

# Create a Loko I'a Food Chain Collage

## Challenge

There are all kinds of living creatures at the loko i'a. They depend on each other for food. That is called a FOODCHAIN. This food chain in the picture shows the green LIMU on the bottom. The limu uses the SUN for energy. The 'AMA'AMA fish eats the limu. The AUKU'U bird eats the 'AMA'AMA. Can you create your own loko i'a food chain??

## Step 1 (Choose your food chain creatures)

Choose your plants and animals in your loko i'a food chain. Most of the food chains in the loko i'a start with limu. If you need help choosing animals go to the loko i'a website and look at the living loko page;

[sites.google.com/ksbe.edu/lokoiahawaiianfishponds](https://sites.google.com/ksbe.edu/lokoiahawaiianfishponds)

## Step 2 (Materials)

Gather your collage materials. You will need:

1. A background paper (Any size, any color)
2. Scissors
3. Glue (stick or liquid)
4. Colored paper (You can use magazines, construction paper, tissue, newspaper, anything!)
5. Colored pencils



## Step 3 (Start drawing and cutting!)

You can draw your animals and shapes first and then cut them. If you need help from an adult they could draw them. Use different colors and patterns to make your plants and animals shine! You can use your colored pencils or pens to add patterns and body parts like eyes that are small.

## Step 4 (Arrange)

Arrange all the pieces on your background BEFORE you glue. That way you can move pieces around until you love your collage. Remember to show your animals eating or getting eaten.

## Step 5 (Glue)

Glue all your pieces down and let it dry. Remember dot dot not alot with your glue.

**Step 6 (Display!)** Hang your food chain up so you can show your artwork. Use it to teach your family about fishponds! If you want take a picture and send it to your teacher or email to [blmcnaug@ksbe.edu](mailto:blmcnaug@ksbe.edu) for a chance to be on the website.