Born was the island.
It budded, it leafed, it grew, it was green.
The island blossomed on the tip.
It was Hawai‘i.
Mahalo (thank you) . . .
to the children who shared their artful visions and aloha for this Adventure Book.

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**Puʻukoholā Heiau Crossword**

**Clue:** Look for the answers on the park brochure and on the wayside exhibits located along the park’s trails.

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**Scavenger Hunt**

**Pelekane** was the royal courtyard of Kamehameha I. Many significant events occurred here. For example, when Kamehameha I died in 1819, his son Liholiho came to Pelekane to prepare for his role as king.

As you explore this fascinating park, find these items and then tell one fact about their importance or uses. Use the displays at the visitor center or wayside exhibits in the park to discover the answers.

- **niu** (coconut)
- **ʻalā** (water worn rocks)
- **pūloʻuloʻu** (kapu sticks)
- **koʻa** (coral)
- **milo** (hardwood tree)
- **lele** (offering tower)
Kamehameha Word Search

Pu‘ukoholā Heiau

Read the descriptions below and write the word it describes in the spaces provided. Then, find all of these words in the Word Search above and circle them.

- He unified the Hawaiian Islands __________________________________________________
- British sailors that became advisors to Kamehameha I: _____________________________________ and _____________________________________
- Heiau built by Kamehameha ____________________________________________________
- Converted into a fort by Kamehameha ___________________________________________
- Heiau dedicated to sharks _______________________________________________________
- Royal Courtyard of Kamehameha ________________________________________________
- Family ancestral spirits, often animals ____________________________________________
On the left is a timeline listing important events in Hawaiian history. Use the Park’s Visitor Center exhibits, trail signs, and brochure to find the years that these events took place. The first date has been filled in for you!

John Young and Issac Davis were British sailors who arrived in Hawai’i on the ships Eleanora and Fair American. Kamehameha came to know and trust them as his foreign advisors. Young was later elevated to the position of ali‘i nui (high chief and governor) of Hawai’i Island.

John Young and Issac Davis taught Kamehameha how to sail the Fair American and use its cannon and muskets. Traders and dignitaries from Russia, France, the United States, Great Britain, and other nations were required to obtain official approval from Young at Kawaihae before they could conduct business or meet with Kamehameha.

John Young’s home was one of the first European-style houses in all of Hawai’i. The white plaster-covered stone house was visible from far out at sea. The mortar was made from crushed coral, poi, and hair.

Want to Discover More? . . . By talking to a ranger, watching a movie, and visiting the bookstore, you can learn more about the exciting events and people of Pu‘ukoholā Heiau.
This park was established by the Congress of the United States in 1978. The Hawaiians who once lived in this area left behind much to tell us about themselves. Fishponds, fishtraps, hōlua (a sledding platform), heiau (temple), trails, stone planters, shelters, salt pans and kiʻi pōhaku, petroglyphs, are some of the features found here. The mission of the park is to preserve these resources and perpetuate Hawaiian culture as it once flourished.

Land Divisions—The largest unit of land is a mokupuni, island. Each island is further divided into nā moku (districts), which were in turn divided into ahupuaʻa (a wedge of land that included the kai, coastland; kula, midlands; and uka, uplands). The ‘ohana (families) who lived within the ahupuaʻa had the resources needed for survival such as fish, fresh water, and croplands. Families shared and traded these resources with each other within the ahupuaʻa.

Kai provided major living areas, fishpond aquaculture, salt, seaweed and shellfish gathering, as well as access to shore and ocean fishing. Kula offered valleys and farmlands to grow taro for making poi, sweet potato, breadfruit, bananas, ti leaf for cooking and wrapping food, and much more. Uka provided trees for canoes, bowls, spears and house posts. Hunting for food and other products were also collected from the upland forests.

Today, as a way to distinguish and describe geographical areas, we still recognize nā moku of Kaʻū, Puna, Hāmākua, Kohala, and Kona.

