
GEEO ITINERARY

X- HAWAII MULTI-ISLAND – Summer

Day 1: Waikiki Arrive at any time.

Arrive at any time. Aloha! Welcome to Hawaii. There are no planned activities today, so check into the hotel and spend some time exploring Waikiki. We typically have a group meeting at the hotel around 6:00 p.m. Upon arrival at the hotel, please check the notice board for information about the group meeting. During the group meeting, the leader will outline the trip itinerary and answer questions.

Day 2: Waikiki (B, L) Enjoy a kayaking tour of He'eia Bay. Paddle out to a sand bar and opt to snorkel and spot various fish, turtles, and starfish. Return to shore at leisure, then enjoy an included Hawaiian barbecue lunch. Hop back to our hotel to rest and take a dip in the pool, before heading out for a sunset sail and an optional dinner with your tour leader.

This morning we head east to Kane'ohe Bay where we will get to kayak the bay and snorkel the hidden sandbars just nearby. Look for turtles and starfish while you snorkel and kayak, or just paddle and enjoy the views of the bay. Afterward, head back to shore for a traditional Hawaiian barbecue lunch. After lunch, we go back to our hotel where you will have time to check out the area, rest, or take a dip in the pool. Later in the day toast to the setting sun on an evening cruise from Waikiki Beach. Take in the views of Diamond Head and Honolulu, and relax to the sounds of the ocean while slicing through the water. What better way to cap off the day?

Day 3: Waikiki (B) Oahu is packed full of things to see and do on this free day. With free time, opt to join the North Shore tour, heading up to Haleiwa town and the north shore food trucks. Or opt to go for a swim at the stunning Hanauma Bay, hike to the top of Diamond Head, take a surf lesson, or just hang loose on the beach — Hawaiian-style!

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Day 4: Waikiki/Kahului (B) Fly to the island of Maui. Head over to our campground, where we will be staying in beachfront "tentalows". Spend the rest of the day snorkeling or kayaking right off the beach. Tonight, enjoy a campfire with your fellow travelers.

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must-do for any visitor to the islands. Grab a lei and get ready to get down like the locals.

Day 6: Kahului (B) Travel along the scenic "Road to Hana" towards the east side of Maui. Stop at iconic viewpoints, black volcanic beaches, and every fruit stand along the way!

Take a day trip along the "Road to Hana" – this windy road circumnavigates the island and is the only connection to the small town of Hana on the east side of Maui. Stop by black sand beaches, towering waterfalls, and see how the islanders live.

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Day 10: Kapa'a/Hilo (B, D) Fly from Kauai to the Big Island. Stop by 'Akaka Falls to stretch your legs, before continuing to our lodge at Kulaniapia Falls.

Fly from Kauai to the Big Island. Stop by the Hilo Farmers' Market to stock up on some fresh juice and snacks. Our accommodations are not far from downtown Hilo but will feel miles away. En route to the lodge, stop by 'Akaka Falls. These 442 feet high falls are easy to walk to and are the perfect introduction to the nature of the Big Island. Continue to Kulaniapia Falls, our lodge for the next two nights. Built adjacent to a private waterfall, Kulaniapia is a once-in-a-lifetime place. We enjoy our dinner here tonight, overlooking the falls.

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Day 13: Kailua-Kona (B) Today is a day at leisure in Kona, and for good reason — Kona is the adventure capital of the Big Island, so there's something to suit everyone here. Opt to go diving, snorkeling, horseback riding, ziplining, or head out to visit a seahorse farm. Tonight, join the group for a final farewell to Hawaii.

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Day 14: Kailua-Kona (B) Depart at any time.

Depart at any time. Want more adventure? Book two or more GEE0 trips in the same year and receive a discount! GEE0 will give you 10% off of the lesser value program(s) (up to 3 programs). If you don't see a program that interests you that pairs with this trip, but still would like to extend your time abroad, let us know. We will work with you to find a non-teacher trip from our tour operator's much larger catalog. Even better, if you are an educator, we can offer still offer you a discounted price on the trip you choose!