



GLOBAL VILLAGE  
HAWAII

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Welcome to

# GV HAWAII

New Horizons. New Possibilities

Where students excel academically in what can only be described as paradise.

GV Hawaii delivers a quality educational experience to students from across the globe. Once you join our family, your English will rapidly improve on our warm, safe, and friendly island. At GV Hawaii, you will achieve your educational goals, have unforgettable adventures, and leave with wonderful memories and aloha.

## FESTIVALS

Merrie Monarch Hula  
Honolulu Marathon  
King Kamehameha Parade  
Ukulele Festival  
Hawaii Int'l Film Festival  
Surfing Championships  
Okinawan Festival  
Korean Festival  
Chinese New Year Festival  
Beach Fireworks



## AVERAGE HIGH TEMPERATURES



JANUARY 27°C  
AUGUST 32°C

## ATTRACTIONS

Polynesian Cultural Center  
Waikiki Beaches & Sunset  
Diamond Head Crater  
Pearl Harbor  
Wet-n-Wild Water Park  
Hanauma Bay Nature Preserve  
Bishop Museum  
Iolani Palace  
Manoa Falls Hike  
Ala Moana Shopping Center

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# THE CITY OF HAWAII



## FUN FACT #1

Hula dance was originally a form of worship performed by highly trained men.



## FUN FACT #2

Hawaii is where many Hollywood movies and TV shows have been filmed, such as Jurassic Park, 50 First Dates, and Hawaii Five-O.



## FUN FACT #3

The tallest mountain in the world is Mauna Kea, on the Island of Hawaii.



## FUN FACT #4

Many celebrities such as Bruno Mars, Barack Obama, Jack Johnson and Jason Momoa are from Hawaii.

## TRAVEL INFO

You can easily get around by car rental, shuttle, taxi, ride share or Oahu's public bus system. Many visitors also enjoy taking bus tours to conveniently explore the Island. Others rent bicycles, mopeds and motorcycles.



For more information on Hawaii, transit fares, routes, popular attractions and other useful information, visit:

[www.gohawaii.com](http://www.gohawaii.com)

[www.thebus.org](http://www.thebus.org)

[www.waikikitrolley.com](http://www.waikikitrolley.com)

## OUR MISSION

is to provide a positive, supportive and inspiring learning environment for English language students through our commitment to the highest standard of quality in the areas of academics, extracurricular activities, accommodations and student services.

*Global Village Hawaii does not discriminate with regard to race, color, national origin, ethnicity, gender, religion, sexual orientation, marital status, age, political views, immigration status, or disability.*

# SCHOOL INFORMATION

**GLOBAL VILLAGE HAWAII** offers the highest quality education as evidenced by being the only school in Hawaii that is accredited nationally (ACCET) and internationally (IALC). Further, GV Hawaii has received several international school awards, including: #1 in the world in school environment, #3 in the world in accommodations, and #3 in the world in the overall category. GV Hawaii is proud to be Hawaii's only authorized Cambridge exam center.



## CAMPUS HIGHLIGHTS

- > Our campus is located in a beautiful business building near the beach, bus terminal, and shopping mall
- > We provide services (e.g. accommodations, activities, etc.) in-house to ensure a high level of quality and safety
- > We offer a wide variety of programs for students from 7 to 80+
- > Our curriculum focuses on communicative grammar and functional dialogue
- > We have a beautiful student lounge & classrooms with ocean views
- > Our school is authorized by the Department of Homeland Security to issue I-20 forms to student visa holders

## Facilities

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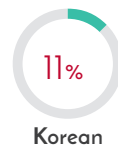
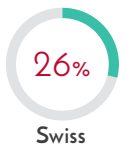
classrooms with ocean views

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ocean-view lounge with TV and kitchenette

FREE WI-FI Access

## STUDENT NATIONALITIES



## AIRPORT DISTANCE



20 minutes by car to the school



## ACCREDITATIONS & PARTNERSHIPS



# PROGRAMS

## GENERAL ENGLISH PROGRAM

16

lessons per week  
Tuesday - Friday

20

lessons per week  
Monday - Friday

25

lessons per week  
Monday - Friday  
Includes 1 options class  
Student Visa required

*\*One lesson - 50 minutes*

- > Adult average class size - 10 Students (max 16)
- > Minimum age - 16 years (adult course)
- > Students can start each week

## WEEKLY INTAKE

Start any week for most regular programs, such as General English, etc...

### General English Program (8 levels)

Vacation- 16 lessons/week  
Standard - 20 lessons/week  
Intensive - 25 lessons/week

### Specialized Programs

Academic Year Program  
Semester Gap Program  
Cambridge Programs: B2 First (FCE), C1 Advanced (CAE)  
English Pro  
Private & Semi-Private Lessons

### Options

Independent Studies	English Through Movies
Pronunciation	English Through Music & Theatre
Power Speaking	Cambridge Booster
Conversation	TESOL Preparation
Vocabulary	IELTS Preparation
Grammar	TOEIC Preparation
Hawaiian Tourism	And more...

