

Field Māori**Review of *Mau Rākau* unit standards 20947-20954**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Māori Performing Arts	Mau Rākau	20947-20954

NZQA Māori Qualifications Services (MQS) has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

Date new versions published

November 2011

Planned review date

December 2016

Summary

At the last review of the *Mau Rākau* unit standards in 2007 the Whakaruruhau discussed the development of a subfield for *Mau Rākau*. They were concerned that only the performance aspects of *Mau Rākau* and some aspects of tikanga were addressed in the current unit standards under the subfield Māori Performing Arts. There was concern that the essence, the wairua and the true meaning of *Mau Rākau* would be lost forever.

A Notice of Intention to develop a *Mau Rākau* subfield in field Māori was sent to Whare Tu Taua Kura, providers, wharekura and mau rākau iwi representatives. The first hui was hosted by Manaakitanga (Donna Grant) in Te Arawa and attendees were representatives from te Whare Tu Taua o Aotearoa, Te Whare Humārie o te Kīngitanga, Tuhoe Whare Maire, training providers, wharekura and some iwi representatives. Those that did not attend acknowledged the tono and gave their support for the kaupapa.

The hui was a scoping hui for *Mau Rākau*. Tikanga aspects, the link back to ngā Atua, to ngā Tipuna, to te Taiao and many other aspects from a *Mau Rākau* perspective were discussed. A matrix was developed. The number of domains and domain names were also developed. Domains were proposed and have since been registered with NZQA. The names of the domains are *Te Parawhakawai*, *Te Mau Rākau*, *Te Rangatiratanga Mau Rākau*.

Two further hui were held and the Whakaruruhau reviewed the current unit standards for relevance. Four unit standards have been replaced and nine new standards developed.

Main changes

- The domain *Mau Rākau* is lapsing and a new subfield *Mau Rākau* has been registered; three new domains were also registered - *Te Parawhakawai*, *Te Mau Rākau*, *Te Rangatiratanga Mau Rākau*.
- Standards 20948, 20949, 20950, and 20953 have been reclassified.
- Standard 20947 was replaced by standard 27544; standards 20951 and 20952 were replaced by standards 27547, 27548 and 27550.
- Six new standards were developed to meet the needs of the industry and education providers.

Category C unit standards will expire at 31 December 2013

Impact on existing organisations with consent to assess

Current consent for			Consent extended to		
Nature of consent	Classification	Level	Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level
Subfield	Māori Performing Arts	4	Subfield	Mau Rākau	4
Domain	Mau Rākau	4	Domain	Te Parawhakawai Te Mau o te Rakau Te Rangatiratanga Mau Rakau	4

Impact on Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR)

The new standards are linked to CMR 0149.

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category	
A	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
B	Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
C	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ID
D	Standard will expire and not be replaced

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Māori > **Mau Rākau**

ID	Domain	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
20947	Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge and skills of tī rākau	1	3	C
27544	Te Parawhakawai	Demonstrate knowledge of tākaro Māori	1	4	
20948	Mau Rākau Te Parawhakawai	Demonstrate knowledge of tūwaewae	1	6	B
20949	Mau Rākau Te Parawhakawai	Demonstrate knowledge of, and perform, toroparawae	2	6	B
20950	Mau Rākau Te Parawhakawai	Demonstrate knowledge of, and perform, torowaewae	2	6	B

ID	Domain	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
20951	Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of the huakau and perform the huakau	3	10	C
20952*	Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of taiaha and perform taiaha	3	14	C
27547	Te Mau Rakau	Identify ngā momo rākau whawhai	1	2	
27548	Te Mau Rākau	Perform tētahi momo rākau whawhai	3	8	
27550	Te Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of ngā momo rākau whawhai	3	10	
20953	Mau Rākau Te Mau Rākau	Perform tikawe	4	9	B
20954	Mau Rākau Te Rangatiratanga Mau Rakau	Demonstrate knowledge of the performance of ngā wāhanga o te taki	4	9	B
27545	Te Parawhakawai	Select and perform tākaro Māori	2	4	New
27546	Te Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of torotoro tinana	1	3	New
27549	Te Rangatiratanga Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of te taki	3	10	New
27551	Te Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of the relationship between te taiao and mau rākau, and incorporate te taiao into performance	3	9	New
27552	Te Mau Rākau	Demonstrate knowledge of the relationship between mana atua and mau rākau, and incorporate it into mau rākau performance	3	9	New