

# Hawaiian Studies

There are various programs under the Hawaiian Studies area. Each Academic Subject Certificate listed is a secondary major to the A.A. in Hawaiian Studies. Refer to each individual program for an overview and suggested pathway(s) as each program may differ.

## Hawaiian Studies Degrees and Certificates

### Hawaiian Studies: Associate in Arts Degree

The Associate in Arts in Hawaiian Studies is a degree program intended to either provide the first two years of a baccalaureate program in Hawaiian Studies or prepare the student for study in other, broader fields of science, humanities, arts, and social sciences.

#### ***Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs) approved 03/18/2015:***

1. Describe aboriginal Hawaiian linguistic, cultural, historical, and political concepts.
2. Apply aboriginal Hawaiian concepts, knowledge, and methods to the areas of science, humanities, arts, and social sciences in academics and in other professional endeavors.
3. Engage, articulate, and analyze topics relevant to the aboriginal Hawaiian community using college-level reading skills, research methods, and writing and speaking techniques.
4. Apply appropriate mathematical and logical concepts and methods to understand, analyze, and explain issues.
5. Synthesize aboriginal Hawaiian problem-solving skills and creative thinking strategies with other approaches then applying this learning to new and varied situations.
6. Identify, allocate, and utilize technological and natural resources effectively and responsibly.

### Fall (Semester 1)

<b>Course</b>	<b>Course Title/Category</b>	<b>Credits</b>
ENG 100	Composition I	3
HAW 101	Elementary Hawaiian I	4
HWST 107	Hawai'i: Center of the Pacific	3
	Diversification: Social Sciences (DS) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3

1. ENG 100: This course fulfills the Foundations: Written Communication (FW) category.
2. HWST 107: This course fulfills the Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Island Issues (HAP) graduation requirement.
3. Diversification: Social Sciences (DS): A total of 6 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 1 and 4. Any two courses from different disciplines are required. ANTH 220, BOT 105, and HWST 211 are recommended options.

## Spring (Semester 2)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HAW 102	Elementary Hawaiian II	4
	Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL) (3 credits) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3
	Diversification: Biological Sciences (DB) or Physical Sciences (DP) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3
	Diversification: Laboratory (science) (DY) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	1
	Electives - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3-4
	Oral Communication - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3

1. Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL): A total of 9 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 2 and 3. Two of the three courses (6 credits) must be taken from different designations.
2. Diversification: Biological Sciences (DB) or Physical Sciences (DP): Only 1 DB course and 1 DP course is required. If the DB course is taken in semester 2, the DP course should be completed in semester 4 or vice versa. BOT 130 or HWST 213 is recommended to fulfill the DB designation.
3. Diversification: Laboratory (science) (DY): Only 1 credit of DY is required (may be completed in semester 2 or 4). BOT 130L is recommended.

## Fall (Semester 3)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL) (6 credits) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	6
	Electives - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3-4
	Foundations: Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): Any FGA, FGB, or FGC course	3
	Foundations: Quantitative Reasoning (FQ): Any FQ course	3

1. Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL): A total of 9 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 2 and 3. Two of the three courses (6 credits) must be taken from different designations.
2. Foundations: Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): A total of 6 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 3 and 4. Any two courses with different FG designations are required.

## Spring (Semester 4)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HWST 270	Hawaiian Mythology	3
	Diversification: Biological Sciences (DB) or Physical Sciences (DP) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3
	Diversification: Social Sciences (DS) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3
	Electives - Hawaiian Studies A.A.	3-4
	Foundations: Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): Any FGA, FGB, or FGC course	3

1. Diversification: Biological Sciences (DB) or Physical Sciences (DP): Only 1 DB course and 1 DP course is required. If the DB course is taken in semester 2, the DP course should be completed in semester 4 or vice versa. BOT 130 or HWST 213 is recommended to fulfill the DB designation.
2. Diversification: Social Sciences (DS): A total of 6 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 1 and 4. Any two courses from different disciplines are required. ANTH 220, BOT 105, and HWST 211 are recommended options.
3. Foundations: Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): A total of 6 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 3 and 4. Any two courses with different FG designations are required.