### English + Programs

English + Surfing  
English + Hula  
English + Ukulele  
English + Fitness  
English + Yoga

### Youth Programs *\*Recommended ages*

Cambridge Young Learners of English (Ages 7-12)\*  
Cambridge Teen Learners of English (Ages 12-17)\*  
Parent + Teen  
Parent + Child

## Weekly Schedule

MORNING SESSION	OPTIONS	AFTERNOON SESSION
8:30 - 10:10 AM • BREAK • 10:30 - 12:10 PM	12:20 - 1:10 PM	1:20 - 3:00 PM • BREAK • 3:20 - 5:00 PM
<b>INTERMEDIATE TO ADVANCED</b> LEVELS 5 - 8	Grammar Conversation Pronunciation Vocabulary TOEFL Prep TOEIC Prep Advanced Grammar Cambridge Booster IELTS ...and more	<b>BEGINNER TO INTERMEDIATE</b> LEVELS 1 - 5
General English Program (GEP) English Pro Cambridge Preparation Programs		General English Program (GEP) English Pro Cambridge Teen Learners of English Program* Cambridge Young Learners of English Program*
GEP Classes: Language Use, Communication, Combined Skills		GEP Classes: Language Use, Communication, Combined Skills

NOTE: Class times may change

\*Alternate schedules, see website.

# ACCOMMODATIONS

**ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT STEPS** in planning any study abroad experience is deciding where you will live while you study. Whether you want to live with a host family, stay in a dormitory, or live in a Waikiki condominium, we have plenty of options to fit your expectations.

## HOMESTAY

- > Choose Homestay for a warm and friendly local experience
- > Includes a single room with lighted study area and wireless internet access
- > Full meal plan with self-serve breakfast and lunch, and family-style dinner
- > Half meal plan with self-serve breakfast and family style dinner
- > Self-Catering option available for students choosing Homestay without meals

**Please note:** Students may arrive no earlier than Saturday and leave no later than Sunday. Contact the school for other check-in or check-out plans. Subject to accommodation availability.

## HOMESTAY

AVERAGE TIME TO SCHOOL BY BUS

**60**  
minutes

DORMITORY BUS RIDE TO GV HAWAII

**10**  
minutes



## ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

ACCOMMODATION TYPE	GV HAWAII
Homestay – Full Board – Single Room	✓
Homestay – Half Board – Single Room	✓
Roomstay (Self-Catering) - Single Room	✓
Furnished Apartment/Guest Suite	✓
Hotel	✓
Dormitory	✓



## ALTERNATIVE ACCOMMODATIONS

### DORMITORY

- > Offers single and double rooms
- > Each room has a mini-refridgerator, desk, chair, and bed
- > Close to Waikiki and GV Hawaii
- > Facilities include a full kitchen, bathroom, student lounge area, wireless internet access, coin operated laundry services, and security cameras

### WAIKIKI APARTMENTS

- > Offers private, air conditioned rooms with kitchenette and private bathroom
- > Located in the heart of Waikiki, walking distance to the beach
- > Internet access (Wi-Fi) and coin operated laundry facilities available
- > Some properties have a pool, jacuzzi, sauna, and BBQ areas



As part of our GV 360° Personal Care service, we offer students a variety of exciting and truly memorable activities each month.

# ACTIVITIES

**Our Student Services Coordinator takes great pride in organizing culturally enriching experiences that will demonstrate the uniqueness of Hawaii.**

Each month a new creative calendar will be posted in-house, so you can see the full range and diversity that GV Hawaii has to offer. While you are taking part in these carefully planned activities, you and your fellow students from around the world will be able to practice your communication skills developed in the classrooms and have a great time, too.

## EXTREME ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES

- > Parasailing
- > Shark Cage Dives
- > Skydiving
- > Zip Line



## OCEAN ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES

- > Catamaran Snorkeling/  
Sunset Sail
- > Dolphin Swim
- > Ocean Kayaking
- > Kite-Surfing
- > Standup Paddleboarding
- > Surfing
- > Body Boarding
- > Whale Watching Cruises

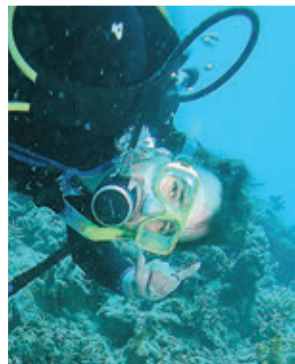


## SIGHTSEEING ADVENTURE ACTIVITIES

- > Nature Hikes
- > Circle Island Tours
- > Polynesian Cultural Center

## VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY

Connect with the community, use English outside of the classroom, and make a positive difference!



THAT'S WHAT THE GV EXPERIENCE IS ALL ABOUT -  
**SERIOUS LEARNING, SERIOUS FUN!**



"The atmosphere at GV Hawaii is really nice and easy-going. We have a big meeting conference table so we can easily get along with each other and come up with good ideas. School activities are the best. Especially the island trips and snorkeling with the dolphins. I had a lot of opportunities to talk and be friends with other students during the activities!"

- Dahyun, Korea

# GV HAWAII HIGHLIGHTS

## CAMBRIDGE YOUNG LEARNERS OF ENGLISH PROGRAM (YLE)

is recommended for young students from 7 to 12 years old who wish to develop their academic English skills. Students can receive an official Cambridge certificate. YLE students can sign up for exciting weekday activities such as hula lessons, beach day, hiking, etc.

## CAMBRIDGE TEEN LEARNERS OF ENGLISH PROGRAM (TLE)

is recommended for junior students from 12 to 17 years old who wish to combine dynamic English lessons held on school campus with optional integrated, daily fun activities. Students learn about our island home's unique culture, improve their English and make new friends during their stay in Hawaii.

**GV HAWAII** has a special youth promotion in 2023. Enroll a child in **YLE** or **TLE**, and get **20% off** the tuition for a second family member studying at the same time.

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for more information about these popular programs.



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