

Nā Lei Hulu I Ka Wēkiu

("the many feathered wreaths at the summit, held in high esteem")

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for new students:

1. What is the registration period for 2019 Adult Hula Class?
 - ❑ Early registration for the 2019 adult class is available on-line www.naleihulu.org.
 - ❑ On-line registration forms should be emailed to Auntie Bobbie at auntybobbie@naleihulu.org
 - ❑ Registration for the 2019 adult class is open to all and will close on Thursday, April 25, 2019; thereafter, only students with prior experience may apply (see website).

2. Do I have to register on-line or can I register the first day of class?
 - ❑ Registration on-line is recommended.
 - ❑ Bring the filled-out enrollment form on your first day along with your cash or check.
 - ❑ It is recommended you arrive at least a half-hour early to check-in.

3. What is the cost for classes?
 - ❑ **One-time \$20 registration fee** due at time of enrollment
 - ❑ **Tuition is \$50.00** and due the first class of each month or no later than the 12th of the month. A \$10 late fee will be assessed for all payments after the 12th.
 - ❑ **Tuition is not prorated.**
 - ❑ For your convenience, we accept Cash, Checks and Bank Bill Pay checks.
 - Tuition fees can be given to Auntie Bobbie during the first class of each month.
 - ❑ - Checks and Bank Bill Pay checks are payable to **PATRICK MAKUAKĀNE**
 - ❑ - Additional information will be provided at time of enrollment.

4. Where are classes held?
 - ❑ Classes are held at Downtown High, in the cafeteria or gym or as notified.
 - ❑ 693 Vermont Street (between 18th and 19th Streets), San Francisco, CA.
 - ❑ **Enter Downtown High through the school's parking lot located on Kansas Street.** The door is located on the right side of the parking lot.

5. Where can I park?
 - ❑ Street parking is available around the school.
 - ❑ **Parking is NOT permitted in the school's parking lot.**

6. How long is the class?
 - ❑ Classes are held weekly on Thursdays at 7pm for 75 minutes (1.25 hours).
 - ❑ Haumana (student) should arrive at least 10 minutes prior to class time and be ready to start at class time.
 - ❑ Classes are ongoing indefinitely from 3/7/19, unless otherwise notified.
 - ❑ If class is canceled, haumana will be notified via email (please ensure that Auntie Bobbie has your current email address).

7. Who do I contact if I am unable to attend a class?
 - ❑ Haumana should contact one of the hālau kokua if they will miss a class.
 - ❑ Hālau and kokua contacts will be provided at time of enrollment.

8. If I go on vacation, travel for business, or must miss class for personal reasons is there a way to make up a missed class?
- No.
9. If I miss class am I still responsible for the monthly payment for class?
- Yes, you are still responsible for your monthly payment. **Tuition is not prorated.**
 - To remain a haumana (student) in good standing, tuition is due each month, whether or not you choose to attend classes, this is your **kuleana (responsibility)**.
 - If tuition delinquent more than two (2) months, student will be dropped from the rolls. If dropped, there is a \$20 reinstatement fee and all past due must be paid to current.
 - Additional information will be provided at time of enrollment.
10. Can I bring guests to class?
- No, the class size is unusually large and there are no accommodations for guests.
11. What will I learn in class?
- Students learn *hula kahiko*, *hula 'auana*, *oli*, *'ōlelo Hawai'i* (Hawaiian language), history, crafts, culture, and more.
12. Can I video or record class?
- No.
 - Kumu (teacher) will let you know if a video or audio recording is authorized in class.
13. What do I wear in class?
- Comfortable, non-restrictive clothing is recommended.
 - Women are required to wear a pā'ū (hula skirt) within 3-months of enrollment.

There will be hula pā'ū (hula skirt) available for sale at \$50.
Cash or check payable to Debbie Tom.