## Graduation Requirements (to be satisfied within the 60-63-credit A.A. degree)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	Graduation Requirement: Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Issues (HAP): At least one HAP course	
	Graduation Requirement: Writing Intensive (WI): At least 2 WI courses	
	Total Credits	60-63

## Category Descriptions

### Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL) (3 credits) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Choose from the following (the two of the three courses, or 6 credits, must be from different designations):

Diversification: Arts (DA)

HWST 128 (3), HWST 129 (3), HWST 177 (3), HWST 228 (3), HWST 229 (3)

Diversification: Humanities (DH)

HIST 284 (3), HIST 284K (3), HIST 288 (3), HWST 111 (3), HWST 140 (3), HWST 141 (3), HWST 281 (3), HWST 282 (4), REL 205 (3)

Diversification: Literatures (DL)

ENG 272P (3), ENG 277E (3), HAW 261 (3)

### Diversification: Arts (DA), Humanities (DH), or Literatures (DL) (6 credits) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Choose from the following (the two of the three courses, or 6 credits, must be from different designations):

Diversification: Arts (DA)

HWST 128 (3), HWST 129 (3), HWST 177 (3), HWST 228 (3), HWST 229 (3)

Diversification: Humanities (DH)

HIST 284 (3), HIST 284K (3), HIST 288 (3), HWST 111 (3), HWST 140 (3), HWST 141 (3), HWST 281 (3), HWST 282 (4), REL 205 (3)

Diversification: Literatures (DL)

ENG 272P (3), ENG 277E (3), HAW 261 (3)

### Diversification: Biological Sciences (DB) or Physical Sciences (DP) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Choose from the following (one course from each area):

Biological Sciences (DB):

AG 200 (3), BIOL 171 (3), BOT 101 (3), BOT 130 (3), HWST 213 (3), MARE 171 (3), SCI 121 (3), ZOOL 105 (3)

Physical Sciences (DP):

ASTR 110 (3), CHEM 151 (3), OCN 120 (3), OCN 201 (3), SCI 122 (3)

### Diversification: Laboratory (science) (DY) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

AG 200L (1), BOT 130L (1), CHEM 151L (1), SCI 121L (1), SCI 122L (1)

### Diversification: Social Sciences (DS) - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Choose from the following (the two courses must be from different disciplines):

ANTH 200 (3), ANTH 220 (3), BOT 105 (3), HWST 211 (3), POLS 110 (3), SSCI 250 (3)

### Electives - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Electives should be taken in three semesters to fulfill the 9-12 credits required. Choose from any of the following three areas:

Culture, History and Arts:

HAW 261 (3) HIST 284 (3), HIST 284K (3), HWST 111 (3), HWST 128 (3), HWST 129 (3), HWST 199V, HWST 228 (3), HWST 229 (3) HWST 290 (3), HWST 299V, REL 205 (3)

Hawaiian Environment:

BOT 105 (3), BOT 130 (3), BOT 130L (1), HWST 140 (3), HWST 141 (3), HWST 213 (3), HWST 281 (3), HWST 282 (4),

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HAW 201 (4), HAW 202 (4), HAW 221 (3), HAW 222 (3), HAW 262 (3)

### Foundations: Global and Multicultural Perspectives (FG): Any FGA, FGB, or FGC course

Refer to the "Diversification and Foundations Course List" under the "Programs (Certificates and Degrees)" section of the catalog for a list of courses that will fulfill this category.

### Foundations: Quantitative Reasoning (FQ): Any FQ course

Refer to the "Diversification and Foundations Course List" under the "Programs (Certificates and Degrees)" section of the catalog for a list of courses that will fulfill this category.

### Graduation Requirement: Hawaiian, Asian, and Pacific Issues (HAP): At least one HAP course

Refer to the "Graduation Requirement Course List" under the "Programs (Certificates and Degrees)" section of the catalog for a list of courses that will fulfill this category.

### Graduation Requirement: Writing Intensive (WI): At least 2 WI courses

Refer to the "Graduation Requirement Course List" under the "Programs (Certificates and Degrees)" section of the catalog for more information.

### Oral Communication - Hawaiian Studies A.A.

Choose from the following:

SP 151 (3), SP 185 (3), SP 231 (3), SP 251 (3)

## Hawaiian Studies: Academic Subject Certificate

The Hawaiian Studies Academic Subject Certificate program is designed for students to gain a basic background in Hawaiian studies. The course of study encompasses Hawaiian language, culture, environment, history, and values. It

will satisfy a number of basic course requirements for the Hawaiian Studies and Hawaiian language Bachelor degree programs at the University of Hawai'i at Mānoa and the University of Hawai'i at Hilo. It will also satisfy employer needs for employees who have completed a course of study in Hawaiian culture, language, environment, and values.

**Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs) approved 03/18/2015:**

1. Describe aboriginal Hawaiian linguistic, cultural, historical, and political concepts.
2. Apply aboriginal Hawaiian concepts, knowledge, and methods to the areas of science, humanities, arts, and social sciences in academics and in other professional endeavors.
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## Fall (Semester 1)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HAW 101	Elementary Hawaiian I	4
HWST 107	Hawai'i: Center of the Pacific	3
	Electives: Culture, History, and Arts	3
	Electives: Hawaiian Environment	3

## Spring (Semester 2)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HAW 102	Elementary Hawaiian II	4
	Electives: Culture, History, and Arts	3
	Electives: Hawaiian Environment	3

## Fall (Semester 3)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	Electives: Hawaiian Language	3
	Total Credits	26

