

Title	Research the causes of the changing status of Māori women through colonisation		
Level	5	Credits	10

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to: research the status of Māori women prior to colonisation in Aotearoa; research the colonisation process during historical periods in Aotearoa; and evaluate the changing status of Māori women as a consequence of colonisation.
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Classification	Mana Wahine > Te Aho Wahine
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Guidance Information

- 1 The basic principles underpinning tikanga are common, but while there are some constants, the details of performance of tikanga, and their explanation, may differ. These differences may be at a rohe, iwi, hapū, whānau, or marae level. The context of the learning should include the tikanga of the local mana whenua (if capable) but learning others' tikanga is also encouraged. This is in order to enrich and enhance understanding of tikanga, and the associated reo.
- 2 Assessment against this unit standard can be conducted in a number of ways that may include, but is not limited to – oral, visual, and written presentations, whakaari, waiata, haka, mōteatea.
- 3 Definitions

Colonisation – refers to the cumulative effects of cross-cultural contact, missionary imposition, and influence of Christian beliefs and practices.

Ideological practices – include but are not limited to colonisation, British imperialism, Christian dogma.

Tikanga are Māori values, processes and practices exercised by Māori in their daily lives. These reflect the concepts upon which they are based and provide guidelines for appropriate behaviour and conduct in Māori society. They also prescribe consequences for any breaches or when tikanga is not followed. They can be particular to a rohe, iwi, hapū, whānau, marae, or hapori.

Kawa are the protocols or customs of the marae (and inside the wharenuui); particularly those related to formal activities such as pōwhiri, karanga, whaikōrero etc. Kawa can be particular to marae, and may vary amongst whānau, hapū, and iwi.
- 4 *Sources of information* may include oral, written, and audio-visual media. Reading sources may include but is not limited to – Jackson, Moana. (1992). *'The Treaty and the Word'*, in G Oddie and R W Perrett (eds.), *Justice, Ethics and New Zealand Society*. Auckland, Oxford University Press, pp.1-10.

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Other collections

Dictionary of New Zealand Biography, [Biographies – Te Ara Encyclopedia of New Zealand](#) which has entries for many prominent New Zealanders.

Archives New Zealand - <http://www.teara.govt.nz/en/biographies>.

<http://www.nzhistory.net.nz/browse/people/atoz> from the history group of the Ministry for Culture and Heritage.

Alexandra Turnbull Library Collections

<https://natlib.govt.nz/collections/a-z/alexander-turnbull-library-collections>.

Wananga and Universities have audio collections however access to this information is at the discretion of the Wananga and Universities.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Research the status of Māori women prior to colonisation in Aotearoa.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 The status of Māori women within social structures is examined and described.
- Range iwi, hapū, whānau, kāinga, manatōpū.
- 1.2 The influence of Māori women within political and economic structures is examined and described in terms of tikanga and kawa.

Outcome 2

Research the colonisation process during historical periods in Aotearoa.

Range 1800-1860, 1860-1940, 1940-1980, 1980-present.

Performance criteria

2.1 Research documents evidence of the colonisation process.

Range immigration and settlement, missionary influence, government legislation, historical ideologies, and practises.

2.2 Research documents evidence of the impact of colonisation on the status of Māori women within society.

2.3 Oral, written, and audio-visual sources are referenced appropriately.

Outcome 3

Evaluate the changing status of Māori women as a consequence of colonisation.

Range British patriarchal ideology, British imperialism, British culture, Christian beliefs, and practices.

Performance criteria

3.1 Evaluation describes the changing status of Māori women through colonisation according to documented research.

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