

MO'OKŪ'AUHAU

GENEALOGY RESEARCH PROJECT

KA NĪNAU NUI: ESSENTIAL QUESTION NO HEA MAI 'OE? WHERE DO YOU COME FROM

The nīnau nui, or essential question, for this semester course is this:

No hea mai 'oe? Where do you come from?

This particular unit, Mo'okū'auhau, will encourage haumāna to dig deeper and gain a better understanding of their own 'ohana & origins. Haumāna will be introduced to a variety of resources in order to aid in their research.

The project is comprised of 2 parts: a Puke 'Ohana and a Mele Ko'ihonua.

The rubric for both portions can be found in the following pages.

NĀ LĀ NUI • IMPORTANT DATES

- **Nowemapa 18 & 19:** Unit introduction. Start Mele Ko'ihonua.
- **Nowemapa 21 & 22:** Archivist from UH Mānoa guest presentation on genealogy research resources (during class)
- **Nowemapa 25 & 26:** Mele Ko'ihonua 1st Draft due
- **Kēkēmapa 2 & 3:** Mele Ko'ihonua 2nd Draft (individual meetings)
- **Kēkēmapa 10 & 11:** Final version of Mele Ko'ihonua will be performed in class. Final written copy is due at time of performance. Puke 'Ohana also due at this time.

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HE MELE KO'IHONUA • A GENEALOGY CHANT

Haumāna will choose one side of their 'ohana to research & create a Mele Ko'ihonua, or genealogy chant. The chant will be completely ma ka 'ōlelo Hawai'i & we will go thru the editing process in class. The mele will be memorized & performed in class during finals week for a final grade.

NĀ KOINA • THE REQUIREMENTS

- **KA 'OHANA:** Mele ko'ihonua must trace back at least 4 generations (back to haumāna's great-great grandparents). Any additional lines in the mele that are memorized & performed during the mele will be counted as extra credit.
- **NĀ LAINA:** Mele ko'ihonua must be a minimum of 20 lines. For additional lines, haumāna may include additional details about 'ohana, 'āina ties, or any other information they find important.
- **KA HO'OPA'ANA'AU:** Mele ko'ihonua must be memorized for final performance during the week of finals.

KE KAHA 'ANA • GRADING CRITERIA

NĀ KOINA REQUIREMENTS	KA HA'I 'ŌLELO RECITATION	KA PALAPALA THE DOCUMENT
20 'AI	20 'AI	10 'AI
Mele Ko'ihonua meets generation & line requirements	Mele Ko'ihonua is memorized. Recitation flows nicely. Proper pronunciation of 'ōlelo Hawai'i. Volume & posture are appropriate	Mele Ko'ihonua printed document is turned in on time & has no grammatical errors

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KA PUKE 'OHANA • FAMILY BOOKLET

Haumāna will choose one side of their 'ohana to research & compile a Puke 'Ohana, or Family Booklet. The puke 'ohana will be comprised various including but not limited to: 'ohana tree chart, 'ohana interviews, legal documents, and pictures. The puke 'ohana will be compiled & submitted in class during finals week for a final grade.

NĀ KOINA • THE REQUIREMENTS

- **KA MO'OKŪ'AUHAU (5 'AI):** Family tree chart. May be hand drawn or digitally created.
- **NĀ NĪNAUELE (10 'AI):** Family interview. May be video or audio recorded, but must include a transcription (written documentation). A minimum of 1 family interviews must be completed.
- **NĀ PALAPALA 'OHANA (30 'AI):** Official or unofficial documents of family members. Puke 'Ohana should contain a **minimum of 10 documents** (may be related to any family member, but not more than 3 per member. Documents cannot pertain to self). For complete list of ideas, see blogsite.
 - May include but not limited to:
 - Birth, Death, Marriage Certificates
 - Citizenship Records (Immigration, Naturalization, Passport)
 - Land Ownership (Deeds, Grants, Mortgages, Tax Papers, etc.)
 - Religious Documents (Baptismal Record, Confirmation, etc.)
 - School Records (Transcripts, Degrees, Diplomas, Awards)
 - Military Service Records
 - Census Records
- **NĀ KI'I (5 'AI):** Pictures of family members. Pictures can be copies (not originals) and should be labeled with family members names. **A minimum of 5 photos must be included in the puke 'ohana.**

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KA HŌ'IKE HOPE LOA • FINAL PROJECT BREAKDOWN

MELE KO'IHONUA • GENEALOGY CHANT
50 POINTS TOTAL

PUKE 'OHANA • FAMILY BOOKLET
50 POINTS TOTAL

HŌ'IKE HOPE LOA
100 POSSIBLE POINTS TOTAL

FINAL DEADLINE
KĒKĒMAPA 10th or 11th IN CLASS