

KĀ HIKU O TE REO

Māori ake nei



Te Māngai Pāho



Te Rūnanga o NGĀI TAHU

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TE OROKOHAKA

In the hidden realms of te pō, Tama Kā embarks on his hīkoi up Aoraki mauka. With a whispered karakia from his tīpuna, his rīkarika erupt with mana-infused ahi! A flick of his wrist and the sky is set ablaze, capturing the essence of te ahi kā! The whatumanawa of the people glow like kōwhaiwhai patterns, radiant with wairua, as they sense the mauri of new beginnings and untold adventures.

As Tama Kā's ahi starts to mellow, Rakinui pulses with wairua hihiko. From a portal of radiant light, Wahine Rikoriko descends. She waves her hand, and a korowai of pure light cascades across Papatūānuku, a radiant gift of aroha. The wairua of the tamariki take flight like manu, free to dream and tākaro under her veil of rakimārie.

Finally, answering an age-old karaka, Waipounamu steps forth. With a powerful pūkana, she strikes her mere pounamu into the whenua. The air resonates with an intense surge of ihi rakaraka, heralding te ahiahi and the rising of whetū. Whānau and hapū, pulled together by the magnetic aura of her mana, with pūrākau and kai, their souls are nurtured by her manaakitaka.



TUHIA TŌ AKE TUAWAHINE:

Draw your own character - **Mana Wahine**



Rere kau atu ana te kāhui ariki i a Tama Kā, Hine Rikoriko, and Waipounamu, you have been bestowed the great honour of creating your own Mana Wahine or Mana Tāne! Tukuna te wairua kia rere! Unleash your wairua and let your manawa soar high in the sky!

IKOA Name:

IWI Tribe:

Ō PŪKEKA Powers:

TUHIA TŌ AKE TUAHAKATA:

Draw your own character - **Mana Tāne**



Āta whakaarohia - think about the powers or kaha you desire for your very own Mana Wahine or Mana Tāne. Empower your toa with values and pūkeka that make life magical! Let your imagination run free, crafting a hero that's a perfect reflection of your mauri ora!

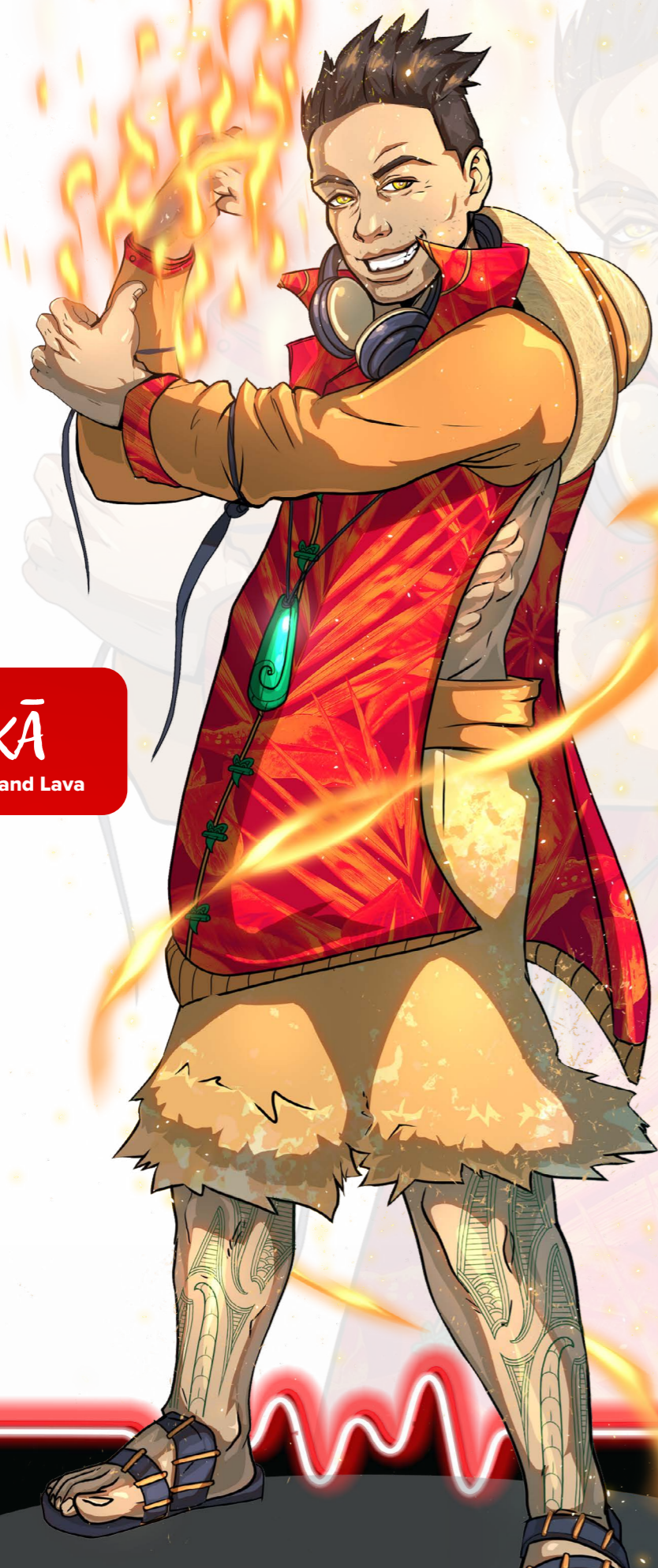
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TAMA KĀ

Jas - Master of fire and Lava



JAS

In the wairua realm, Tama Kā ignites te pō with mana-infused flames, bringing forth the dawn of new adventures.

