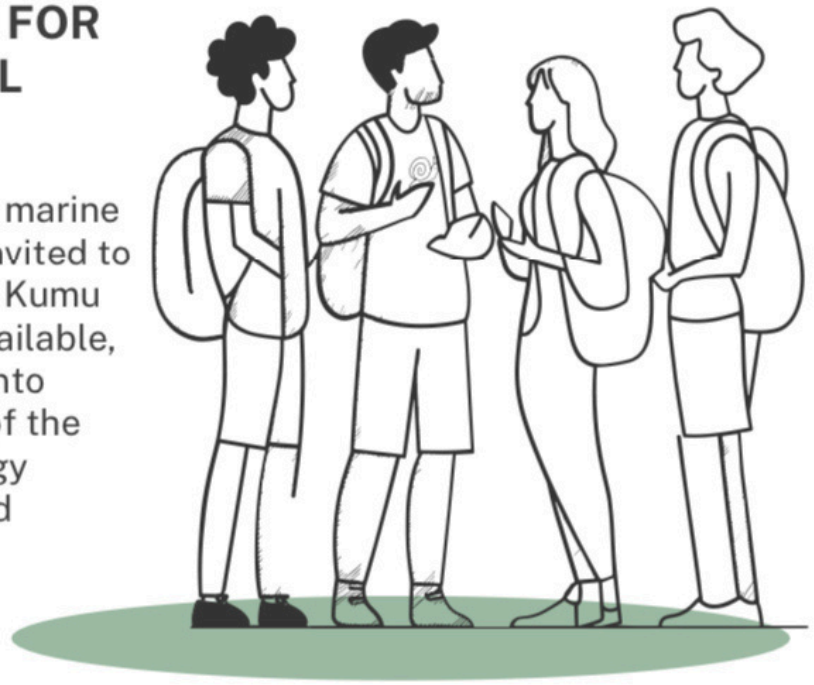
KĀHULI TOUR
BERNICE PAUAHI BISHOP MUSEUM
O‘AHU - HUAKA‘I

01.

EXCLUSIVE TOUR OPPOTUNITY FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Students with an interest in marine life, biology, or botany are invited to apply for a private tour with Kumu Kiane. With limited seats available, students will be organized into small groups for a preview of the Bishop Museum's Malacology Department. The anticipated duration of the tour is approximately one hour.

Email: kianek@kalo.org



02.



MALACOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Due to the high volumes of interest and staff shortage. There will be small groups scheduled to tour during the last week of June!

03.

LEARN ABOUT KĀHULI



Discover the captivating beauty of species being prepared for release through captive rearing. Explore the extensive archives of the largest shell collection in the Pacific!

VOLUNTEER PROGRAMS

04.

There are countless ways to support the Bishop Museum Malacology Department. Join us in person to explore these various options and seize this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity.



Hawai'i State Department of Education
Office of Curriculum and Instructional Design

#808Reads
2025 Summer Reading Challenge

June 2, 2025 - July 25, 2025

Free Access to:

- Digital Reading Log
- eBooks
- Audiobooks
- Read-alongs
- Live virtual author visits
- Online book discussions
- Prizes
- And MORE!

beanstack

Download the Beanstack Tracker App

Student login credentials:
Username: 10-digit student ID
Password: birthdate (mmddyyyy)

Sora

Need something to read?
Download the Sora App:

Download on the App Store | GET IT ON Google Play

Student login credentials:
Username: 10-digit student ID

For more information & to sign up:

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Questions? 808libraries@k12.hi.us

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