

Guiding Questions

Helpful questions to encourage discussion and activities related to Kumukahi videos



Topic: **LĀHUI**
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Specific questions

1. What does the word lāhui mean?
2. To be part of the Lāhui Hawai'i (Hawaiian citizenry), did you have to be Native Hawaiian?
3. If your mother was born in China and you were born in Hawai'i, do you both have the same nationality?
4. What is the difference between nationality and ethnicity?
5. The Lāhui Hawai'i includes everybody who was born in Hawai'i. The Lāhui 'Ōiwi includes only those with Native Hawaiian ethnicity. Is this distinction important? Why or why not?
6. Take a poll to find out how many nationalities you have in your classroom. Then take a poll to see how many ethnicities there are. Do you think the results would be similar at your cousin's school?

General questions

- What does this video teach us about Hawaiian knowledge and its relevance today?
- How does this video relate to other aspects of Hawaiian culture you've learned or experienced?
- How can we keep these cultural practices alive today and in future generations?