This supernatural aura takes earthly form as Jas, while Tama Kā kindles spiritual awakening. Jas keeps it lit with intellectual and cultural vitality.

Tutukia te hatete o te reo!

TAMA KĀ

Jas - Master of fire and Lava



KARAKARA - COLOUR IN

HE KIMI KUPU

Word Find

Tamariki mā, grab your pene rākau and your crayons too! Just like Tama Kā lights up te raki with mana-infused flames, you can light up this kēmu kupu and colour in Tama Kā with kā tae o kahukura! Search for kupu like “kauri,” “moana” and “mānuka” to connect with the beauty of Te Taiao, our natural world. Each word you find is a hidden taoka, a piece of the environment that Tama Kā watches over. So as you kimi kupu, bring Tama Kā to life with your own beautiful colours. Nō reira, karawhiua!

Te Taiao - The Environment

awa	h e r k a a u p o
awaawa	e r a a w u w h t
hau	k e n a n a p a o
kapua	u u a a n g w a r
maunga	p w k a r a i u k
moana	a a o a m a r a m
puke	r m o k u t e h w
rangi	a g n u a m o h a
roto	n g a a u n e h w
whenua	
pō	
whetū	
marama	
rā	

He aha te kōrero huna i ngā pūreta e toe ana? (E 23 ngā reta, e 5 ngā kupu)
What is the hidden message spelt out by the left over letters?
Please note macrons have been used in the word list but are not used in the puzzle itself.

