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Board Cover Memorandum

To Board of Education

From Kyla Johnson-Trammel, Superintendent

Dexter Moore, Jr., Acting Chief of Staff

Neha Ummat, Principal, West Oakland Middle School

Meeting Date March 08, 2023

Subject Approval of Request for Student Travel – Hawaii – West Oakland Middle School

Action Requested

Approval of Board Resolution No. 2223-0179 - Authorization for Approval of Student Travel - by West Oakland Middle School, for 12 students and 6 adults, as specified in Out of State Field Trip/Excursion Request, attached, for group exploration, travel and tour of the University of Hawaii, as described in the itinerary, for the period of April 2, 2023 through April 8, 2023, at no cost to the District

Educational Purpose of Trip

The trip to Hawaii is fully funded by STATE Bags and Alaska Airlines as part of their Travel Academy program. The goal of Travel Academy is to provide the magic and gift of travel to everyone. Travel Academy will serve twelve middle school students in the 7th and 8th grades at West Oakland Middle School. Two OUSD employees will chaperone students on the trip in addition to one travel guide, one Travel Academy liaison, and two filmmakers. Student selection for the trip is currently in the works. Students will be provided with academic and extracurricular experiences to learn about the history and culture of Hawaii.

Itinerary and Activities

The itinerary will be highly curated and jam-packed with activities ranging from college tours, outdoor adventures such as snorkeling, surf lessons, zip-lining, hiking, volunteering at local organizations, touring historical Hawaiian sites and more.

Expect activities along the likes of but not limited to:

Snorkeling in Maui, visiting the Polynesian Cultural Center, Super Raft Adventure at the Na Pali Coast State Wilderness Park, Experiencing the Road to Hanato, and touring the University of Hawaii at Manoa.

Teachers Attending

Teacher: Jazmine Njissang

Trip

Staff: Tierra Knight

Site Administrator Affirms

- Parental permission forms will be on file for all students participating and school has emergency communication protocol.
- There will be sufficient and appropriate chaperones for this field trip (including at least on e OUSD certificated employee and non-OUSD chaperones, if any, will meet criminal background check requirements).
- School will address financial or accessibility issues that might prevent students from participating.

Recommendation

Approval of Board Resolution authorizing student travel described above.

Fiscal Impact

There is no fiscal impact to the District. Travel Academy is fully funded by STATE Bags and Alaska Airlines to cover the cost of transportation, lodging, admission, and meals.

Attachment(s)

- Resolution No. 2223-0179
- Draft Itinerary
- Travel Academy FAQs

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RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Resolution No. <u>2223-0179</u>

AUTHORIZATION FOR APPROVAL OF STUDENT TRAVEL

WHEREAS, the Board of Education believes that field trips and other travel opportunities for students are a valuable tool In supporting classroom instruction and promoting students' awareness of places and events;

WHEREAS, Board Policy 6143 requires the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District to approve all trips involving out-of-state and out of country travel; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Board Policy 6143, the Superintendent requests the Board of Education to authorize student travel for the period of <u>April 2, 2023</u> to <u>April 8, 2023</u>.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education of the Oakland Unified School District does hereby approve the following request for student travel:

School: West Oakland Middle School (WOMS)

Destination: <u>Hawaii</u>

Departure Date: April 2, 2023 Return Date: April 8, 2023

Passed by the following vote:

VanCedric Williams, Valerie Bachelor, Clifford Thompson, Benjamin "Sam" Davis, Vice President

AYES: Clifford Thompson, President Mike Hutchinson

NAYS: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT: Student Director Gallegos Chavez, Student Director Linh Le

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted by the Governing Board of the Oakland Unified School District at a Regular Meeting held on March 08, 2023.

Mike Hutchinson, President, BOE

By:

Kyla Johnson-Trammell
Secretary, Board of Education



Permission Slip
Health Services Form
Driver Declaration Form
Certificate of Insurance

OUT OF STATE FIELD TRIPS APPROVAL PROCESS

REQUEST APPROVAL:

Teacher/Coach

Submit completed Out of State Field Trip-Excursion Request Form to Site Administrator for approval

Site Administrator

- 1. Approve/disapprove trip request
- 2. Notify School Nurse/Health Services at least two weeks in advance of trip to ensure student safety
- 3. Submit Out of State Field Trip/Excursion Request and required documents to Network Superintendent

Network Superintendent

- Approve/disapprove trip request and notify Site
- If restricted funds are used, forward Request Form to Office of Accountability Partners for review or
- 3. Forward Request Form and required documents to Risk Management

Office of Accountability Partners

(only if restricted funds are used)

- Approve/disapprove use of funds and notify Site
- Forward paperwork to Risk Management

