

Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula: Student Information

Please print clearly and sign all required fields. Give completed forms to the instructor prior to your observation of and/or participation in any of our activities. Mahalo!

Name(s):

First _____ Last _____ Age _____

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Parent/Guardian's First and Last Name (if not the student):

Home Address, Phone, Email:

Street _____ City _____ Zip code _____

Cell phone _____ Home phone _____

Email address _____

Emergency Contact Name and Phone: _____

Please specify allergies or health concerns, if any, for each person listed on this form:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I am the Responsible Party; the person who is legally and financially responsible for all individuals listed on this form.

Date _____ Name _____ Signature _____

Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula: Policy Agreement

(Please initial by each section to confirm your agreement)

Tuition: Payment is due (\$50/mo per type of class) on the 1st of every month. A \$15 fee will be assessed if payment is not received on the first day of the month. You will not be allowed to return to class the following month until the previous month has been paid for. There is a \$10 total discount if a single person enrolls in an additional type of class in the same month. Cash, Zelle or Venmo (preferred) is accepted. Checks are NOT accepted. If you will be unable to attend a class for any reason, payment for the full month is still required in advance in order to hold your spot. For each additional student enrolled per month on your account, a \$5 discount will be given. Payments are non-refundable.

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Responsibility: Please arrive early, with all materials needed. Parents will be responsible for picking up their children after class on time. If you'll be unable to attend, please notify the instructor AT LEAST 24 hours ahead of time. If you miss a class, it is your responsibility to find out what was taught and then catch up. You may do this by either paying for a private lesson with the instructor or meeting with a Hālau sister or brother to go over what you've missed.

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Hālau Protocol: Personal hygiene and grooming are very important in hula; please take care of your kino (body). Always take off your shoes before you enter the room. Cell phones should be silenced. Please do not disrupt the class. Non-dancers (parents, friends, etc) should be informed of halau rules. No video or audio recording allowed. If young siblings or other family members or friends are brought to the lounge, we do ask that they sit quietly and watch without disrupting others at the studio. The halau is not a playground; children should be discouraged from running or yelling in the halau. At the end of class, all students should help to close by clearing away trash and sweeping the floor. All classes will end 10 minutes early to aid in cleanup and wala'au time. Please remember to always respect your instructor and instructor's assistants. When you join a class, show respect for your hula brothers and sisters with more experience by remaining at the back of the class. Please be aware that ongoing attendance is necessary to be successful in any class, as choreography is learned in progression.

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Performances: One of our goals is to display the culture uniformly. In addition to having the same costumes, all dancers must remove all jewelry, remove all nail polish, conceal tattoos, tan if needed, hair color a neutral brown (no "loud" colors, such as purple, pink, blue, etc.) and have hair/makeup prepared the same way. We all dance "as one".

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No Videography: You, your family members and/or friends are not allowed to video record or audio record dancers in the halau during the classes. If you are caught, you will be asked to leave. However, you are encouraged to record during public performances. It is not appropriate to share what is learned in Ho'okahi I Ka Hula with those outside the halau, including choreography, without permission from the instructor. If you would like to perform a song learned from Ho'okahi I Ka Hula without the rest of the group, you must first perfect the dance as it was intended to be displayed and then perform it in front of the instructor (or send a video from home). It will be at the discretion of the instructor to decide whether or not you are ready to use choreography outside of the halau.

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By signing below, I acknowledge that I am the Responsible Party and I fully understand and agree to all sections of this agreement.

Date _____ Name _____ Signature _____

Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula: Waivers and Releases

(Please initial by each section to confirm your agreement)

Rules and Responsibilities:

1. I understand that I must abide by Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula's rules. I will ensure that those in my party will behave in a professional manner while on the premises. I will ensure that those in my party are not running, yelling, engaging in horseplay, etc while in the Hālau.
2. I understand that I cannot bring any food or drink (besides water) on the dance floor.
3. I understand that I must remove my shoes prior to walking on the dance floor.
4. I understand that there is no smoking allowed within 20 feet of the building.
5. I hereby assume responsibility for any damage or loss, caused by myself, my family members and/or friends (including any of my guests that enter with me), to any and all items, equipment, mirrors, flooring or furniture in the studio that belong to Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula. Any damage caused by anyone in my party, whether intentional or accidental, will result in my responsibility to pay for said damages to the Hālau within one month. A receipt for costs will be provided for informational purposes. _____ **(initial here)**

Photo/Video Release: I hereby grant permission to use my likeness in photographs and/or videos in any and all of Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula and/or Nā Leo Kūpono publications, including, but not limited to, website entries, without payment or other consideration. Any photos or videos posted to the group's private page on Facebook may be used. I understand and agree that these materials will become the property of the Hālau. I hereby authorize the Hālau to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish or distribute photos & videos for purposes of publicizing the company programs or for any other lawful purpose without compensation to myself or my heirs. _____ **(initial here)**

Waiver of Liability: I hereby release Hālau Ho'okahi I Ka Hula, it's employees, agents, officers, assigns and subsidiaries (hereafter "the Releasees"), from any and all claims from bodily/emotional injury or illness, any and all property damage or loss, arising from observation and/or participation in any classes, workshops, practices, rehearsals, meetings or performances offered. I assume all risks and accept personal responsibility for any injury, death or other loss that may result from my and my party's observation and/or participation of said activities. I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the Releasees from demands, losses or damages on account of personal injury, disability, death or damage to property that I may suffer that are caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees, other dancers and/or by the failure, malfunction or use of equipment or facilities.

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