

Waipahu Plantation Village Video - Questions

1. Which group of people started the sugar plantations in Hawaii?

2. What caused the decline of so many Hawaiian workers?

3. The second group to arrive in the plantation was the Portuguese. Why were they promoted to field supervisors?

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4. The Koreans, Filipinos, Puerto Ricans and Okinawans came next. Fill in the chart with the reasons why they came:

Reasons why each group came...

Koreans	Filipinos	Puerto Ricans

5. Describe some of the living conditions on the plantation:

6. Why did the owners of the plantations separate the ethnic groups into different camps?

7. What were the 3 ways that ethnicities mixed on the plantation?

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Benchmark – SS.7HHK.3.5:

Describe the coming of early immigrant groups (including Chinese, Portuguese, and Japanese) to Hawaii as contract laborers, their experience in the plantation system, aspects of their culture that was brought with them (including beliefs, knowledge, and/or practices), and the relationships that developed between themselves as well as others (including inequities on the job, cultural diffusion, and/or assimilation).

The Waipahu Plantation Video was about (circle **one**): **Inequities on the Job; Cultural Diffusion; Assimilation** because...

What do you feel is the most important aspect of Plantation life that you learned about in the video?