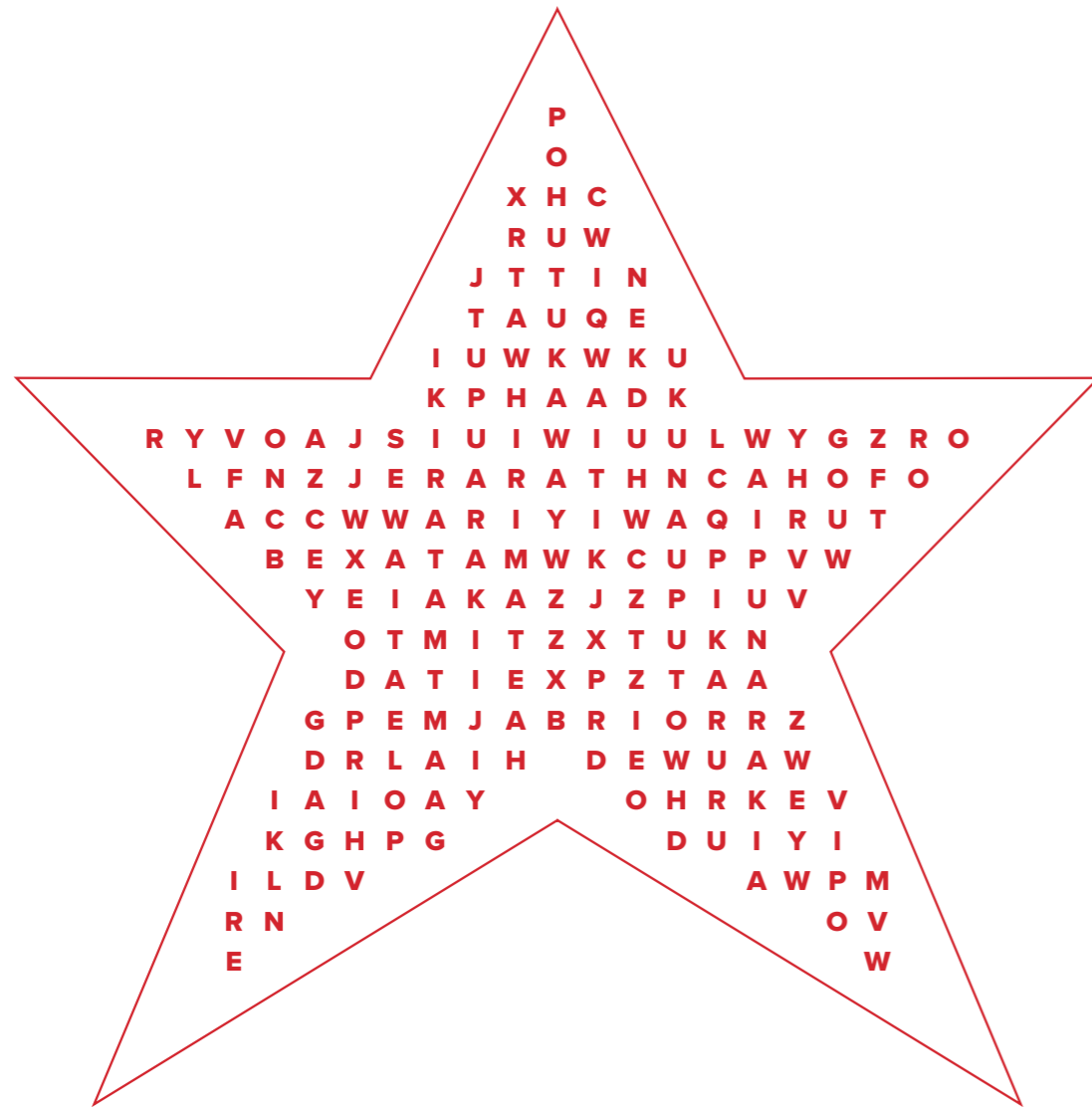
Te tira o Tāne

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e a k i a t r a i h o o a h a	
h k u r a h k o w k k a i m k	mātai
a a t o n a i ā r i g n g ā u	ngaio
r i u r w a t k t e a r ā n p	ongaonga
a a h a g u k a ā u ā u o t o	ponga
k t ō n a t ū m a t a k u r u	pukatea
e ā p r e w t u ā a e o k i m	pōhutukawa
k m t a k u m ō k ō k a r r ā	pūiri
e i a h w ō k a t a w a i i n	rautāwhiri
t o e t o e p u u a m n m r u	rimu
i r u a k u i o k t r a u ū k	rātā
p o n g a t ā a n e e a m p a	tawa
	toetoe
	tīkouka
	tōtara
	tūmatakuru

He aha te kōrero huna i ngā pūreta e toe ana? (E 47 ngā reta)

WANIWANI KUPU!

Word Search



HIWAITERAKI
MATARIKI
PŌHUTUKAWA

REHUA
TAWHIRIMATEA
TUPUANUKU
TUPUARAKI
URURAKI

WAIPUNARAKI
WAITA
WAITI

Bonus activity: Circle all the letters that are not in the Māori alphabet. Karawhiua!

HE KAUPAPA WHAI KUPU

Scattergories

See how many kupu Māori you can find which begin with the letter 'K' for each of the following categories. There is no limit on how many words you can have for each category.

1. Kā tae Colours	
2. Kā manu Birds	
3. Tākata Māori rokonui Famous Māori personalities	
4. Kā tūmomo rākau Flora	
5. He wāhi Place Names	
6. Kā tū ika Marine Life	
7. Weruweru Clothing	
8. Kā wāhaka tinana Body parts	
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WAHINE RIKORIKO

HINE - Symbol of Peace



HINE

I kā raki tūhāhā, Hine Rikoriko covers the world in a radiant korowai of aroha, opening avenues for dreams and peaceful serenity.

Her wairua manifests on Earth as Hinepounamu, who fills the world of kā toi with soul-lifting waiata, and fun kēmu.

Both forms of Hine unite the arts and kēmu, kia houhou te Roko i a Rokomaraeroa me Papatūānuku.

WAHINE RIKORIKO

HINE - Symbol of Peace



HE KIMI KUPU

Word Find

Tamariki mā, let's ignite another adventure! This time we're diving into the radiant world of Hine Rikoriko. Pick up your pene rākau again! Just like Hine Rikoriko adorns the māra kai with her myriad of delicious kai like huarākau and kumara, you too can bring her to life with the vibrant flavors of Aotearoa. Look for the delicious kai in the word find below. Kia kaha!

Kā Kai - Food

o	k	i	g	u	p	a	i	h
k	a	w	e	a	a	n	o	w
w	i	m	r	k	u	u	t	a
n	m	a	h	a	t	e	u	i
t	o	i	p	r	i	n	g	r
a	a	u	u	a	g	t	a	p
w	n	t	t	u	h	m	i	o
r	a	t	e	h	k	w	n	m
e	k	e	k	i	n	a	k	i

