

Title	Perform traditional meke		
Level	2	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited with this unit standard are able to perform traditional meke.
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Classification	Niue Arts and Crafts > Niue Arts
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Maaga variations are acceptable in meeting the requirements of this unit standard. Endorsement of village variations may be conducted by pulotu.
- 2 Definitions
Fakaholoaga refers to the process by which something is learnt or knowledge is transmitted;
Maaga is any one of the 14 villages that the learner identifies with through either matrilineal or patrilineal lines, or self-identifies through acceptable fakaholoaga;
Meke refers to the group dance, derived from the Fijian meke, and adapted for Niue use and purposes;
Pulotu refers to Niue village or community recognised and/or appointed experts;
Tau koloa koli meke refers to tools used when performing a meke such as iliili, palelafa, or kākau;
Traditional refers to a specific body of knowledge and practice held by pulotu, which is imparted to learners through community resources such as cultural leaders and advisors.
- 3 Assessment against this unit standard may occur in group situations, but assessment must be of individual competence.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Perform traditional meke.

Range two different meke performances, one with set actions.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Performance includes evidence of rhythm, formations and contribution to collective echo (in response to commands) as required for a traditional meke.

- 1.2 Performance includes facial expressions and body movements as required for a traditional meke.
- 1.3 Performance includes use of tau koloa koli meke as required for a traditional meke performance.
- 1.4 Performance includes following instructions, responding to cues, and contributing to group presentation.

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Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
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Comments on this unit standard

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