

<b>Title</b>	<b>Raranga kete whakairo</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>6</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	<p>This unit standard is for people furthering their knowledge and practice in Ngā Mahi a te Whare Pora.</p> <p>People credited with this unit standard are able to: research kete whakairo patterns and designs; identify tools and select materials; raranga kete whakairo, and whiri and attach handles.</p>
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<b>Classification</b>	Ngā Mahi a te Whare Pora > Raranga
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Recommended skills and knowledge  
Unit 7872, *Prepare natural and synthetic dyes to dye whenu*.  
Unit 7873, *Harvest and produce muka to complete kete handles*.  
Unit 7876, *Harvest and prepare harakeke for kete whakairo*.  
Unit 29533, *Explain kete design, usage and patterns*.
- 2 References  
Pendergrast, M. (2003). *Raranga Whakairo - Maori Plaiting Patterns*. Auckland: Raupo Publishing.  
Puketapu-Hetet, E. (2016). *Maori Weaving*. Lower Hutt: Hetet Press.  
*Rene Orchiston collection catalogue*, 3rd edition. Downloaded from:  
<http://www.landcareresearch.co.nz/resources/collections/harakeke/rene-orchiston-collection-catalogue>.  
Other – kaitohu raranga, archives, ipurangi, libraries, museums, private collections.
- 3 For the purpose of this unit standard kete whakairo refers to coloured and or patterned kete, using more than takitahi pattern.
- 4 Ākonga will keep a fully documented visual diary or workbook to assist with assessment and authenticity.
- 5 Definitions  
*Contemporary* refers to post-1945.  
*Imagery* may include but is not limited to – photographs, pictures, photocopies, videos.  
*Quality* ensures weaving resource is graded to complete kete whakairo. Includes but is not limited to – broken, infected or discoloured whenu.  
*Quantity* ensures sufficient amounts of whenu are prepared to complete kete whakairo.

*Size* refers to whenu width and length.

*Traditional* refers to pre-1945.

## 6 Referencing

All sources of information including *imagery* must be referenced. Referencing will prepare ākonga for the requirements of academic writing.

## Outcomes and performance criteria

### Outcome 1

Research kete whakairo patterns and designs.

Range traditional, contemporary;  
evidence of four contemporary, and four traditional patterns is required.

### Performance criteria

1.1 Kete whakairo patterns are named.

1.2 Research whakapapa of kete whakairo patterns.

Range may include but is not limited to – origin of pattern, pattern description, pattern explanation, imagery.

### Outcome 2

Identify tools and select materials to complete kete whakairo.

### Performance criteria

2.1 Tools for harvesting and preparation are identified.

2.2 Materials are selected in accordance with the requirements of the project.

Range one of, or a mixture of – harakeke, kiekie, pīngao, kuta.  
quality, quantity, size.

### Outcome 3

Raranga kete whakairo.

### Performance criteria

3.1 Patterns are selected and named in accordance with the kaupapa.

Range two colours minimum, two patterns minimum.

3.2 Kete whakairo is completed.

3.3 Whiri handles to suit kete design and purpose.

3.4 Handles are attached to kete enabling secure carriage of goods.

<b>Planned review date</b>	31 December 2023
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#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	30 September 1998	31 December 2016
Review	2	26 April 2001	31 December 2016
Review	3	22 May 2009	31 December 2016
Rollover	4	21 March 2013	31 December 2018
Review	5	20 April 2017	31 December 2018
Review	6	28 June 2018	N/A

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0162
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#### Comments on this unit standard

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