Risk Management

- 1. Forward Board Approval Memo to the Board Office
- 2. After Board approval, notify Site of conditional approval of Request pending receipt of the completed Checklist Prior to Trip Departure (and attachments)

Board of Education

Approve/disapprove request and Educational Organization Contract, if any, and authorize Superintendent to approve trip conditioned upon receipt of the completed Checklist Prior to Trip Departure (and attachments)

TRIP APPROVAL:

Site Administrator

- 1. Complete Checklist Prior to Departure
- 2. Forward Checklist to Risk Management
- 3. Maintain all field trip documents at site for 2 years after trip completion

Risk Management

- 1. Approve/disapprove trip and notify Site
- 2. Forward to Superintendent for approval
- 3. When returned, notify site of trip approval/disapproval

Superintendent

- 1. Approve/disapprove trip
- 2. Return Request Form to Risk Management



Required Documents

OUT-OF-STATE FIELD TRIP/EXCURSION REQUEST

Basic Directions

This packet is available on the Intranet (School Operations Library) as a fillable-saveable pdf file. If typed, similar fields will populate throughout the packet making it quicker and easier to complete.

- 1. Requests must be submitted to Network Superintendent no later than 120 days prior to departure
- 2. Board approval is required for all out of state trips.
- 3. Return Health Services Notification Form to the School Nurse or Health Services at the time you are requesting approval for a field trip
- 4. Use of Restricted Funds requires additional approval by Office of Accountability Partners
- 5. Obtain fingerprint clearance and complete TB risk assessment (requirements per OUSD AR 1240) for all non-District employee chaperones. (Arrange through <u>ousd.org/volunteers</u> or email <u>volunteers@ousd.org</u>. Continuing volunteer chaperones must be fingerprint cleared at least once every 3 years.)
- 6. Generally 1:10 Adult to Student ratio is required as provided in OUSD Board Policy 6153
- 7. Check the Pre-Approved Vendor List for contract and insurance requirements

Certificate of insurance from all private vendors:

8. Out-of-state trips have a bifurcated approval system (1) to approve the request and (2) to approve the trip since not all information for the trip approval may available by the deadline for the request. When possible, submit the required documents for the trip approval along with the initial trip request to make the full approval process faster.

All facility, program or vendor agreements/contracts, including OUSD Educational Organization Contract

Copy of program/vendor information describing vendor and scheduled activities

for Request Approval	Program (attach copy unless publicly owned and op Facility (attach copy unless publicly owned and op Board Approval Memo and Board Resolution	• •					
Required Documents for Trip Approval	 □ "Checklist Prior to Trip Departure" □ List of students and adults attending trip □ "Declaration of Driver" and required attachments, completed by each driver of private or rental vehicle 						
	RMATION TO BE COMPLETED BY TEACHER	R: Site Number: 204					
	Hawaii Ultiple Locations - Pending hotel booking confirmations with transportant Info: Dexter Moore Jr. (dexter.moorejr@ousd.org) and I						
Return - Date:	ate: 04/02/2023 Time: 11:15 AM Place of : 04/08/2023 Time: 10:53 PM Place of oup Attending: A group of twelve middle school students, two	Return: San Francisco International Airport					
Grade(s): 7-8th # of Students: 12 # of Adults: 6 Teacher Supervising Trip: Jazmine Njissang and Tierra Knight							
	ontact # During Trip: <u>Jazmine (510) 361-1331 and Tierra (51</u> eacher's Email Address: <u>jazmine.njissang@ousd.org and tie</u>						



Site:	
eacher Supervising Trip:	
Destination:	
Pate of Departure:	

Describe itinerary and activities:	The itinerary will be highly curated and jam-packed with activities ranging from college tours, outdoor adventures such as snorkeling, surf lessons, zip-lining, hiking, volunteering at local organizations, touring historical Hawaiian sites and more.
(Trip will include swim or water activities) Yes	Expect activities along the likes of but not limited to: - Snorkeling in Maui - Visiting the Polynesian Cultural Center - Super Raft Adventure at the Nā Pali Coast State Wilderness Park - Experiencing the Road to Hanato - Touring the University of Hawai'i at Manoa The itinerary is a draft and will be finalized soon.
Names of teachers and staff attending trip:	Teachers: Jazmine Njissang Staff: Tierra Knight
Describe mode of transportation for each leg of the trip:	Transportation will consist of the following: - Flying to get between islands - Automobile (Van)for transportation on the ground to and from the airport, hotel, and visit locations
Describe educational purpose of trip, including how it aligns with grade level standards, supports the teaching and learning and/or parent ed/training component of site plan, including related activities prior to trip and student follow-up activities that will occur after the field trip/excursion:	The trip to Hawaii is fully funded by STATE Bags and Alaska Airlines as part of their Travel Academy program. The goal of Travel Academy is to provide the magic and gift of travel to everyone. Travel Academy will serve twelve middle school students in the 7th and 8th grades at WOMS. Two OUSD employees will chaperone students on the trip in addition to one travel guide, one Travel Academy liaison, and two filmmakers. Student selection for the trip is currently in the works. Students will be provided with academic and extracurricular experiences to learn about the history and culture of Hawaii.
RIP COSTS	

District funds may be used to pay transportation costs for out of state trips or direct educational program costs. Transportation costs include airfare, bus fare, car fare, etc. related to transportation to/from the out-of-state destination and the transportation costs for the school sponsored activities during the trip. Direct educational program costs include admission fees for visits which are part of the program (e.g. museum).

