

Guiding Questions

Helpful questions to encourage discussion and activities related to Kumukahi videos



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Specific questions

- 1. What does maka'āinana mean?
- 2. What are examples of work maka'āinana would do?
- 3. Would you and your family members be considered maka'āinana? Explain why or why not.
- 4. How is daily living different for maka'āinana compared with ali'i, or rulers?
- 5. If there were more leaders than workers, what would happen?
- 6. Why are maka'āinana important?
- 7. How do we continue to benefit from the maka'āinana of the past?
- 8. If you could choose a favorite maka'āinana task or responsibility, what would it be? How would you create abundance like a maka'āinana?

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?