- huarākau
- inu
- kaimoana
- keke
- kīnaki
- mīti
- parāoa
- wai

HE KIMI KUPU

Word Find

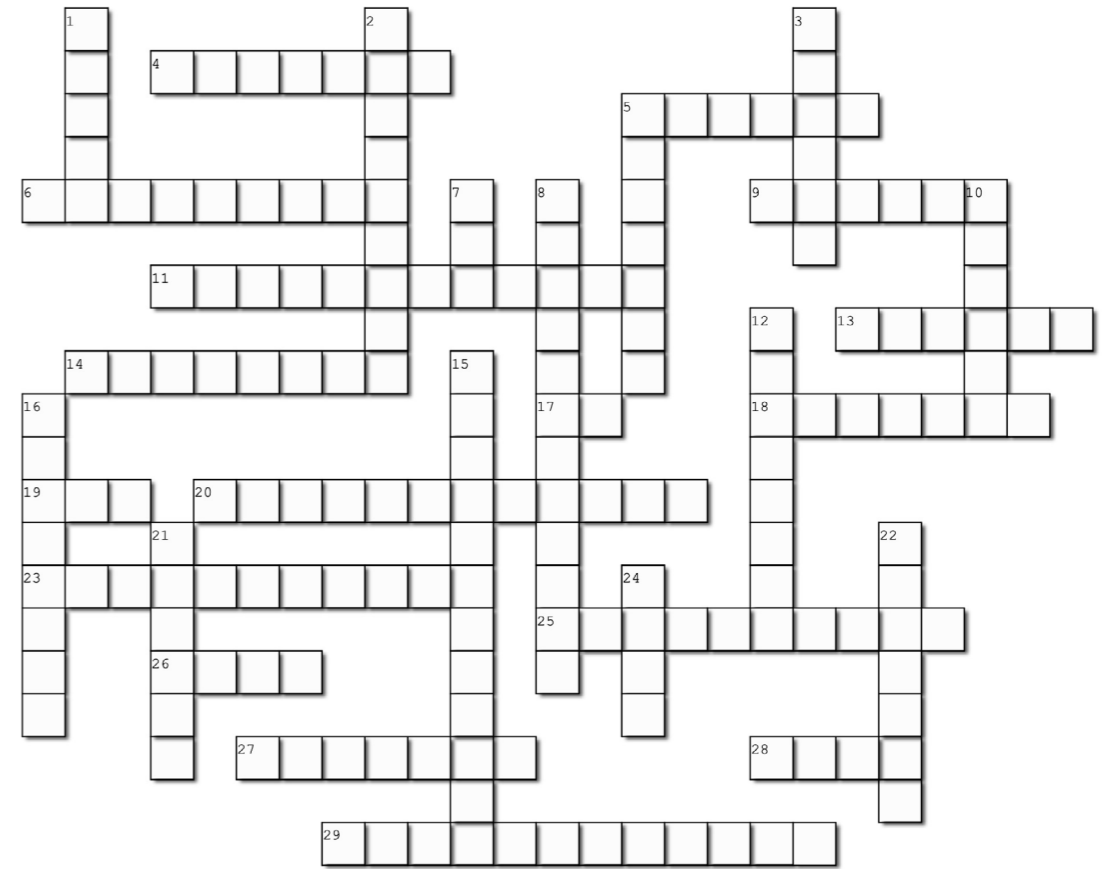
Kā Kararehe - Animals

o k i p u i u i n
 k p u r p a a w a
 w r o i u u k t n
 u o h a r k e w e
 t h i p k e r u k
 a i t u k a r i o
 w o i e h i e h t
 r h k a i h e n i
 e k e k i n u k w

heihei
 hipi
 hoiho
 kaihe
 kau
 keru
 kuri
 nanekoti
 poaka
 puru

HE PAKAKUPU

Crossword



Whakapae/Across

- 4. Beautiful
- 5. Hair
- 6. Butterfly
- 9. Moon
- 11. Hine's character (4,8)
- 13. Sing, song
- 14. Smile
- 17. Sun
- 18. Cloak
- 19. Art
- 20. Fairy
- 23. Wife of Rangī, Earth Mother
- 25. Radio Station (3,7)
- 26. To fly
- 27. Pink
- 28. Game
- 29. Atua of Peace

Whakararo/Down

- 1. Star
- 2. Heroine
- 3. Yellow
- 5. Dream
- 7. Peace
- 8. Purple
- 10. To be extraordinary
- 12. Green
- 15. Name of the booklet (2,4,1,2,3)
- 16. Flower
- 21. Soul, spirit
- 22. Famous
- 24. Gift

WAIPOUNAMU

Mana Wahine



POU

I kā raki tūhāhā, Waipounamu stands as a guardian, her mere pounamu poised and ready to protect her celestial hapori.

She incarnates on Earth as Waipounamu, embodying mana wahinetaka!

Whether channeling te ira tākata or grounding it into tangible advice and tohutohu for a fulfilling life, both manifestations embody Te Ihi, providing spiritual and practical sustenance for us and our future generations, mō tātou, ā, mō kā uri a muri ake nei.