District funds may NOT be used to pay for non-travel pupil expenses for out of state trips. Non-travel pupil expenses include meals, sundries, lodging, etc.

If you want to use District funds to pay for non-travel pupil expenses on an out of state trip, you must first obtain approval for a waiver of Education Code 35330 from the OUSD Board of Education and the State Board of Education

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The condition(s): Student selection is still per			ending Student has medication at s				ation at school			
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District Insurance: Has vendor requested that OUSD provide a certificate of the District's insurance? No f yes, attach the written requirements provided by the Facility. (Once the Certificate of Insurance is prepared, it will be faxed to the contact person at the facility and the school site contact. The original certificate will then be sent to the school site contact and will be given to the facility if required.)										
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If restricted funds are used for this field trip/excursion, Office of Accountability Partners approval is required to ensure compliant use of resources and alignment with the Single Plan for Student Achievement (SPSA). List the relevant SPSA Tracking Numbers to indicate alignment.

SPSA Tracking #:_

- 1. Attach a copy of the site plan, if modified. Modified SPSA Date: _
- 2. Documentation of the follow up activities is to be maintained at the site for State and Federal compliance review.



Site:	
Teacher Supervising Trip:	
Destination:	
Date of Departure:	

APPROVAL OF REQUEST	Signature	Check	Date	
APPROVAL OF REQUEST	Signature	Approved	Denied	Date
Site Administrator Trip aligns with grade level standards Trip purpose, supervision plan, transportation, safety parameters and funding are appropriate Reviewed agreements/contracts with any facility, program or vendor (attach copies) Organization(s) involved in the trip have expertise in operating student trips	Neha Ummat	Approved		02/16/2023
Network Superintendent ☐ Trip purpose, transportation, and funding are appropriate ☐ Organization(s) involved in the trip have expertise in operating student trips	Clifford Hong	Approved		02/16/2023
Office of Accountability Partners (if restricted funds) Compliant use of resources and in alignment with school site plan (SPSA)				
Risk Management Business contracts, insurance, safety and policy compliance are sufficient Notify Site of conditional approval of Request pending receipt of the completed Checklist Prior to Trip Departure (and attachments)	Rebecca Littlejohn	Approved		02/24/2023

APPROVAL OF TRIP	Signature	Check (One Denied	Date
Site Administrator Forward the completed: (1) Checklist Prior to Trip Departure; (2) list of students and adults attending trip; (3) "Declaration of Driver" and required attachments, completed by each driver of private or rental vehicle	Neha Ummat	Approved	Demod	02/16/2023
Risk Management) Confirm receipt of completed Checklist, list of students/adults, and Declarations of Driver Notify Site of Trip Approval once approved by Superintendent	Rebecca Littlejohn	Approved		02/24/2023
Superintendent Approve/disapprove trip Returns Request Form to Risk Management	Sondra Aguilera	Approved		02/24/2023

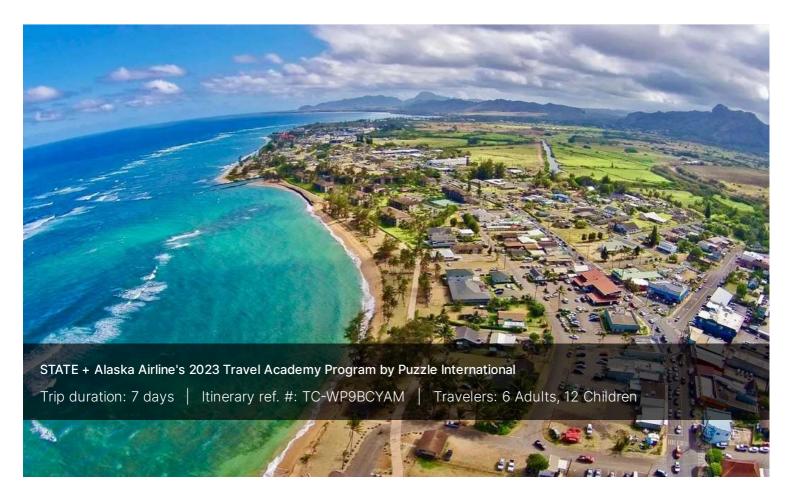


Site:	
Teacher Supervising Trip: _	
Destination:	
Date of Departure:	

