



ATTENTION MAUI TEACHERS! **Announcing FALL 2017 Registration**

Hawai'i Nature Center's unique hands-on outdoor programs have been designed to meet DOE standards and promote wise stewardship of our islands. Registration will take place on:

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24th from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

THURSDAY, MAY 25th from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

To make your reservation:

- **PLEASE CALL 244-6500 or (808) 446-4671.**
Dates are given on a first call, first serve basis.
- Speak to a live person. *DO NOT LEAVE A VOICE MAIL MESSAGE!* Any reservations left on the voice mail will be answered **AFTER** the registration period listed above.
- Scholarships and funding support for Title 1 schools will be awarded when you call to make your reservation. You will be notified at that time if your school qualifies for any special funding.
- After May 25, please email your school reservation request to On-Site Specialist Jeremy Percich at jeremy@hawaiinaturecenter.org.

Our fall semester begins in September and runs through mid-December. The program times listed below include time for lunch, with the exception of Preschool. (Preschools are welcome to stay for lunch upon request.) Spring 2018 registration will take place in November. A flier will be mailed to your school.

For program and fee information, go to our website:

<http://hawaiinaturecenter.org/nature-programs/maui-school-programs/>



Children of the Land (Preschool), 9:30-11:30 am

Become comfortable in nature while learning about the wonders of water and explore the mountain trails and special homes of the animals that live in the forest.



Introduction to Nature (Kindergarten), 9:00 am-12:30 pm

Take a sensory exploration of both living and non-living parts of nature while learning to appreciate nature. Hike through the forest, learn how soil is made, and explore a mini stream ecosystem.



Introduction to Plants, Animals and Healthy Habitats (Grade 1), 9am-12:45 pm

Explore the stream and forest in Iao Valley while learning about survival needs, food chains, and stream life. Demonstrate ways to help keep our habitats healthy.



Cycles in Nature (Grade 2), 9:00 am-1:00 pm

Examine the importance of five of the main cycles in nature (plant and animal life cycles; nutrient, gas, and water cycles) while hiking, fishing at the stream, and hunting for decomposers. See how cycles are interconnected and how humans are a part of these cycles.



Forest Encounters (Grades 4, 5 and 6), 9:00 am-1:00 pm

Explore the forest of Iao Valley while learning about geological, biological and human-caused changes. Learn about changes that have local and global impacts and suggest ways for creating a better future for Hawai'i.



Coastal Encounters (Grades 4, 5 and 6), 9:00 am – 12:45 pm

U.S Fish and Wildlife Keālia Pond Coastal Boardwalk National Wildlife Refuge

Examine coastal ecology, geology, and how humans have impacted Maui's coastlines in the past. Participate in a mock archaeological dig, conduct a marine debris study, and learn how we can positively impact the coastline today.