## Category Descriptions

### Electives: Culture, History, and Arts

Electives from this category should be taken in two semesters (3 credits per semester) to fulfill a portion of the minimum 15 credits required. Choose from the following:

ANTH 220 (3), HAW 261 (3) HIST 284 (3), HIST 284K (3), HWST 111 (3), HWST 128 (3), HWST 129 (3), HWST 177 (3), HWST 199V, HWST 228 (3), HWST 270 (3), HWST 290 (3), HWST 299V, REL 205 (3)

### Electives: Hawaiian Environment

Electives from this category should be taken in two semesters (3 credits per semester) to fulfill a portion of the minimum 15 credits required. Choose from the following:

BOT 105 (3), BOT 130 (3), BOT 130L (1), HWST 140 (3), HWST 281 (3), HWST 282 (4),

## Electives: Hawaiian Language

Choose from the following:

HAW 201 (4), HAW 202 (4), HAW 221 (3), HAW 222 (3), HAW 262 (3)

## Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging): Academic Subject Certificate

The Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging) Academic Subject Certificate program is designed for students interested in exploring, experiencing, and understanding the scientific, historical, and cultural aspects of non-instrument wayfinding as it pertains to the exploration and settlement of Polynesia.

### **Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs) approved 05/01/2013:**

1. Identify the basic principles of non-instrument wayfinding.
2. Describe how the major starlines are utilized by contemporary wayfinders in navigating.
3. Describe the basic physics of sailing in the Pacific Ocean.
4. Explain the movement of people in Polynesia from a cultural and historical context.

### Fall (Semester 1)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HWST 107	Hawai'i: Center of the Pacific	3
HWST 281	Ho'okele I : Hawaiian Astronomy and Weather	3
	Electives (6 credits) - Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging)	6

### Spring (Semester 2)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HWST 282	Ho'okele II: Hawaiian Navigation	4
	Electives (2 credits) - Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging)	2
	Total Credits	18

## Category Descriptions

### Electives (2 credits) - Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging)

Choose from the following (BOT 105 and OCN 201 are recommended to fulfill 6 of the 8 credits required):

ANTH 220 (3), ASTR 110 (3), BOT 105 (3), OCN 201 (3), PHYS 151 (3), PHYS 151L (1), SCI 122 (3) SCI 122L (1)

## Electives (6 credits) - Ho'okele (Polynesian Voyaging)

Choose from the following (BOT 105 and OCN 201 are recommended to fulfill 6 of the 8 credits required):

ANTH 220 (3), ASTR 110 (3), BOT 105 (3), OCN 201 (3), PHYS 151 (3), PHYS 151L (1), SCI 122 (3) SCI 122L (1)

## Mālama 'Āina: Academic Subject Certificate

The Mālama 'Āina program is designed to provide a theoretical and practical foundation for students interested in exploring the scientific and cultural aspects of Hawaiian land stewardship. Students will learn about plants and animals in the context of Hawaiian ecosystems and their inter-connections with the people of Hawai'i. Participation in field study will provide the opportunity to progress from study to practice, thus giving back to the 'āina that feeds us.

**Program Student Learning Outcomes (PSLOs) approved 09/23/2024:**

1. Observe, analyze, and describe the ecosystem of Hawai'i using indigenous terminology and methodology.
2. Observe, analyze, and describe the ecosystem of Hawai'i using Western scientific terminology and methodology.
3. Apply Hawaiian and Western knowledge and technological skills to active land stewardship practices.

### Fall (Semester 1)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
HAW 101	Elementary Hawaiian I	4
HWST 107	Hawai'i: Center of the Pacific	3

### Spring (Semester 2)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	HWST 207 or IS 201	3
	Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway	3-4

1. Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway: A total of 12-13 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 2, 3, and 4.

### Fall (Semester 3)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway	6

1. Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway: A total of 12-13 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 2, 3, and 4.

### Spring (Semester 4)

Course	Course Title/Category	Credits
	Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway	3

1. Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway: A total of 12-13 credits are required and are recommended to be completed in semesters 2, 3, and 4.

## Category Descriptions

### Electives: Humanities or Science Pathway

Choose from the following:

#### Humanities Pathway

BOT 105 (3), BOT 130 (3), BOT 130L (1), CHEM 151 (3), CHEM 151L (1), CHEM 161 (3), CHEM 161L (1), HWST 213 (3), IS 295 (3), MARE 171 (3), MARE 171L (1), OCN 120 (3), SCI 121 (3), SCI 121L (1), SCI 122 (3) SCI 122L (1)

#### Science Pathway

ANTH 220 (3), BOT 105 (3), ENG 272P (3), HAW 102 (4), HAW 201 (4), HWST 140 (3), HWST 141 (3), HWST 213 (3), IS 295 (3), SSCI 250 (3)