

Resources During COVID-19 Pandemic

This doc was created to help share available resources on the Big Island that might be helpful during this time of uncertainty. Resources are being vetted as quickly as possible. Resources that haven't been verified will appear **in red** and will be updated as soon as possible.

Educational Resources

List of Educational Resources in 1 Place:

<https://www.mkewithkids.com/post/overwhelmed-by-all-the-ideas-we-put-them-in-one-place-for-you-by-subject>

Adventure Academy (For kids 8–13):

Immerse your children in an interactive, virtual world. Adventure Academy focuses on high-priority school subjects such as math, language arts, social studies, and more in a highly engaging and educational environment.

[Enroll now for just \\$45/year \(Save 62% off our normal monthly subscription price\) — Find Out More](#)

ABCmouse (For kids 2–8):

Perfect for children ages 2–8, ABCmouse.com is the #1 learning app* for reading, math, art, music, and more. Young learners can explore over 10,000 learning activities across every major curriculum topic in preschool through 2nd grade.

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Additionally, we always offer the first 30 days free to new members who select the monthly membership option. You can find out more at [ABCmouse.com](#) (For kids 2–8) and [AdventureAcademy.com](#) (For kids 8–13)

BrainChase

The Spring 2020 Quarantine Challenge begins on Monday. You can [register here](#), and please use coupon code QUARANTINE for 15% off. We hope you'll join us.

IXL.com

Common core aligned

K-12

Math, Language Arts, Science, Social Studies

Khan Academy

Free online education resource

<https://www.khanacademy.org>

HECOA (Helping Families Succeed in Homeschooling)

unlocking the entire Podcast Station to all HECOA Basic Members through the end of April! Make sure you are logged in to access the episodes.

<https://hecoa.com/hecoa-podcast-station-free-for-all-basic-members-for-a-limited-time>

Aloha Theater

Wednesday, March 25 1:00pm-2:00pm HST

Wednesday Wonders with Miss Jackie and DJ Nikki

No more school, beaches, or outdoor sun? Well these two girls are here to bring FUN!

A FREE Facebook Live Series for all to “wonder” in the comfort of their own home! (donations appreciated, but not required)

Saturday, March 28 2:00pm-5:00pm HST

The Laramie Project Audition Webinar

We want YOU to feel prepared and confident for The Laramie Project Auditions by offering an Audition Webinar, bringing interested auditioners the details, material, and support to ensure a successful audition experience from the comfort of your own home!

This workshop will be held via Zoom for a \$1 donation!

Saturday, April 4, 10:00am-12:00pm HST

Saturdays On Broadway: Online Edition

Experienced dancers everywhere are invited to join Rachel Carr in this all-new online dance series offering an open space for theatre lovers!

This series will be held via Zoom, and is FREE to register! (donations appreciated, but not required)

Sunday, April 5 1:00pm-4:00pm

Monologue Workspace: Online Edition

Join Jaquelynn Jeanne Collier as she facilitates an online monologue “workspace” for actors to gain additional feedback for their upcoming auditions from the comfort of their own home!

This series will be held via Zoom, and is FREE to register! (donations appreciated, but not required)

Educational website links for keiki

<https://www.kennedy-center.org/mowillems>

<https://www.weareteachers.com/>

Food Resources

DOE will continue to provide student meals during the extended break, and is implementing new delivery methods to maintain social distancing while doing so. DOE will be providing Grab-and-Go Meals for breakfast and lunch to children who are 18 years or younger at the following locations in and near House District 7:

- **Kohala High Cafeteria, starting Monday, March 23**
- **Waimea Elementary Cafeteria, starting Tuesday, March 24**
- **Honoka'a High Cafeteria, starting Tuesday, March 24**
- **Konawaena High Cafeteria, starting Monday, March 23**

Meals will be available for pick-up Monday through Friday at the following times:

- **Breakfast - 7:30 a.m. to 8 a.m.**
- **Lunch - 11:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

All meals will be placed in containers outside of the cafeteria to limit personal interactions between DOE employees and the community. The cafeterias will not be open. **Meals will not be served on Thursday, March 26 in observance of Prince Kuhio Day.** Please click [here](#) for a full list of designated pick up sites.

Poi Dog Deli wrote on their Facebook page on Friday, 3/20/2020:

Free meals for keiki in need! 

Many keiki in our community rely on their school to feed them 1-2 meals a day. While school is out we are concerned those keiki may not be getting enough to eat.

During this time we are offering \$3 Peanut Butter and Jelly sandwiches with bottomless bowls of popcorn which will be PAID FOR BY our new Keiki Food Fund at Poi Dog Deli!

Right now the fund has been donated \$165 - which is 55 free meals for any Keiki in need!

If you are a family, or know of a family with keiki in need of food right now please spread the word that we have free PBJ's and popcorn for all.

The Keiki Food Fund will be around as long as the keiki aren't allowed to return to school.

https://www.facebook.com/pg/PoiDogDeli/posts/?ref=page_internal

Online/Delivery Shopping Resources

[amazon.com](#)

Shipping cost

- Shipping cost calculated
- \$12.99 per month for [PRIME membership](#) gives access to free shipping, free movie streaming (similar to Netflix)
 - \$5.99 for [PRIME for qualifying EBT or Medicaid](#)

Available Items

- Most dry goods and non-perishables available and will be delivered to your doorstep

[target.com](#)

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- Free shipping on orders of \$35 or more

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Target Drive Up

- Free
- Requires [Target App](#)
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Target Pickup

- Free
- Can designate another person for pickup

Target Shipt

- Cost:
- Only available in Hilo right now

Restaurant Delivery in Kona

<https://www.foodsohawaiidelivery.com> 808-825-8888

Restaurant Delivery in Hilo

Express Waters <https://www.expresswaiters-onlineorders.com>

Digital Currency Options

If a friend is shopping for you, an easy safe way to “exchange” money is with a digital currency rather than exchanging anything physical that has the potential of spreading germs ie. Cash or credit cards.

Apple Pay (for those with iPhones)

- Secure option that is accepted at KTA, Target, McDonalds and many others without having to touch anything to pay except your own phone or watch
- You can send money via text message to others with apple pay

Samsung Pay (for those with iPhones)

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Venmo

- Allows you to send money via text to others with Venmo
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Utilities Resources

Hawaiian Telcom:

-offering free internet services two (2) months of free Internet service to households with K-12 and/or college students who currently do not subscribe to Hawaiian Telcom Internet service. To sign up, families can call 643-8888.

a complete list of companies that have pledged not to turn off cell phones for 60 days can be found at: <https://www.fcc.gov/keep-americans-connected#pledges>

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To Research:

- Big Island Courier Service (808) 960-6006 <https://www.bigislandcourierservice.com>
- <http://www.going4groceries.com> (808) 238-1749