Vision: Leeward Community College is a learning-centered institution committed to student achievement.

Mission: We work together to nurture and inspire all students. We help them attain their goals through high quality liberal arts, career, and technical education. We foster students to become responsible global citizens locally, nationally and internationally. Leeward Community College has a special commitment to advancing the educational goals of Native Hawaiians.

These core values shape Leeward Community College’s mission:

• **Community**
  We value cooperation, collaboration, social responsibility, and concern for others as crucial elements in building a sense of community inside and outside of the institution.

• **Diversity and respect**
  We value individual differences and the contributions they bring to the learning process. We believe that our students are enriched through a diverse intellectual and social environment where learning occurs through exposure to world cultures and through interaction with peoples of diverse experiences, beliefs, and perspectives.

• **Integrity**
  We value personal and institutional integrity by fostering a culture of continuous improvement to open pathways to student success. We hold ourselves accountable for providing a high quality academic experience.

• **Open access**
  We value all students. We seek to meet their needs, as well as those of the community, by offering a diversity of courses, degree and certificate programs, and training opportunities, through traditional and distance education modes of delivery.

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