CHECKLIST TO BE COMPLETED BY SITE ADMINISTRATOR PRIOR TO TRIP DEPARTURE

(ınıtıal	each item certifying completion)
KY	"OUSD Student Out of State Field Trip/Excursion Permission Slip" has been signed by parent(s)/guardian(s) of all student participants.
KY	"Adult Participant Field Trip/Excursion Chaperone Agreement" signed by all non-District employee chaperones.
KY	OUSD Fingerprint and TB risk assessment per OUSD AR 1240 have been obtained for all non-District employee chaperones.
KY	No student has been prevented from making a trip due to lack of sufficient funds.
KY	No District funds will be used to pay for "pupil expenses" on out of state trips unless waiver of Education Code 35330(b)(3) is granted by OUSD Board of Education and the State Board of Education. Pupil expenses include meals, sundries, lodging, etc. (District funds may be used to pay transportation costs or direct educational program costs.)
KY	Meeting held for staff, noncertificated adults, parent(s)/guardian(s) and students in advance of trip to discuss trip and safety related procedures, itinerary and questions as required by OUSD AR 6153. Meeting date:
KY—	Health Conditions/Medication: School nurse or Health Services has been consulted at least two weeks prior to any field trip. Trip participant health information has been gathered and reviewed and any needed revisions to supervision plan made, including making sure that chaperones understand relevant information (e.g., food allergies). A plan has been developed by a school nurse to collect, secure, and dispense prescription medications from their original containers and consistent with physician's instructions. (See OUSD AR 5141.21)
ΚY	Supervision is by certificated personnel and assisted by other school employees, parent(s)/guardian(s), or other authorized chaperones who are at least 21 years old. Site Administrator and Teacher/lead trip staff are satisfied all chaperones are willing and able to perform required duties, including understanding and implementing instructions, understanding health information for students in their group and responding effectively in the event of an emergency.
KY	Adult to Student Ratio is at least 1:10 as required by OUSD BP 6153 (or higher if high risk activities).
KY	Sleeping arrangements and night supervision are safe and appropriate.
KY	Safety requirements have been met (e.g., first aid kits, emergency contact and health info, instructions for chaperones, cell phones). At least one adult has current First Aid/CPR training.
KY	Confirm that: (1) arrangements have been made for use of a vehicle in event of illness or emergency and (2) students received instruction in safe conduct on bus or other transport.
KY	OUSD Declaration of Driver form completed and signed by driver and registered owners of any private vehicles used on trip and copy of proof of insurance and California driver's license are on file and secured at school site. The same forms may be used for multiple trips or for entire school year as long as insurance proof on file is updated. This requirement does not apply to licensed bus companies on the District's approved bus list or for public transportation entities, airlines or AMTRAK.
Υ	Swim/Water Activities: OUSD "Procedures for Fields Trips including Swim or Water Activities" have been met.
KY	Site and trip leader has a list of students and adults attending trip.
KY	Staff and students will wear masks while indoors (including transportation) during the trip.
	IF MANDATED

TRIP APPROVAL IS CONDITIONED ON COMPLETION OF THIS CHECKLIST





Overview

Apr 02, 2023 - Sunday- Day 1: Arrival

- Flight from San Francisco to Honolulu
- Lunch
- △ Discover Honolulu on a city adventure (time permitting)
- ... Introduction and group building evening activity
- M Dinner
- The Twin Fin

Apr 03, 2023 - Monday- Day 2: History and adventures on the O'ahu Island

- Meakfast at the hotel
- A Roam Haleiwa
- | Lunch
- △ Go on a Zipline journey at the CLIMB Works Keana Farms
- A End the day at the Polynesian Cultural Center
- The Twin Fin

Apr 04, 2023 - Tuesday- Day 3: Spend a meaningful morning before flying to Kauai Island

- Market Streakfast at the hotel
- Explore the University Of Hawai'i at Manoa
- Lunch
- Flight from Honolulu to Kauai
- A Hiking & Kayaking at Wailua River
- Escape into the heart of nature at the Fern Grotto
- M Dinner

Apr 05, 2023 - Wednesday- Day 4: Discovering the Beauty of Kauai

- Meakfast at the hotel
- 🛆 Embark on a new adventure in Kauai
- Lunch
- △ Hike along scenic trails at the Nā Pali Coast State Park
- Embark on a super raft adventure at the Nā Pali Coast State Wilderness Park
- 🛆 Visit Waimea Canyon State Park
- ₩1 Dinner

