

## Weather & Destination Specific Information

# Hawaii Travel Planning

For any questions or concerns about your upcoming tour not addressed here, please call 1-800-826-2266

**Time Zone:** Hawaii is on Aleutian Time and does not recognize Daylight Saving Time. From the first weekend in November to the second weekend in March, Hawaii is five hours behind the Eastern Time Zone. From the second weekend in March to the first weekend in November, Hawaii is six hours behind the Eastern Time Zone.

**Weather:** Average High/Low

	Average Temperature
Hawaiian Islands	84° F / 68° F

Throughout the year sunrise is normally between 6-7 AM with sunset between 6-7 PM.

**ABC Convenience Stores:** ABC Stores offer a large selection of items and multiple locations featuring everything from beach towels and suncare products, to groceries and local specialties, this iconic Hawaiian retail chain has several stores conveniently located within easy walking distance of most of our hotel properties.

**Agricultural Declaration & Inspection:** For a smooth experience at airports on your travel day, you must complete an Agricultural & Biosecurity Declaration Form via this link no sooner than five days prior to your flight to Hawaii:  
<https://akamaiarrival.hawaii.gov/>

You only need to submit this form once on behalf of yourself and anyone else in your Holiday Vacations booking reservation. The form will ask for the following:

- Arrival date
- Airline
- Departure airport and arrival airport
- Flight number
- Declaration of transporting animals, plants, and similar
- Contact info
- Number of people in party
- Hawaii address or name of lodging (please type 'Marriott Waikiki')

You will get an email confirmation after you have completed the form. Please print this confirmation and bring it with you to the airport or take a picture

of it with your mobile device. If you have any questions, please contact your Tour Director.

Guests go through an Agricultural Inspection prior to leaving Hawaii due to restrictions on the movement of fruits, plants, and other items to the mainland to prevent the spread of plant insects and diseases. Inspection stations for checked luggage are located in front of the airline check-in counters. All checked luggage must have an agricultural seal prior to check-in. Carry-on articles will be inspected near the departure gates.

**Hawaiian Driver-Guide:** Holiday Vacations has arranged for a Hawaiian driver-guide service to provide transportation, cultural insights, and local information of the places you will be visiting. As part of your Holiday Vacations tour, Hawaiian driver-guide gratuities have been included for you.

**Packing Tips:** While on tour, casual clothing is appropriate, but you may consider packing one outfit that is a little dressier than your everyday casual wear for the luau. It is recommended that you pack comfortable clothing and good walking shoes. Since the weather is always changing, you may want to dress in layers and bring a light sweater or jacket and a small umbrella. If possible, leave your valuables (such as jewelry) at home.

**Additional Luggage:** Additional pieces of luggage can be handled for you. The cost is \$10 per additional bag per day. Please call our office to make arrangements for any additional pieces of luggage. Note that most airlines also charge passengers for a second piece of checked luggage.

**Sunscreen:** Reef-safe sunscreen is required in Hawaii.

