

Title	Explain crop storage practices in accordance with tikanga and crop requirements		
Level	2	Credits	6

Purpose	People awarded this unit standard are able to explain crop storage practices in accordance with tikanga and crop requirements.
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Classification	Whenua > Te Whakamahi Whenua
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Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

- 1 Where local rohe are also occupied by a number of other iwi or hapū, the tangata whenua or mana whenua view should take precedence. Other iwi or hapū views should be encouraged in order to enrich and enhance understanding of key Māori concepts and practices.
- 2 Assessment against this unit standard can be conducted in a number of ways that may include but is not limited to – oral presentations, visual presentations, written presentations, whakaari, waiata, haka.
- 3 Tikanga practices may include, but are not limited to:
 - the traditional use of pest control
 - the traditional management of plant disease
 - soil modification and development
 - the use of implements
 - the use of maramataka
 - the process of māhiti
 - the use of karakia
 - whanaungatanga
 - hākari
 - Ohaoha.
- 4 Definitions

Maramataka refers to a system of gardening throughout the lunar months.

Rīwai refers to potato.

Kamokamo refers to marrow.

Kānga refers to maize, corn.

Paukena refers to pumpkin.

Hākari refers to celebration.

Māhiti refers to sorting and separating according to size and quality.

Ohaoha refers to the practice of exchanging kai.

- 5 The local species grown in pre-European times is preferred. However, due to the scarcity of some species, more common varieties may be used.
- 6 Range
Crops may include but are not limited to – kānga, rīwai, kamokamo, paukena, taro, kūmara;
evidence of three is required.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Explain crop storage practices in accordance with tikanga and crop requirements.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Storage practices for crops are explained.

Range may include but is not limited to – methods, requirements, procedures, processes;
evidence of two is required.
- 1.2 Storage facilities for crops are explained.

Range may include but is not limited to – underground, indoors, storage materials;
evidence of two is required.
- 1.3 Environmental conditions for crop storage are explained.
- 1.4 Factors involved in the storage of the crops are explained.

Range may include but is not limited to – temperature, kiore (rats), moisture;
evidence of two is required.

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Comments on this unit standard

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