Apr 06, 2023 - Thursday- Day 5: A Memorable Day in Maui

- Mare Breakfast at the hotel
- Flight from Kauai to Maui
- △ Go Snorkeling at Molokini Crater
- O Uncover the hidden gems of the underwater world of Turtle Town
- H Lunch
- ⚠ Travel to 'lao Valley State Monument
- Stargazing exploring Maui at night
- M Dinner
- Royal Lahaina Resort

Apr 07, 2023 - Friday- Day 6: Another wonderful day of Maui Adventures

- Market Street Street Breakfast at the hotel
- 🛆 Venture on a journey to Haleakalā National Park
- ⚠ The Road to Hana
- **4** Lunch
- Embark on the Pipiwai Trail (time permitting)
- 🛆 Join in a traditional Hawaiian celebration
- 🔅 Evening program TBD
- Royal Lahaina Resort

Apr 08, 2023 - Saturday- Day 7: Farewell and have a safe trip back!

- Market at the hotel
- Morning gathering before heading back home
- 😝 Flight back home from Maui to San Francisco

Apr 02, 2023 - Sunday- Day 1: Arrival



Flight from San Francisco to Honolulu

San Francisco, CA 94128, San Francisco, United States -





6 Adults, 12 Children

Alaska Airlines AS877 11:15 AM - 02:15 PM



Lunch

👺 6 Adults, 12 Children



Discover Honolulu on a city adventure (time permitting)

Honolulu, HI, United States -





😂 6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the beauty and culture of Honolulu on a scenic city trip. Visit popular landmarks, learn about Hawaiian history and marvel at stunning views. Experience the best of the city!



Introduction and group building evening activity

6 Adults, 12 Children

Join us for a fun and interactive evening of introductions and team-building activities. Get to know your fellow participants, build relationships and have a memorable time. Start your adventure with a bang!



Dinner

4 6 Adults, 12 Children



Stay at



The Twin Fin

 2570 Kalākaua Ave, Honolulu, HI 96815, United States -











Apr 03, 2023 - Monday- Day 2: History and adventures on the O'ahu Island



Breakfast at the hotel

6 Adults, 12 Children



Visit the historic site of Pearl Harbor

Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, United States -









6 Adults, 12 Children

Explore the historic site of Pearl Harbor and pay tribute to the brave soldiers who lost their lives on December 7, 1941. Visit the USS Arizona Memorial, and learn about the attack and its impact on the world.



Roam Haleiwa

9 Haleiwa, HI 96712, United States -



👺 6 Adults, 12 Children

Explore the charming town of Haleiwa on the North Shore of Oahu. Stroll along its surf-town main street and immerse yourself in Hawaiian beach culture.



Watch pro surfers at Pipeline - the queen of all waves

• 59 -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Watch thrill-seekers test their skills at one of the world's most famous surf spots, the Banzai Pipeline. Witness pro surfers tackle huge waves, or just relax on the beach and soak up the sun.



Lunch



Go on a Zipline journey at the CLIMB Works Keana Farms

9 1 Enos Rd, Kahuku, HI 96731, United States -





4 6 Adults, 12 Children

Soar through the trees and experience breathtaking views on a zipline journey at CLIMB Works Keana Farms. Zip from platform to platform, taking in the beauty of the surrounding tropical landscape. Adventure awaits!



End the day at the Polynesian Cultural Center

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😂 6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the rich heritage and traditions of Polynesian cultures at the Polynesian Cultural Center. Explore villages representing various islands, enjoy traditional dances, and learn about customs and beliefs. End the day with a delicious dinner and a thrilling show, showcasing the best of Polynesian culture.



Stay at



The Twin Fin

 2570 Kalākaua Ave, Honolulu, HI 96815, United States -













Breakfast at the hotel

6 Adults, 12 Children



Explore the University Of Hawai'i at Manoa

Spalding Hall, 2540 Maile Way, Honolulu, HI 96822, United States -

6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the academic heart of Honolulu at the University of Hawaii at Manoa. Explore the campus, learn about its history and mission, visit cutting-edge facilities and experience college life in the heart of paradise.



Lunch

4 6 Adults, 12 Children



Flight from Honolulu to Kauai

300 Rodgers Boulevard, Honolulu, HI 96819, Honolulu, United States -









6 Adults, 12 Children



Hiking & Kayaking at Wailua River

Wailua River, Wailua, HI 96746, United States -



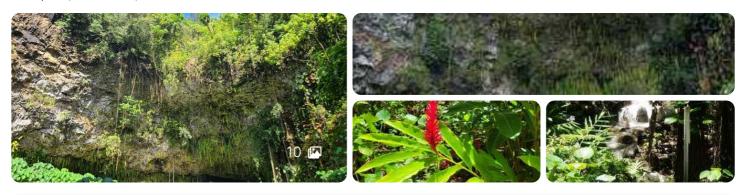
6 Adults, 12 Children

Embark on a thrilling and scenic adventure on the Wailua River. Hike through tropical forests and kayak along the winding river, taking in breathtaking views and encountering exotic wildlife. An unforgettable nature experience.



