

<b>Title</b>	<b>Describe fono Niue and associated roles</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>4</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to describe fono Niue and associated roles.
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<b>Classification</b>	Pacific Studies > Niue Tradition and Culture
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<b>Available grade</b>	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;
  - Fono maaga* refers to a village meeting;
  - Fono he tau feua kehekehe* refers to meetings of different concerns, eg sports;
  - Fono magafaoa* refers to a family meeting;
  - Fono he tau takitaki* refers to a leaders meeting;
  - Fono lotu* refers to a church meeting;
  - Fono fuata* refers to a youth meeting;
  - Fono komiti* refers to a committee meeting;
  - Fono komiti aoga* refers to a school committee meeting;
  - Hagai takitaki* refers to the deputy chairperson;
  - Komiti* refers to the committee;
  - Leveki tupe* refers to the treasurer;
  - 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;
  - Pulotu* refers to Niue village or community recognised and/or appointed experts;
  - Tohi kupu* refers to the secretary.

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### Outcomes and performance criteria

#### Outcome 1

Describe fono Niue and associated roles.

Range three fono, which may include but are not limited to – fono maaga, fono he tau feua kehekehe, fono magafaoa, fono he tau takitaki, fono lotu, fono fuata, fono komiti, fono komiti aoga.

**Performance criteria**

1.1 Description includes venue and layout details, typical order of proceedings, and explanation of purposes of each selected fono.

1.2 Description includes identification and explanation of roles and responsibilities associated with each selected fono.

Range at least four roles and associated responsibilities which may include but are not limited to – hagai takitaki, tohi kupu, leveki tupe, komiti.

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**Comments on this unit standard**

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