



Hualalai Academy

First Semester
High School Electives

2011 – 2012

Our Mission

Hualalai Academy is a K-12 college preparatory school that empowers students through an integrated curriculum and experiential learning to develop their academic, artistic, social, and physical skills. We provide a safe, healthy, and nurturing environment that encourages exploration, community involvement, and lifelong learning.

Elective Block C Last Period Tues/Thursday

Note: These electives are .25 Credits Each Semester, with the exception of Study Hall, which is a non-credit class, and Musical Theater, which is a .5 Credit Each Semester (.25 in Fine Arts and .25 in PE) and must be taken concurrently with the Project Block Musical Theater Class.

Elective Block C

FAD101 - Musical Theater – Ms. Boyum

(Must be taken in conjunction with Wed. Musical Theater)

This class is a performance-based class in which students will learn how to confidently audition and perform in front of others. In our rehearsal process we'll work on using the voice to express emotion while improving clarity. Each student will have experience with at least one aspect of various crews: design, makeup, costume, lighting, publicity, and stage crew among others. *High School students may receive .25 Fine Arts credit and .25 PE credit for participation in this elective.*

PJC101 – Yearbook – Mrs. Durkin

This class will produce a lasting keepsake: the 2011-2012 Hualalai Academy Yearbook. Students will plan, create, and execute this publication including, cover design, layout and page design, photography, marketing, and sales. Design fundamentals, learning the Yearbook software program, journalism overview and marketing principles will be covered. Participants in this class are responsible for all content in the Yearbook involving, photographing students and teachers, covering all school events, designing ads and specialty pages. Through Yearbook sales, our goal will be to cover the cost of publication and offer a finished product we are all proud of. This is a yearlong endeavor and enrollment in both semesters is recommended. *(.25 credits, Fine Arts)*

STY121 - Study Hall – Mrs. Goodale

Elective non-credit course designed for students requiring additional teacher support outside of the classroom. Focus will be to improve current class standing and/or to work on homework and other assigned class work. Each student will present a detailed plan of work during each study hall session. This plan must detail what the student will accomplish during study hall time and must be signed off by student and teacher. No use of computers will be allowed unless research pertinent to accomplishing student study hall plan. In the absence of schoolwork, students may read teacher approved literature if they are "on track" with their normal school work. **This in-school study time is ideal for students with a full after-school schedule – including those who participate in BIIF Sports. (No Credit)**

PJC106 - HATV, Video TV Production – Mrs. Rickey

Hualalai Academy TV News Network (HATV). Do you want to help produce our school TV show? Are you interested in reporting, news-casting, writing, or operating camera equipment? Do you want to learn how to stream video to the Internet? This class will give students hands on experience planning, writing, directing, shooting, editing, and producing our school HATV Show. We will focus on what's happening in and around our school of the future. *(.25 credits, Fine Arts)*

PEA935 – Upper School PE – Mr. Zailik

This PE for students in **grades 7 – 12**, will explore a variety of physical activities while promoting sportsmanship, teamwork, and optimal health. (.25 credits, *Physical Education*)

ISS - Upper School Independent Study – High School Faculty/ By Permission ONLY.

This course is available to students in good standing who would like to pursue a directed Independent Study Course, either to follow-up on a particular academic interest or to build credits toward graduation in needed areas. You must submit a proposal to Ms. White or Mr. Steger by August 8 to have your course approved. (.25 credits, *various*)

Wednesday Arts & Science Project Class

Note: These electives are .25 Credits Each Semester, with the exception of Musical Theater, which is a .5 Credit Each Semester and must be taken concurrently with the Elective Block “C” Musical Theater Class.