Escape into the heart of nature at the Fern Grotto

Kapa'a, HI 96746, United States -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Visit the breathtaking Fern Grotto, a natural wonder along the Wailua River. Marvel at the thriving greenery, serenaded by the soothing sounds of live Hawaiian music.



Dinner

4 6 Adults, 12 Children

Apr 05, 2023 - Wednesday- Day 4: Discovering the Beauty of Kauai



Breakfast at the hotel

6 Adults, 12 Children



Embark on a new adventure in Kauai

Kauai, Hawaii, United States -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the natural beauty and rich culture of Kauai, the Garden Isle., and experience the unique charm of this tropical paradise.



Lunch

6 Adults, 12 Children



Hike along scenic trails at the Nā Pali Coast State Park

United States -



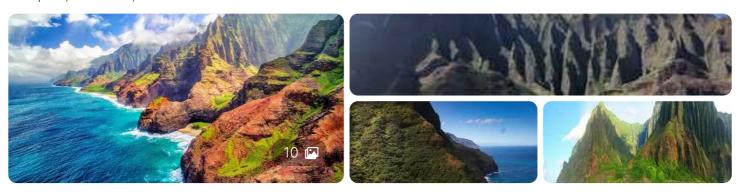
👺 6 Adults, 12 Children

Journey to the stunning Nā Pali Coast State Park and witness Kauai's rugged beauty. Hike along scenic trails and marvel at towering sea cliffs and pristine beaches.



Embark on a super raft adventure at the Nā Pali Coast State Wilderness Park

Kapa'a, HI 96746, United States -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Embark on a thrilling rafting adventure along the breathtaking Nā Pali Coast. Paddle past towering cliffs, turquoise waters, and lush tropical forests. A truly unique and unforgettable way to experience Kauai's wilderness.



Visit Waimea Canyon State Park

Outlied States -



😂 6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the breathtaking beauty of Waimea Canyon State Park, known as the Grand Canyon of the Pacific. Take in panoramic views, and marvel at the rich geological formations of this iconic park.



Dinner



Breakfast at the hotel

4 6 Adults, 12 Children



Flight from Kauai to Maui

3901 Mokulele Loop, Lihue, HI 96766, Lihue, United States -

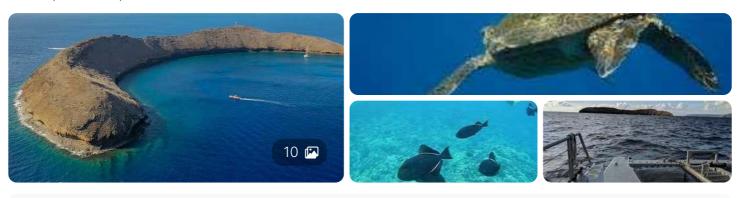


6 Adults, 12 Children



Go Snorkeling at Molokini Crater

Maui, HI 96708, United States -



§ 6 Adults, 12 Children

Dive into the crystal-clear waters of Molokini Crater and discover the abundant marine life below the surface. Snorkel in the sheltered volcanic crater and encounter colorful fish, sea turtles, and other exotic creatures in this unique underwater paradise.

Uncover the hidden gems of the underwater world of Turtle Town

9 183 Makena Rd, Kihei, HI 96753, United States -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Explore the vibrant underwater world of Turtle Town, a premier dive location in Maui. See sea turtles, tropical fish, and other exotic marine life in this diverse and colorful ecosystem.



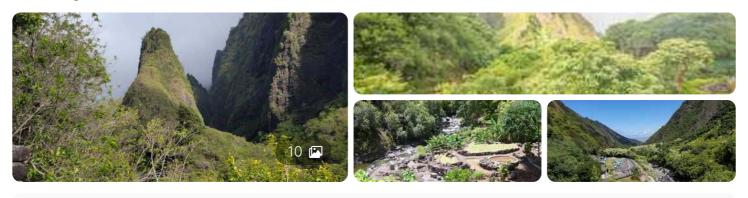
Lunch

👺 6 Adults, 12 Children



Travel to 'lao Valley State Monument

9 54 S High St, Wailuku, HI 96793, United States -



👺 6 Adults, 12 Children

Journey to the breathtaking 'Īao Valley State Monument, a natural wonder. Experience the unique beauty and history of this iconic Maui valley.



Stargazing - exploring Maui at night

HI, United States -





👺 6 Adults, 12 Children

Escape the city lights and experience the magic of Maui's night sky. Join an expert astronomer on a stargazing voyage, exploring the universe and observing celestial bodies through high-powered telescopes.



