

School Tours

The Mānoa Heritage Center offers school tours, free of charge, Monday through Friday. A Teacher Resource and Information Guide is available on our website:

www.manoaheritagecenter.org.

We are a small site in a residential neighborhood and are able to welcome only one class at a time. Our main entrance can accommodate minibuses only. *If you plan to come in a large school bus please call us for special instructions for off-site drop-off.*

For reservations call 988-1287 or email: manoaheritagecenter@hawaiiantel.net

Two weeks advance reservations requested. Please have the following information ready:

- Contact Information
- Number of Students
- Preferred Dates and Tour Times



Exploring our site

BUS SUBSIDIES ARE AVAILABLE

We know that field trips can be expensive. The Mānoa Heritage Center offers a substantial bus subsidy for school tours.

Please call 988-1287 for information.



Tour arrangements are flexible and with advance notice we can offer additional games and activities after the tour. Allow 1 hour for the tour and 30-40 minutes for an activity suited for your class focus and age group.

Mānoa Heritage Center

Preserving and Sharing a Historic Property in the Heart of Mānoa

SCHOOL TOURS



View of Mānoa Valley from Kūka'ō'ō Heiau

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A Special Guided Tour

About the Mānoa Heritage Center

In the heart of Mānoa Valley, the Mānoa Heritage Center promotes the thoughtful stewardship of Hawai'i's natural and cultural heritage through preserving and interpreting an extraordinary historic property. The Center includes Kūka'ō'ō Heiau, a Native Hawaiian garden, and the historic home, Kūali'i. The Heritage Center is also dedicated to documenting the dynamic history of Mānoa Valley.

Founded in 1996 by Sam and Mary Cooke as a non-profit organization, the Center's Board of Directors represents a broad cross section of historians and other professionals. With input from the community and subject specialists, long range plans for the Center have been developed.

Tours of the heiau and gardens are offered for both school and community groups. For further information, to enquire about a tour, or to receive our newsletter and announcements, please see contact information on the front cover.



Mānoa Heritage Center Arbor

Friendly and knowledgeable guides will greet your students and lead you on a fascinating journey back in time.



While exploring our Native Hawaiian garden students will discover how plants played a vital role in traditional practices.

We welcome and encourage teachers to come on a pre-visit to get to know our site and staff. The tour content relates to D.O.E. Standards in Hawaiian Studies, Social Studies and Science.



View of Mānoa Valley

Guides tell the story of **Mānoa** and the valley settlement by early Hawaiians, weaving together the past, with legend and history.



A visit to **Kūka'ō'ō Heiau** will enrich students' understanding of Hawaiian spiritual concepts and the place of an agricultural heiau in a Hawaiian community.