

Title	Describe the establishment and main characteristics of hāhi Māori		
Level	3	Credits	4

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to describe the establishment and main characteristics of hāhi Māori.
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Classification	Tikanga > Tikanga Concepts
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 **Tikanga**
Tikanga are values, principles, 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 rohe, hāpori, marae, whānau, hapū and/or iwi.
- 2 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, hāpori, marae, whānau, hapū, iwi 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, knowledge and practice of tikanga, and the associated reo.
- 3 **Definitions**
Hāhi Māori refer to a number of Māori churches that have evolved since contact with Pākehā. They have usually evolved around the spiritual and political leadership of a Māori prophet. Tahupōtiki Wiremu Rātana, Te Kooti Arikirangi Te Turuki, Te Ua Haumēne, Te Maiharoa, and Rua Kenana are some examples of these leaders and prophets. While founded on the Christian Bible, Māori interpretations gave a framework of belief and worship which suited Māori.
- 4 *Hāhi Māori* may include but are not limited to – Ringatū, Rātana, Pai Mārire.
- 5 *Main characteristics* include – founding principles; attributes and/or features of a social, cultural, spiritual, economic, and ceremonial nature; or combinations of these.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Describe the establishment of hāhi Māori.

Range evidence of two hāhi is required.

Performance criteria

1.1 The establishment of hāhi Māori is described in terms of the roles played by key participants.

Range rohe, hapori, marae, whānau, hapū and/or iwi, political leader, prophet.
minimum of two is required.

1.2 The establishment of hāhi Māori is described in terms of key events surrounding the establishment.

Outcome 2

Describe the main characteristics of hāhi Māori.

Range evidence of three main characteristics of one hāhi is required.

Performance criteria

2.1 The main characteristics of hāhi Māori are described in terms of the development of the hāhi.

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Comments on this unit standard

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