

LEARNING THE ROPES



SPECIAL TO WEST HAWAII TODAY

Hualalai Academy middle school drama students have learned improvisation techniques, photo posing and stage makeup. They are seen here after stage makeup class, front to back, left to right, Keli Jackson, Anna Thomas, Somer Mitchell, Amanda Dodson, Yvanna Menendez, Kelsey Winterrowd, Nora Frank, Reid Austin, Erin Zagorodney, Liz Lent, Ariella Garinger, Billy Baker, Raisa Klyne and Jacob Lam, Draysen Wilson, Malia Davis and Tomas Pruitt. The Art of Improvisation class takes place during the arts and science project period. This semester, students have chosen from the following classes, VEX robotics, video and theater production, photojournalism and yearbook, and the Art of Improvisation. By allowing for a longer class time the students are able to work more in-depth to explore the focus of the class. It also allows students to investigate some of their own interests and help shape the direction of the class.