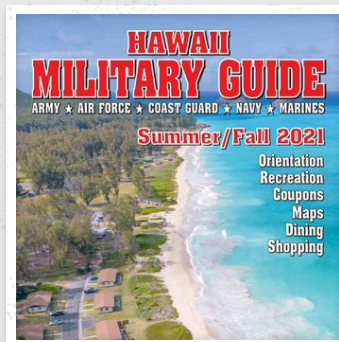


# Kākou Connection

April 2022

Kākou in Hawaiian means "we are all in this together." As we continue to overcome challenges, it is our hope that this newsletter will provide you with valuable resources and information to guide you along the way. This is a joint collaboration of the DOE Central District's School Social Workers and Human Services Professionals. Let's remain connected and support one another!

*April is Month of the Military Child - a time to honor the sacrifices made by military families worldwide!*



## Hawaii DOE Military Resources

<https://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/ParentsAndStudents/MilitaryFamilies/Pages/Home.aspx>

The DOE works with the Interstate Compact to smooth the experience for military families who enroll their children in Hawaii's public schools.

## Hawaii Military Guide

<https://hawaiimilitaryguide.com/>

This online portal consolidates hundreds of exclusive military resources in Hawai'i, with information on recreation, shopping, dining, lodging, education, and trusted businesses.

## Tutor.com

<https://military.tutor.com/home>

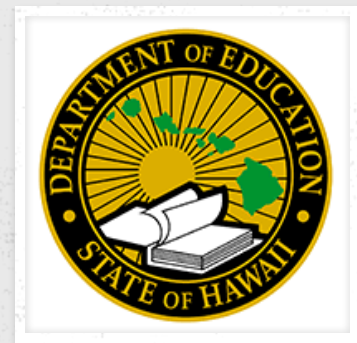
For U.S. military and their families, Tutor.com offers no-cost, online tutoring and homework help, 24/7. Tutoring is funded by the U.S. Department of Defense and Coast Guard Mutual Assistance.

# Summer School and Programs

## DOE Summer School

<https://www.hawaiipublicschools.org/TeachingAndLearning/SpecializedPrograms/SummerSchool/Pages/home.aspx>

Official summer school provides an extended learning opportunity for students to have access to academic courses, enrichment, acceleration and/or remediation experiences. The list of summer school participants is updated regularly, please check for updates.



## Honolulu Family Summer Programs

<https://www.honolulumagazine.com/summer-programs-guide-hawaii/>

Nine weeks of summer break. What are parents supposed to do? Honolulu Family compiled a list of more than 40 enriching, academic and inspiring programs for your keiki. Brush up on art, enhance your academics or tackle a STEAM project in-person or online this summer.

Please reference the attached guide below for more details.



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## University of Hawaii at Manoa - Summer Scholar Program

<https://www.outreach.hawaii.edu/programs/summer-scholar-program/>

Apply for the Summer Scholar Program and earn college credits during six weeks in the summer. Upon acceptance to the program, qualified high school sophomores and juniors can register for University of Hawai'i at Mānoa Summer 2022 courses and experience the college environment while still in high school.







# Parks and Recreation Summer Fun Program

<https://www.honolulu.gov/parks/program/summer-fun-program.html>

Summer Fun is returning to dozens of city park locations across O'ahu this summer! Registration will be conducted in-person at your specific Summer Fun site on Saturday, May 14, 2022 from 9 a.m. to 12-noon. Please check back at a later date for a full listing of all participating Summer Fun sites.

## Family Resources and Fun Activities



### Hawaii Statewide Family Engagement Center (HFEC)

<https://cde.hawaii.edu/hfec/#>

HFEC's goal is to build capacity in every community in Hawai'i among schools, parents, and community organizations, so that all children thrive developmentally and academically. They offer family resources by age group as well as local, national, and COVID-19 resources.



### Sanford Fit

<https://fit.sanfordhealth.org/>

Sanford Fit is the Children's Health Initiative from Sanford Health, developed to engage and empower children, families, and communities to make healthy lifestyle choices. They provide free videos, printables, lessons, and games.



### PEEPS Recipes and Crafts

<https://www.peepsbrand.com/easter-recipes-and-crafts/>

Express your "Peepsonality" with Easter recipes, crafts and party décor featuring PEEPS marshmallow bunnies, delights and more. My favorites are the surprise-inside cupcakes, bunny garland and bunny centerpiece cones!