Dinner

e 6 Adults, 12 Children



Stay at



Royal Lahaina Resort

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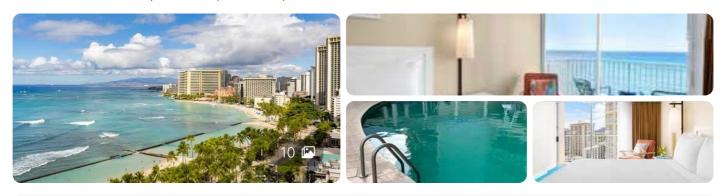


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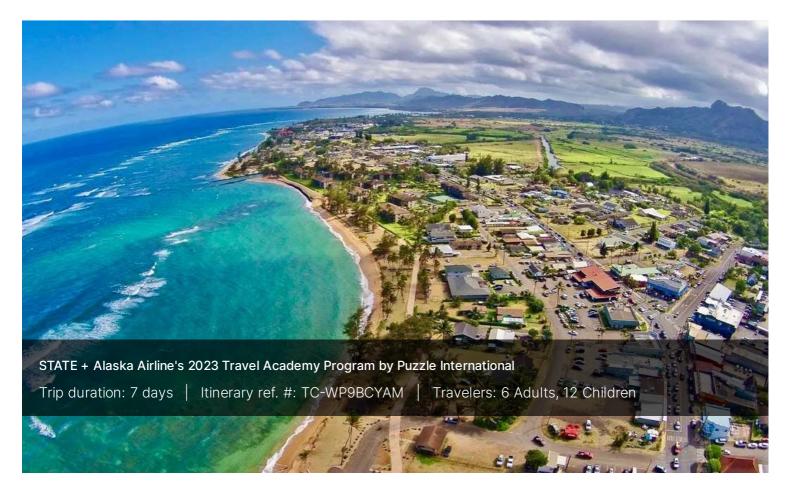
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San Francisco, CA 94128, San Francisco, United States -





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Lunch

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Discover Honolulu on a city adventure (time permitting)

Honolulu, HI, United States -





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Discover the beauty and culture of Honolulu on a scenic city trip. Visit popular landmarks, learn about Hawaiian history and marvel at stunning views. Experience the best of the city!



Introduction and group building evening activity

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Join us for a fun and interactive evening of introductions and team-building activities. Get to know your fellow participants, build relationships and have a memorable time. Start your adventure with a bang!



Dinner

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Breakfast at the hotel

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Visit the historic site of Pearl Harbor

Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, United States -









6 Adults, 12 Children

Explore the historic site of Pearl Harbor and pay tribute to the brave soldiers who lost their lives on December 7, 1941. Visit the USS Arizona Memorial, and learn about the attack and its impact on the world.



Roam Haleiwa

9 Haleiwa, HI 96712, United States -



4 6 Adults, 12 Children

Explore the charming town of Haleiwa on the North Shore of Oahu. Stroll along its surf-town main street and immerse yourself in Hawaiian beach culture.



Watch pro surfers at Pipeline - the queen of all waves

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👺 6 Adults, 12 Children

Watch thrill-seekers test their skills at one of the world's most famous surf spots, the Banzai Pipeline. Witness pro surfers tackle huge waves, or just relax on the beach and soak up the sun.



Lunch



Go on a Zipline journey at the CLIMB Works Keana Farms

9 1 Enos Rd, Kahuku, HI 96731, United States -





4 6 Adults, 12 Children

Soar through the trees and experience breathtaking views on a zipline journey at CLIMB Works Keana Farms. Zip from platform to platform, taking in the beauty of the surrounding tropical landscape. Adventure awaits!



End the day at the Polynesian Cultural Center

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§ 6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the rich heritage and traditions of Polynesian cultures at the Polynesian Cultural Center. Explore villages representing various islands, enjoy traditional dances, and learn about customs and beliefs. End the day with a delicious dinner and a thrilling show, showcasing the best of Polynesian culture.



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Breakfast at the hotel

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Explore the University Of Hawai'i at Manoa

Spalding Hall, 2540 Maile Way, Honolulu, HI 96822, United States -

6 Adults, 12 Children

Discover the academic heart of Honolulu at the University of Hawaii at Manoa. Explore the campus, learn about its history and mission, visit cutting-edge facilities and experience college life in the heart of paradise.



Lunch

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Flight from Honolulu to Kauai

o 300 Rodgers Boulevard, Honolulu, HI 96819, Honolulu, United States -







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Hiking & Kayaking at Wailua River

Wailua River, Wailua, HI 96746, United States -



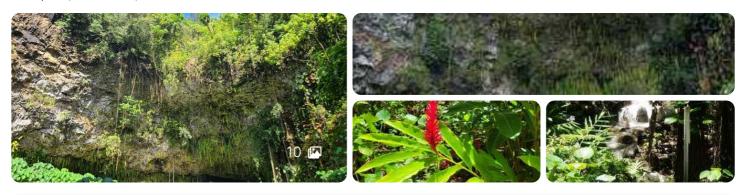
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Embark on a thrilling and scenic adventure on the Wailua River. Hike through tropical forests and kayak along the winding river, taking in breathtaking views and encountering exotic wildlife. An unforgettable nature experience.



