

Guiding Questions

Helpful questions to encourage discussion and activities related to Kumukahi videos



Topic: LĀNA'I

Part of: Pae 'āina chapter, Ka Honua realm

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Specific questions

- 1. Where is Lana'i located?
- 2. Which other islands can you see from Lāna'i?
- 3. From the summit of the island, at Lāna'ihale, you can see five islands. Why would it be helpful to be able to see multiple islands from one location?
- 4. On Lāna'i, the island flower is pronounced "kauno'a," but in other places people say "kauna'oa." Why are some words pronounced differently from island to island?
- 5. If you were visiting another island and heard a word pronounced differently from the way you learned it, what would you do? Should you say it the way they do, or should you try to correct them? Why or why not?
- 6. 'Anakala Sol chants before telling about the places of Lāna'i. Besides chanting, what are some other ways of showing respect for the place you live?

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?