**Ua mau ke ea o ka ʻāina i ka pono**

The life of the land is preserved in righteousness

—ʻōlelo noʻeau, 2829

1. What moku do you live in or are you staying in while you visit? ________________________________________

2. What elevation zone is your moku in? (kai, coastland; kula, midlands; or uka, uplands) _____________

3. What products are shared or traded where you live? (banana, sweet potatoes, coffee, wood, etc.) ________________________________

4. Look at Robin Yoko Racoma’s rendering of a traditional ahupuaʻa system (see above). List ways that you see to describe how people used the land in an ahupuaʻa. ____________________________________________________________
Mālama ‘Āina (caring for the land) is the most important concept in the way Hawaiians lived. All things in nature were considered to be the embodiment of the gods. Hawaiians respected and lived in harmony with the land; they cared for the land by taking only what they needed. This concept was not only important then, but is critical today as native habitats are lost to development and the environmental challenges of climate change.

The Kapu system of laws directed their daily existence, including mālama ʻāina. Protocols of asking permission and giving thanks before using anything of nature was required to minimize their ecological footprint and insure sustainability of water, food, shelter and other materials for their livelihood. Kapu stressed conservation by regulating the use of the natural resources for fishing, hunting and harvesting trees. Hawaiians cared for the land by taking only what they needed on a daily basis.

Describe one small thing you can do to help the environment in a BIG way. Some ideas are using less energy, creating less garbage or making less pollution. ________________________________

In your household, how does your ‘ohana, family, practice being “green?”
____________________________________________________________________________________________

Traditionally, living in an ahupua’a meant that everyone had to be “green,” for example, using every part of a coconut tree. Nothing was wasted and they produced very little trash. Study an actual coconut tree while doing this activity:

Draw a line to match the part of the coconut tree to a use. Some may have more than one use.

- Thatched Roof
- Basket
- Haupia
- Bowl
- Rope
- Drum
- Broom

Coconut Fronds
Coconut Husk Fibers
Coconut Without The Husk
Coconut Tree
Coconut White Fruit
Coconut Tree
Coconut Without The Husk
Coconut Fronds
Coconut Husk Fibers

Uses
Secret of the Mākāhā

**Kaloko** is an 11 acre loko i’a, fishpond, where fish were GROWN to maturity in man-made-enclosures. The impressive fishpond walls were built by hundreds of workers passing stones from hand to hand. It could take up to a year to build one.

‘Āimakapā is a 15 acre fishpond like Kaloko, but is called a loko pu‘uone, natural sand enclosed pond. Fishtraps were built within the ponds as holding pens to separate the fish by kind, size or maturity to manage them prior to eating them.

Wooden mākāhā (gates) are unique to Hawai‘i and were built in the openings of an ‘auwai, (water canal) of a fishpond. A mākāhā would control what goes in and out of the pond with the changing tide, allows for easy collection of fish and control temperature and circulation of water which is critical for the health and sustainability of the fishpond.

Kaloko, ‘Aimakapā and fishtraps like ‘Ai’ōpio at the south end of the park were built to help manage food production, especially during seasons when the ocean was rough. It was a natural fish market.

“...A LAND WITH MANY FISHPOONDS IS CALLED A 'FAT' LAND.”
—Samuel Kamakau, Hawaiian scholar, 1869

1. **Observe what happens in the ‘auwai at Kaloko.** Record your observations here:

   ____________________________________________________________

   ____________________________________________________________

2. **Use the yellow letters above to form two words that uncover the secret of the mākāhā.**

   ______  ______  ______  ______  ______  ______  ______  ______  ______

3. **Express Yourself.** Sit on the beach in the park and observe the sights and sounds around you. Write a poem or draw a picture that describes what you see, hear or how you feel about this special place.
**How Can You Help?**

You can help protect these endangered sea turtles by keeping a distance of at least 15 feet between you and the honu and telling others about how they can help also.

The Turtle Zones map below identifies four areas where park researchers commonly observe honu activity. Using the map, record your observations in the boxes below. After completing this activity, you can report your findings to a ranger when you return to the visitor center. Mahalo nui loa, thank you very much. Your contribution to help monitor and protect the honu is greatly appreciated.