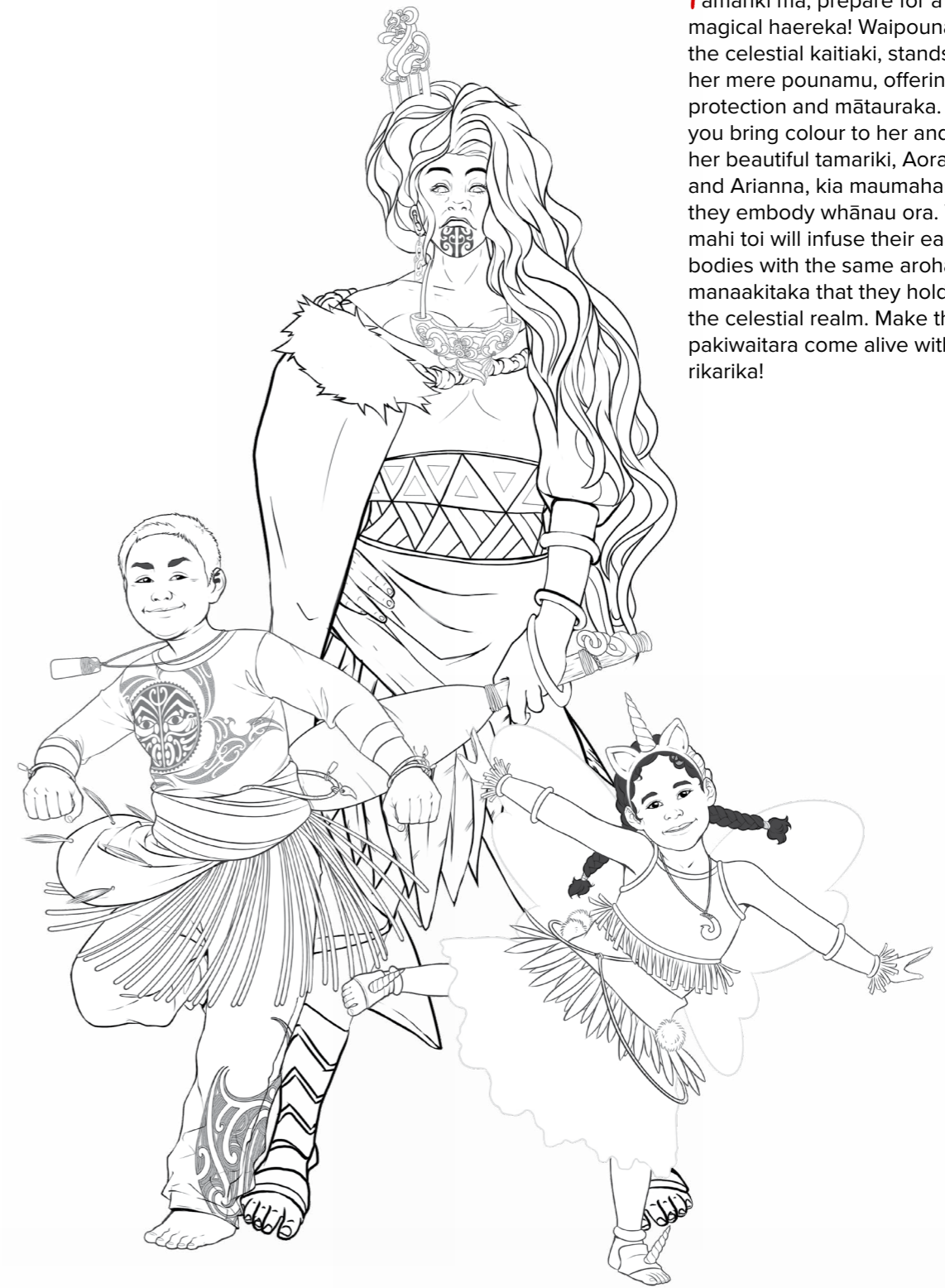
He wahine kātūarehe a Waipounamu, ko ia tou te pou whakaāio mō tōhona whānau, me āhana tamariki, i a Aoraki rāua ko Arianna.



WAIPOUNAMU

Mana Wahine

Tamariki mā, prepare for a magical haereka! Waipounamu, the celestial kaitiaki, stands with her mere pounamu, offering protection and mātauraka. As you bring colour to her and her beautiful tamariki, Aoraki and Arianna, kia maumahara, they embody whānau ora. Your mahi toi will infuse their earthly bodies with the same aroha and manaakitaka that they hold in the celestial realm. Make this pakiwaitara come alive with your rikarika!