Escape into the heart of nature at the Fern Grotto

Kapa'a, HI 96746, United States -



6 Adults, 12 Children

Visit the breathtaking Fern Grotto, a natural wonder along the Wailua River. Marvel at the thriving greenery, serenaded by the soothing sounds of live Hawaiian music.



Dinner

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Kauai, Hawaii, United States -



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Discover the natural beauty and rich culture of Kauai, the Garden Isle., and experience the unique charm of this tropical paradise.



Lunch

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Hike along scenic trails at the Nā Pali Coast State Park

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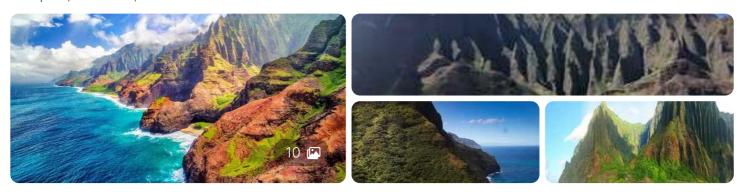
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Journey to the stunning Nā Pali Coast State Park and witness Kauai's rugged beauty. Hike along scenic trails and marvel at towering sea cliffs and pristine beaches.



Embark on a super raft adventure at the Nā Pali Coast State Wilderness Park

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Embark on a thrilling rafting adventure along the breathtaking Nā Pali Coast. Paddle past towering cliffs, turquoise waters, and lush tropical forests. A truly unique and unforgettable way to experience Kauai's wilderness.



Visit Waimea Canyon State Park

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Discover the breathtaking beauty of Waimea Canyon State Park, known as the Grand Canyon of the Pacific. Take in panoramic views, and marvel at the rich geological formations of this iconic park.



Dinner



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3901 Mokulele Loop, Lihue, HI 96766, Lihue, United States -

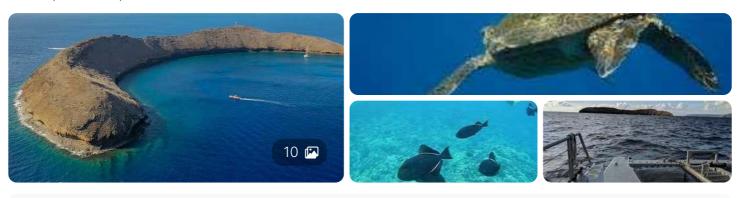


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Maui, HI 96708, United States -

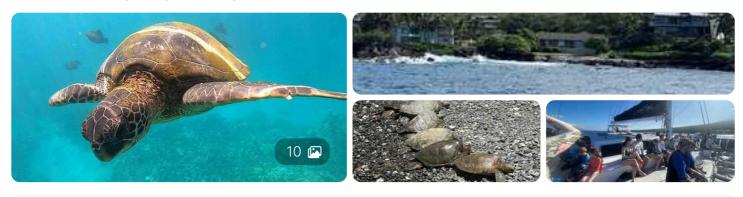


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Dive into the crystal-clear waters of Molokini Crater and discover the abundant marine life below the surface. Snorkel in the sheltered volcanic crater and encounter colorful fish, sea turtles, and other exotic creatures in this unique underwater paradise.

Uncover the hidden gems of the underwater world of Turtle Town

9 183 Makena Rd, Kihei, HI 96753, United States -



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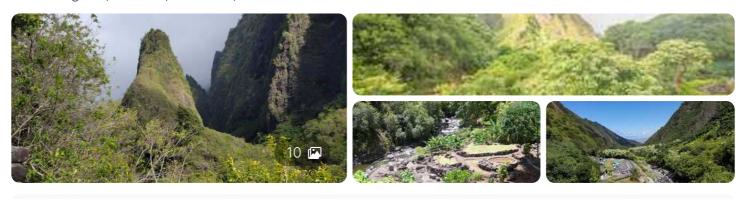
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9 54 S High St, Wailuku, HI 96793, United States -



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Stargazing - exploring Maui at night

HI, United States -





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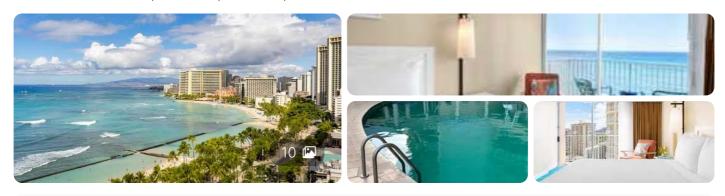


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