**Junior Ranger Researcher’s Name**

Date

Age

City_________________________ State________________

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**Turtle Activity Observed** | **Time Seen** | **Number observed on back of turtle shell. If none, write unknown** | **Zone turtle was spotted in: A, B, C, or D**
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**Basking** |  |  |  
**Feeding** |  |  |  
**Swimming** |  |  |  

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**Want to Discover More? . . . Find more information about turtles and other sea life at the park’s bookstore.**
Pu‘uhonua o Hōnaunau National Historical Park

This park was established by the Congress of the United States in 1961. The Royal Grounds were home to generations of ali‘i (chiefs). The grounds include thatched hale (houses), a royal fishpond, Keone‘ele Cove, the heiau (place of worship) Hale o Keawe. The Great Wall encloses the pu‘uhonua (a place of refuge) where those who had broken kapu (laws) could be forgiven. Explore this place that is revered by Hawaiian people, past, present, and future.

Hawaiians lived in ahupua‘a (land sections from the mountains to the sea) which provided all of the products needed for their survival. Nā ‘ohana (families) lived at the seashore, plains and inland areas and were dependent on each other. Hawaiians lived in harmony with the land by using only what they needed each day. This park lies in three ahupua‘a: Hōnaunau, Keokea, and Ki‘ilae. The ali‘i lived in the Royal Grounds in Hōnaunau, the part you will walk through. The maka‘āinana (common people) served the ali‘i, but lived further down the coast in a village at Ki‘ilae.

The maka‘āinana made up the largest portion of the population in an ahupua‘a. Daily kuleana (responsibility) of fishermen, farmers, hunters, canoe builders and many others was to provide food, shelter, medicine, clothing and more to make the ahupua‘a sustainable. The ali‘i (royalty) and maka‘āinana were dependent on each other. Without the favor of the ruling chief, the people had no land, and therefore no food. Without the hands of the people to work the land, the ali‘i had no food and could easily lose control of his land to another ali‘i.

Imagine you are a young maka‘āinana learning about a traditional craft or skill. Ask the park ranger which activity is available today.

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<th>Kahili (Feather) Standard</th>
<th>Ipu (Gourd) for Hula</th>
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Name of activity__________________________________ Materials Used__________________________________

Describe what you learned from this activity:
____________________________________________________________________________________________
**Life at the Royal Grounds**

Ali‘i lived in the Royal Grounds and ruled over the land for hundreds of years. Guided by the gods and their mana (spiritual power), the ali‘i bloodline continued from one generation to the next one. From birth the ali‘i were revered and prepared for their future roles as leaders and spent many hours each day perfecting warrior and leadership skills.

Some of the activities for the young ali‘i were playing games like moa pahe‘e, wooden darts; ‘ula maika, bowling to build eye and hand coordination. Kōnane, similar to checkers, would develop mental skills needed for war strategies. They also practiced ʻōʻō ihe (spear throwing) and uma (hand wrestling) for strength in preparation for war.

*He liko ali‘i, a royal leaf bud (refers to a child of a chief)*
—ʻŌlelo No‘eau, 764

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<th>Moa paheʻe</th>
<th>Kōnane</th>
<th>ʻUlu maika</th>
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Ask the park ranger which activity is available today.

| 1. Name of the game you participated in: ____________________________ |
| 2. Name a game you may already know that is similar to this one: ____________________________ |
| How is it similar? ____________________________ |
| 3. Describe a mental or physical skill you learned from today’s game that could help you become a strong ali‘i. ____________________________ |
Pu‘uhonua and the Kapu System

Pu‘uhonua is a place of refuge that was set aside by the ali‘i as a sanctuary for people who broke the laws of a system called kapu. At one time, there were as many as ten pu‘uhonua on Hawai‘i Island. Pu‘uhonua were also places where women, children, the elderly and defeated warriors could seek safety during times of war.

Kapu directed every aspect of life in Hawai‘i. These rules were important to maintain order in a community and be in good favor with the gods and ali‘i. It was kapu for commoners to have contact with the ali‘i. Men and women could not eat meals together. Some foods, like pork and bananas, were kapu to women. Stealing and murder were of course kapu. There were even conservation kapu that would protect a fish species during its spawning season when it lays eggs.