KARAKARA - COLOUR IN

KĀ TAE - COLOURS

Match the colour with the word



BLUE

KĀKĀRIKI



RED

KŌWHAI



GREEN

MĀ



WHITE

KIKORAKI



YELLOW

PARAURI



BLACK

WHERO



ORANGE

KARAKA

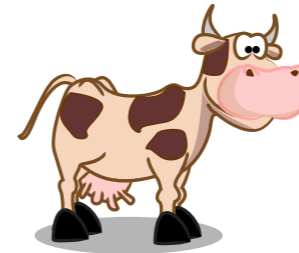


BROWN

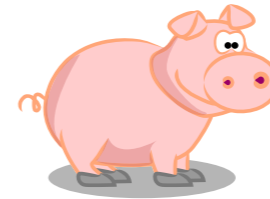
PAKO

KĀ KARAREHE - ANIMALS

Match the picture of the kararehe with their reo Māori name



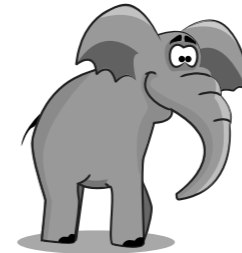
POAKA



KERU



KAU



KURĪ



AREWHANA

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KĀ WHAKAAHUA - PICTURES

Four Pictures One Word





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Scattergories

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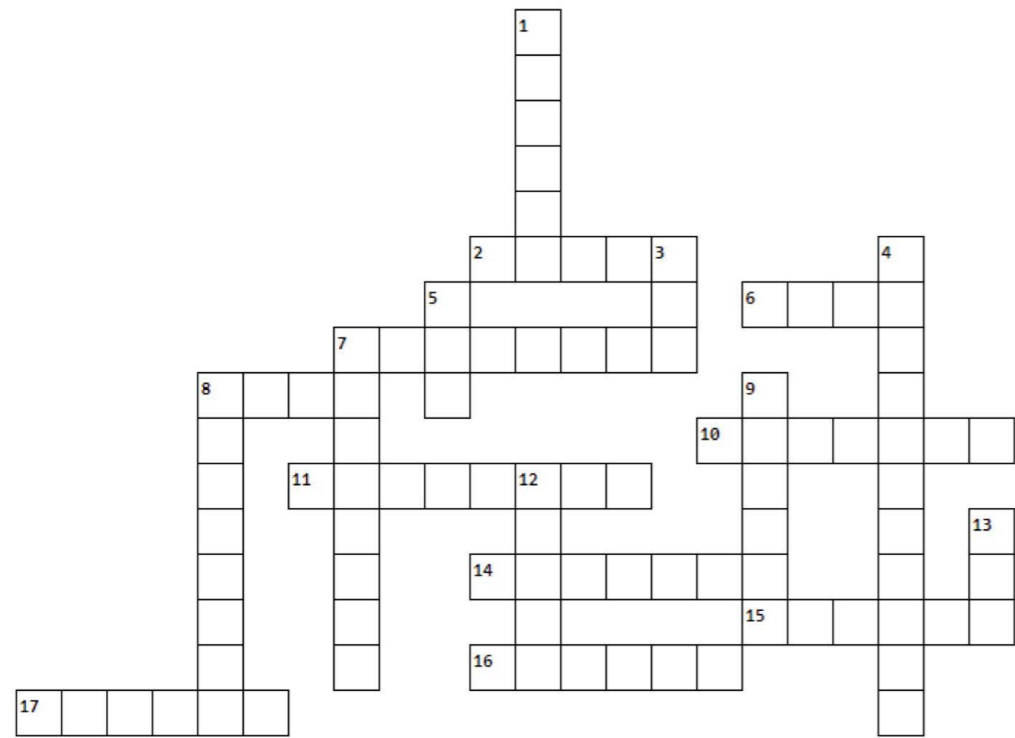
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Crossword



Across

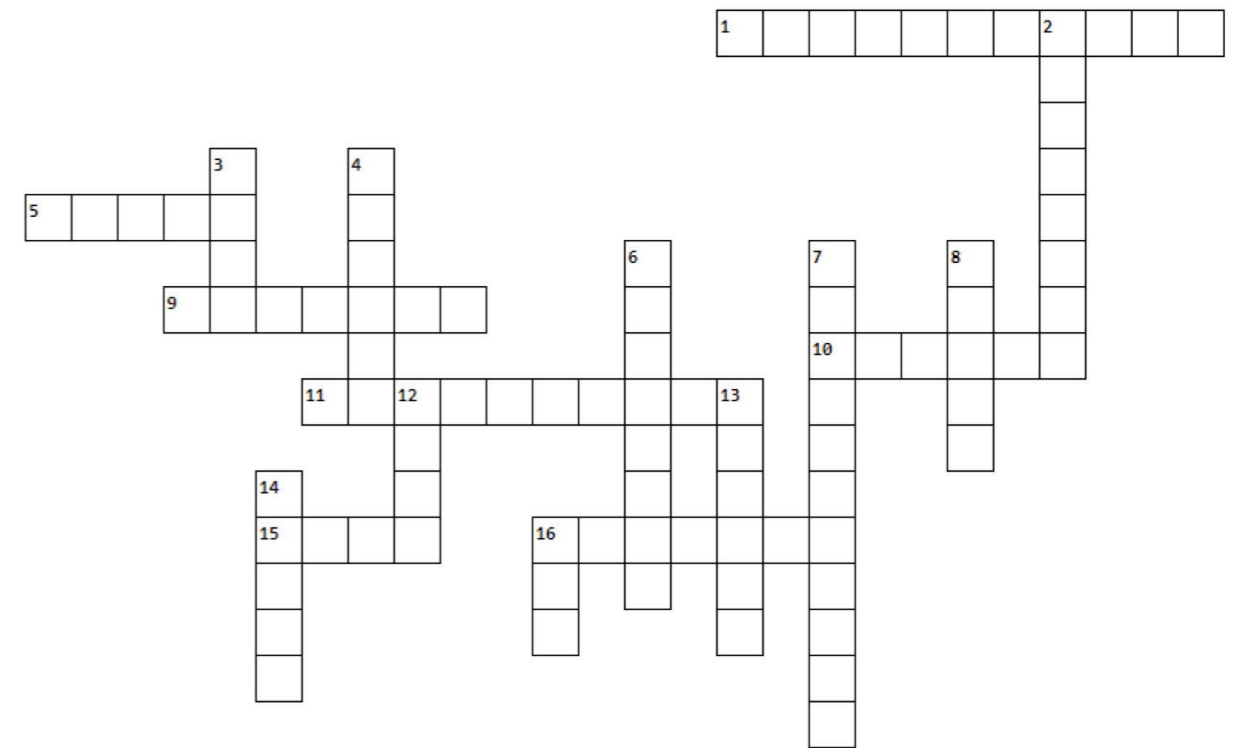
- 2. prized possession
- 6. laugh
- 7. blue
- 8. mother
- 10. performer of kapa haka
- 11. guardian
- 14. greenstone
- 15. ____ matatū
- 16. female
- 17. kākahu made of harakeke