FAD101 - Musical Theater – Ms. Boyum

(Must be taken in conjunction with Block C Musical Theater, not available to 6th grade first semester)

This class is a performance-based class in which students will learn how to confidently audition, present, and perform in front of others, while encouraging their peers to do the same. In our rehearsal process we'll work on singing, speaking and using the voice to express emotion while improving clarity, strength, range, pitch, and volume. We'll also work on choreography and memorization in preparation for a full-scale musical theatre production. In addition, each student will have experience with at least one aspect of various crews, choosing from props, design, construction, makeup, costume, lighting, sound, backstage, publicity and stage crews. *High School students may receive .25 Fine Arts credit and .25 PE credit for participation in this elective.*

PJC121 - Rocket Science 101, a Science Fair Tutorial – Mrs. Goodale

This course is for both the serious science fair student, and the student who would just like some one-on-one help. In this course, we will help you select a topic, and write the science fair research paper, as well as help you design your experiment or engineering project. We will also work on constructing high quality display boards. Whether you just want some help, or you have ambitions to compete at the State Science Fair (grades 6-12) and/or Science Symposium (grades 9-12), Rocket Science-101 will help you meet your goals. (.25 credits, *Science*)

FAV223 – Art Exploration: Creating & Collaborating – Mrs. Durkin

This class offers the student a chance to work on collaborative projects with the Musical Theater Department, as well as engage in mixed media art forms of all types. Student will work individually and in groups to create pieces that include, set design, architecture, drawing, painting, sculpting, graphic design, photography, collage, painting, printmaking and silkscreen. Students will be given the freedom to explore artistic self-expression and style while reviewing the theory and practice of the visual art masters and professionals. If students have a particular area of interest, class time can be used to focus on and develop further competency. Project critiques will take place throughout the semester. (.25 credits, *Fine Arts*)

PJC120 – Creative Juices, iPad2 Too – Mr. Sveiven

This Wednesday Project class will revolve around the new iPad 2 and the many applications that it offers. One track of this class will allow students the opportunity to create and record music using our multi-track recording software. Students will also explore other creative applications and learn new ways to present core projects to their peers and the community. (.25 credits, Fine Arts)

PJC119 - Hualalai Academy Newspaper - Mr. Zailik

Do you have an interest in journalism? Would you like to be a writer for Hualalai Academy's first-ever newspaper? In this course, you will learn how to write opinion articles, editorials, and sports news, as well as conducting interviews of your peers and teachers and taking photographs. It will be your job to report all the exciting news and happenings at Hualalai. The theme of the newspaper will be "by students, for students," so the expectation is that you will report on and write about events that are important to you. Sign up, and be a founder of the school's first ever newspaper! (.25 credits, Fine Arts)

PJC116 – Seed to Table – Mrs. Stenberg

This class offers a variety of activities to students who are interested in learning about the environment, fresh food, and raising awareness and support for local gardens and the art of cooking. We will grow and eat from our own garden. Students will learn and put in practice the art of growing an edible garden, using the fruits of their labor in a fun way by preparing simple and fresh recipes. Students will not only coordinate and organize a local, Mediterranean style restaurant, offering a variety of herb flavored dishes, they will also create their own recipe book based on the knowledge they have acquired during this fun project-based class. (.25 credits, Science)

High School Elective Sign-Up Sheet

Please include the corresponding course number for each course choice.

Course # First Choice Course # Second Choice
Wednesday ADF201 Musical Theater ADF101 Video Prod.

Course	Course #	First Choice	Course #	Second Choice
Semester 1 Elective Block C				
Semester 1 Arts & Science Project Class				

A parent signature is needed to complete the process. **Priority is given to requests by grade level and the date course requests are returned.** You may mail, fax or deliver the form to school. Our FAX number is 808-329-9542

If you have a question, please e-mail Ms. Mulligan or Ms. White for the quickest response. You may also call the school office at 326-9866. kmulligan@hualalai.org or awhite@hualalai.org

Please detach and return this sign-up sheet to the office ASAP and no later than **Tuesday, August 2.**

Student schedules will be handed out **Monday, August 8th.** **No changes to schedules may be made prior to that date.**

Student Name _____

Grade _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____