Breaking a kapu (rule) could mean certain death or severe punishment, but if a kapu breaker could seek refuge at a pu‘uhonua, rituals would be performed by the kahuna (priest) to pardon their wrong doings. Kapu breakers, traveling on foot or by sea, faced many dangers before safely reaching the pu‘uhonua. They would have to run over miles of rough lava and then swim across the waters of Hōnaunau Bay, all without being caught or killed by their accuser.

1. If you are in danger and your parents are not around, where could you seek refuge?

___________________________________________________________________________________________

2. Think of “safe places” today that may be thought of as a pu‘uhonua? List as many as possible:

___________________________________________________________________________________________

3. Name three things that are kapu at your school.

________________________________    _____________________    _____________________
Pu‘uhonua o Hōnaunau

### Hale o Keawe

Watchful ki‘i (wooden images of the gods) stand guard over this heiau, or temple. Hale o Keawe once held the bones of 23 chiefs of the Keawe family, which goes back hundreds of years. The mana (spiritual power) of the remains made this place sacred.

Today, Hale o Keawe is still an important place where some Hawaiians honor their ancestors. Without a written language, they passed down their mo‘okū‘auhau (genealogy - the family line they came from) by reciting generation after generation of family names through chant and song.

Many cultures, including Hawaiians, believe it is important to remember and honor their ancestors to preserve and perpetuate their heritage.

**Mo‘okū‘auhau:** How many generations of your ancestors can you recite? To help you get started, fill in this three generation chart.

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<td>Makuahe‘ē (Mother)</td>
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<td>‘O wau (Me)</td>
<td>Makuahe‘ē (Mother)</td>
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<td>Makuakāne (Father)</td>
<td>Kupuna kāne (Grandfather)</td>
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Who is the earliest ancestor in your family tree that you know of? Tell what you know about this person’s life?

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____________________________________________________________________________________________________________
Treasure Trove

Exploring the Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park official brochure is like a real treasure hunt! Use it to find vast riches of helpful and interesting facts about the world’s most active volcanoes and the incredible landscapes surrounding them. It’s fun, it’s easy, and it’s a great way to start your visit as you hunt for Junior Ranger treasures.

Start with the side of the brochure titled Visiting Hawai‘i Volcanoes.

1. Look at the top map and the map key at the bottom to answer these questions:

   Draw the symbols for: hiking trails________ picnic area________ drinking water________

2. What is the traditional Hawaiian name for Thurston Lava Tube? ________________________

3. Exploring the Park: One important safety tip is_______________________________

   Is it OK to feed the Nēnē (Hawaiian Goose)? Circle YES or NO

   Why or why not? _____________________________________________________________

4. Look at the bottom map to answer these questions:

   What road would you take to see the Holei Sea Arch? ______________________________

   How long is the trail to the Pu‘uloa Petroglyphs? ___________ Miles

Now, flip over to the reverse side of the brochure!

5. Volcanoes Are Monuments to Earth’s Origins: Mauna Loa, if measured from its base on
   the seafloor, is _________ ft. tall which makes it ________ feet taller than Mount Everest!

6. Trouble in Paradise: Using the chart below the artist’s picture, name 3 alien species that
   could harm the park’s native species.

   ___________________________________   ___________________________________   ________________

Want to discover more? Visit the Kilauea Visitor Center for great inter-active displays—a treasure trove of information! Don’t forget to check out the park’s bookstores or visit them online at hawaiinaturalhistory.org
**Take A Hike**

**THIS ACTIVITY is all about getting out there!** Choose a ranger-led hike or program listed on the bulletin board just outside the Kīlauea Visitor Center OR take a hike on one of Hawai‘i Volcanoes’ many trails and explore with your family. Need help deciding which trail to hike? Look in the park brochure to find trail information.

- What hike or program did you choose?
- Circle which one applies:  
  - This hike was ranger-led  OR  
  - This hike was family-led
- Describe two new things you learned about Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park during your hike or program:  
  1.  
  2.  