Down

- 1. health
- 3. fire
- 4. hospitality/kindness
- 5. __, wehi, wana
- 7. enthusiastic/eager
- 8. curly
- 9. spirit
- 12. love
- 13. sharp

HE PAKAKUPU

Crossword



Across

- 1. whetū/star associated with wishes or fulfilling our aspirations
- 5. raketira among the stars in the night sky
- 9. harvest/dig up (a root crop)
- 10. First month of the lunar calendar/June
- 11. Māori lunar calendar
- 15. glow
- 16. Atua of the sea

Down

- 2. full moon
- 3. face/phase
- 4. timetable/calendar
- 6. pleiades
- 7. Earth mother
- 8. Atua/Lord of darkness/evil
- 12. Moon/woman on the moon
- 13. moonlight
- 14. Star/s
- 16. coast/tide

KĀ WHAKAUTU

Answer Sheets

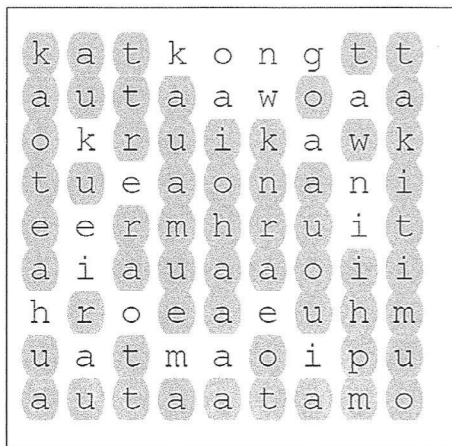
Match the colours: Blue = Kikoraki, Red = Whero, Green = Kākāriki, White = Mā, Yellow = Kōwhai, Black = Pako, Orange = Karaka, Brown = Parauri

Match animal pictures to the reo Māori names: Cow = Kau, Pig = Poaka, Dog = Kurī, Elephant = Arewhana, Cat = Keru

4 Pictures one word: (1) = Waea (2) = Kai (3) = Tari (4) = Takaroa

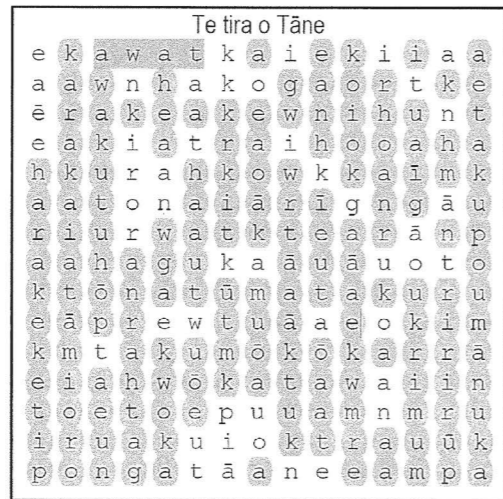
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Te reaka kōrero huna - hidden message = Ko kā waka ēnei i hoea mai.

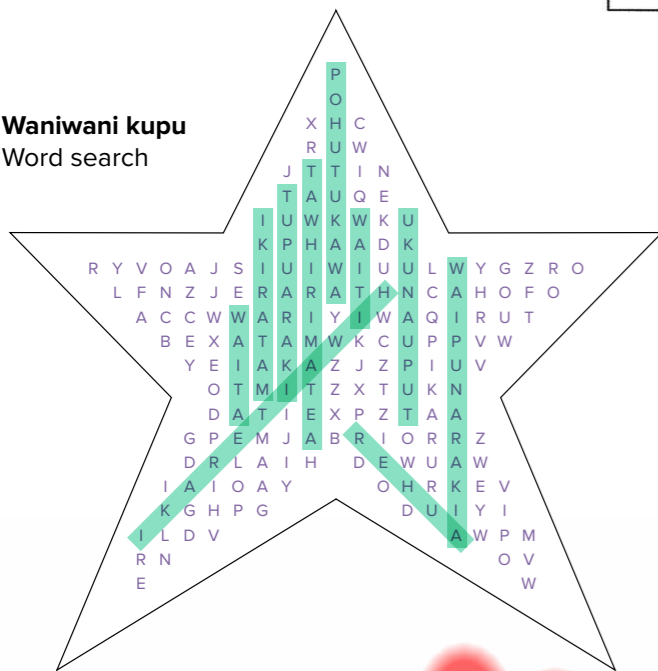


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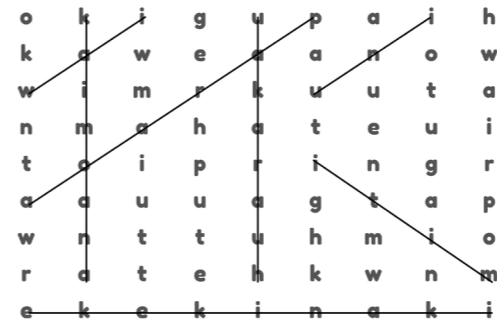
Waniwani kupu Word search



