## Hawaiian Language through Music HA 180 2003

## **HO'OPILI**

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In this course, students will learn functional and fundamental aspects of the *Hawaiian language* such as <u>vocabulary</u>, <u>simple conversation</u>, <u>parts of speech</u> and <u>basic parts of sentences</u> through the most dynamic tool of imagery, emotion, communication & expression – *music*.

The students will also learn about basic elements of Hawaiian songs.

The title *Ho'opili* was given for the concept of this kind of class where students will develop connections (*ho'opili*) of their own life's experience and the five senses to the Hawaiian language, it's music, poetical imagery, and more. This course will also intersect geography, history, poetry, botany, atmospheric elements, dance, lifestyle etc.

Finally, all students will engage in a presentation of a choice composition identifying fundamental Hawaiian language and song structure.

July 10 - Parts of Speech (on going)

What's in a song? (on going)

Journal - Hawaiian Words I learned as a child

or

Hawaiian words in my everyday life

July 11 - Basic parts of Sentence (on going)

Journal

July 14 - Quiz

King Kalakaua (mele)

Journal

July 15 - Prince Leleiohoku & Princess Likelike

Journal

July 16 - Queen Lili'uokalani (mele)

Journal

July 17 - Wind

Journal

July 18 – Puku'i

Rain / Mist

July 21 - Flowers

Journal Quiz

July 22 - Almeida (mele)

Journal

July 23 - Lei

Journal

July 24 - Machado (mele)

Journal

July 25 - Love

Journal

July 28 - Beamer

Journal

July 29 - No Class

July 30 - Presentations

July 31 - Presentations

Journal: Topic/ it's impact on you.

Presentation: composer of choice

-language aspects +vocabulary

+parts of speech

+basic parts of sentences

+poetic elements

Grade Value

80 % = attendance

20 % = everything else