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**Echo Crater**

**IN THIS ADVENTURE, you’ll get to yell as loud as you want into a pit crater! But first, let’s learn what causes echoes and then find out what echoes and bats have in common.**

Echoes are caused by sound waves hitting a barrier and then bouncing back. There are three basic ingredients necessary to make an echo:

1. **Distance**—Sound travels very fast, but to make an echo, it must travel a distance of at least 75 meters and back (that’s roughly 250 feet each way!).
2. **Loudness**—the sound wave has to be loud enough to travel out and back.
3. **Barrier**—The sound wave has to actually hit something before it can bounce back to you.

**Activity 1**
Travel to Puhimau Crater Overlook on the Chain of Craters Road. While in your vehicle with the windows closed, YELL out the word *echo* (warn your family first!), then listen carefully.

Did you hear your voice echo back to you?  
Why or why not? _______________________________________

**Activity 2**
Now, walk to the overlook and YELL out a few words out across the crater (words to try: your name, aloha, lava). Which words worked best?

Explain why echoes work so well here:__________________________________________

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**Did You Know?**

**The endangered ʻŌpe‘a pe‘a** (Hawaiian Hoary bats) use echoes to navigate their way through the night sky making high-pitched squeaks. This process, known as echo-location, helps bats locate food and avoid obstacles.
**1.** Moʻolelo are traditional stories of Hawaiʻi. Some of them explain historic events that link geological evidence at Kilauea, the sacred home of Pele, the goddess of the volcano. Locate the large mural called “Pantheon of Volcano Spirits.” Search for the older brother of Pele who helped guide her to Hawaiʻi. Take a picture of this favorite brother, then write his name and what he represents below.

___________________________________________________________________________________________

**2.** Find the display that tells how “Pele searches for a home.” When Pele attempted to build a home for her family, her sister Na Maka o Kahaʻi kept putting out her fires. Her sister was able to do this because she is the goddess of the _______________. Locate and photograph the display that shows the geological explanation of how the islands of Hawaiʻi were formed. (Hint: hot spot)

**3.** This museum is named after ______________________________________________________________ who is notable because he ___________________________________________________________________________________. Find a photo of him and add the image to your digital diary!

**4.** Go to the glass wall displaying a row of seismographs. What do they measure? _________________

To your right is a seismograph you can use to record your own seismic activity. Have a family member take a photo of you making your own earthquake! Seismographs are very sensitive, so be gentle when jumping up and down!

**5.** Walk outside to the overlook and view Palikapuokamoha‘ali‘i, the sacred cliff of Kamohoali‘i. Click a picture of Kilauea Caldera and Halema‘uma‘u Crater, the home of Pele. What story is your photo telling?

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**DID YOU KNOW?**

Taking pictures in a national park is great fun, but taking things like rocks, leaves, flowers, is not allowed.
Weaving Science and Culture

Some mo'olelo speak of the relationships between Pele, other gods and humans. Some show us how the early Hawaiians may have viewed living on an active volcano. According to these stories as well as oli, chants and hula, dances, the entire volcanic landscape is the handiwork of Pele.

"SHE STAMPS HER FEET AND THE LAND TREMBLES;
THE SKY IS AFIRE WITH A CRIMSON GLOW AS HER MOLTEN
BODY MOVES ACROSS THE LAND. THOSE PRESENT WHISPER IN
awe, ‘‘Ae, ‘aia la o Pele, there is Pele.’"

The hula chant above describes Pele and her home at Kilauea. It paints an artistic picture of eruption activity. According to Hawaiian Volcanoes Observatory scientist, Don Swanson, “the geological evidence that we see today, links to the stories told by the Hawaiian people about historical eruptions.” Write which scientific occurrence you think the oli describes:

- She stamps her feet and the earth trembles.
- Her molten body moves across the land.

How The ‘Ōhi’a Lehua Tree Came To Be

One story tells about ‘Ōhi’a, a handsome man who rejected a marriage proposal from Pele because he was in love with Lehua. In her jealous wrath, Pele turned him into a gnarly old tree. Lehua searched everywhere for ‘Ōhi’a and wept when she could not find him. Out of compassion, the gods changed Lehua into a red blossom and placed her on the tree where they remain together. Look for them in the rainforest as you travel through the park!

