

### Hawaiian Diction

Letter	Pronunciation	Hawaiian Example	Example in IPA
h	[h]	Hali	[hali]
k	[k]	Kane	[kane]
l	[l]	Lilo	[lilo]
m	[m]	Maka	[mak ʌ]
n	[n]	Nani	[nani]
p	[p]	Peni	[peni]
w	[w] [v]	Wili	[wili] [vili]
ʻ	[ʔ]	Heʻe	[heʔe]
a	[a] (Stressed) [ʌ] (Unstressed)	Kali Puka	[kali] [puk ʌ]
e	[ɛ] (If paired with the consonant <i>l</i> or <i>n</i> ) [e] (All other instances)	Kane He	[kaneɛ] [he]
i	[i]	Lili	[lili]
o	[o]	Koko	[koko]
u	[u]	Hū	[hu]