He kaupapa whai kupu - Scattergories

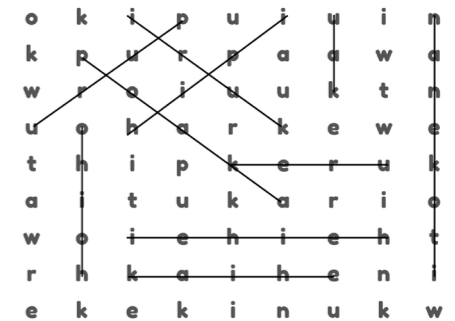
Is a points game – with many answers ‘find an adult’ to help you with your answers’

Kā Kai - Food



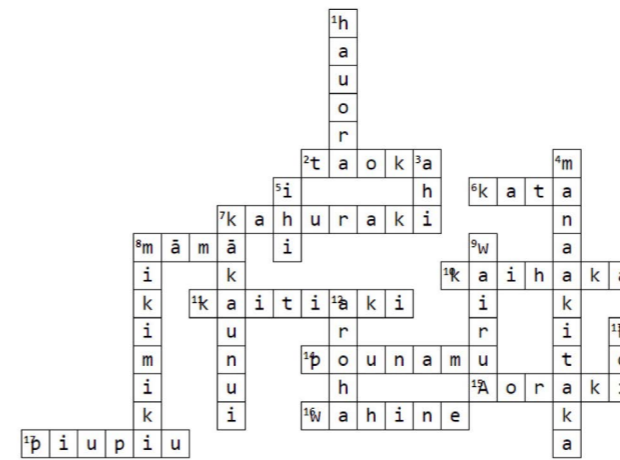
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wai

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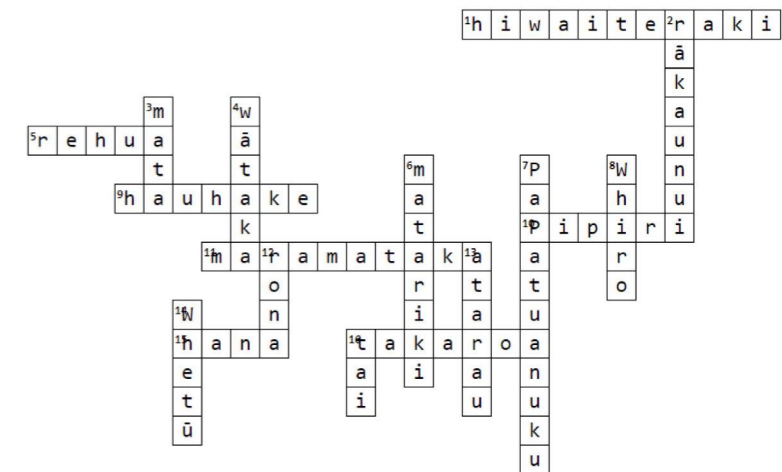


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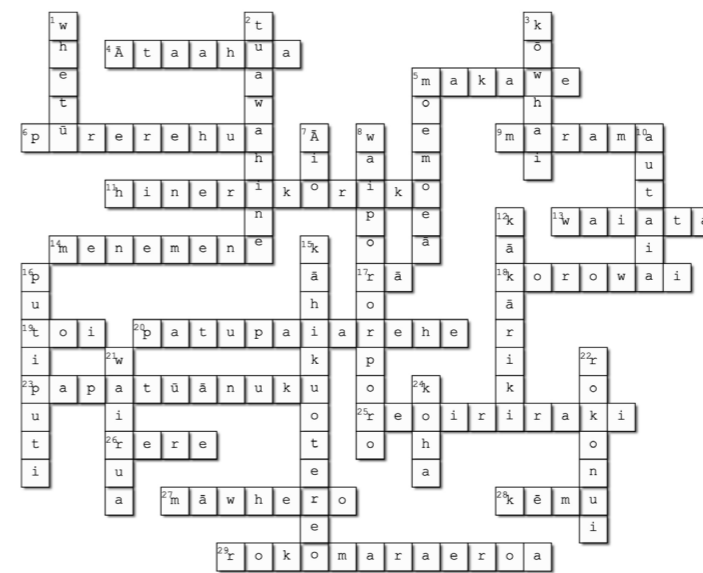
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He Papakupu



Whakapae/Across

- Beautiful (Ātaahua)
- Hair (Makawe)
- Butterfly (Pūrehuhua)
- Moon (Marama)
- Hine's character (4,8) (HineRikoriko)
- Sing, song (Waiata)
- Smile (Menemene)
- Sun (Rā)
- Cloak (Korowai)
- Art (Toi)
- Fairy (Patupaiarehe)
- Wife of Rangī, Earth Mother (Papatūānuku)
- Radio Station (3,7) (Reolīraki)
- To fly (Rere)
- Pink (Māwhero)
- Game (Kēmu)
- Atua of Peace (Rokomaraeroa)

Whakararo/Down

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- Heroine (Tuawahine)
- Yellow (Kōwhai)
- Dream (Moemoeā)
- Peace (Āio)
- Purple (Waiporoporo)
- To be extraordinary (Autaiā)
- Green (Kākāriki)
- Name of the booklet (2,4,1,2,3) (KāHikuoTeReo)
- Flower (Putiputi)
- Soul, spirit (Wairua)
- Famous (Rokonui)
- Gift (Koha)





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