Pele and Kamapua’a

One translation for Halema’uma’u is “house of the ‘ama’u fern.” Kamapua’a, the pig god, who could also be a man, came to Kilauea to propose marriage to Pele. She rejected his love and cried out at him, “‘A’ohe ‘oe kanaka, he pua’a ‘oe” (you are not a man, you are a pig!). In their anger, a battle started—Pele hurled fire and molten lava at him while he brought down torrential rains to douse her fires. Finally, Kamapua’a turned himself into the ‘ama’u fern and surrounded Kilauea. As he did, her fires scorched him. Even today, some of the new fronds appear red on the ‘ama’u fern, reminding us of the battle between Pele and Kamapua’a.

Many cultures have traditional stories like mo’olelo that describe natural occurrences. Can you and your family think of one you have heard about? Write a sentence to tell about your story.

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Did You Know?

Many species of plants and birds in Hawai’i are rare and endangered. To learn more about them, visit the park’s bookstores.
**Be A Safety Sleuth**

Volcanic hazards can present life-threatening problems in many ways. Dangerous situations can occur here in the park if you don’t know what to be aware of. Rough terrain and volcanic gases can be hazardous to your health!

Circle all of the items you need for a safe visit hiking in the park or going to the eruption viewing area.

**Bingo Blitz**

Complete one down row, one across row or one diagonal row by filling in appropriate information.

While exploring in Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park, my family and I:

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<th>Picked up trash at:</th>
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<th>Used an environmentally safe water bottle to refill at:</th>
<th>Recycled a can or bottle in marked bins at:</th>
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Join The Green Team: Mālama ‘Āina

Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park is home to some of the rarest plants and animals, as well as unique volcanic landscapes. Your kuleana (responsibility), as a Junior Ranger is to kōkua mālama ‘āina (help take care of the land). Our actions today affect the consequences we will face tomorrow. Climate change could heighten these consequences. So you can kōkua by leaving Hawaiian plants, animals, and landscapes alone. About 2 million people visit Hawai‘i Volcanoes each year. Even little changes made by each visitor can make a big impact all together.

Draw or describe the impacts these changes would make at a special place like this.

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Solution

Do Your Part! for Climate Friendly Parks: www.doyourpartparks.org
This national historic trail is a 175-mile long trail system connecting much of the coastal areas around Hawai‘i Island. It traverses through hundreds of ancient Hawaiian settlement sites and magnificent natural resources. Ala Kahakai means “path by the sea.” When these historic trails were created, they were the only means of overland travel and connected people who otherwise might have been very isolated.

Segments of the old trail can be easily accessed at Pu‘uhonua o Hōnaunau National Historical Park, Kaloko-Honokōhau National Historical Park, and Pu‘ukoholā Heiau National Historic Site.

To earn a badge for this park unit, ask for trail information at one of the parks listed above, hike an Ala Kahakai Trail section and then answer these questions.

1. Which park’s trail system did you choose to hike?

   ___________________________________________________________

2. Imagine yourself traveling on this trail hundreds of years ago. What do you think would make the trip difficult?

   ___________________________________________________________

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**Written in Stone: Stories of the Past**

Ki‘i pōhaku or petroglyphs are images carved into the rock and are found throughout Hawai‘i. They are also found in many other places around the world and tell us stories about the cultures and people who created them. They recorded in stone what the people valued and how they lived.

Here are some examples of some ki‘i pōhaku seen on Hawai‘i island. Match each to a possible meaning by drawing a line from the petroglyph image to a name.

Hula dancer  Running Man  Rainbow man  Surfer  Fisherman  Family  Marchers  Canoe  Turtle

Want to Discover More? . . . Go see the petroglyphs at Hawai‘i Volcanoes National Park, Pu‘uhonua o Hōnaunau National Historical Park, and Kaloko–Honokōhau National Historical Park.
This certifies that

**is a Junior Ranger at:**

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