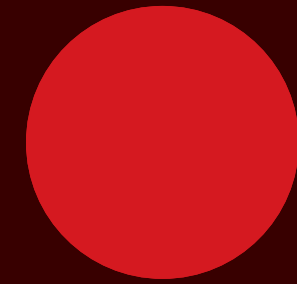




Te Whatu Kairangi

Aotearoa Tertiary
Educator Awards

Te Tohu Reo Māori
o Te Whatu Kairangi Award



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Awards available in 2024



Te Tohu Reo Māori
Award



Kaupapa Māori
Award



Le Moana Mua
Award



General Award
Individual / Group

One Prime Minister's Educator of the Year Award will also be awarded to the nominee whose portfolio the panel agrees best exemplifies the overall criteria.

The Te Tohu Reo Māori o Te Whatu Kairangi Award

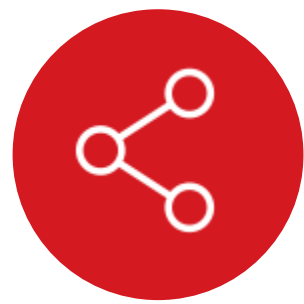
- Recognises the practice of kaiako who teach te reo Māori
- Celebrates those who have worked relentlessly and successfully among whānau, teaching and learning institutions, and wider communities to teach, revitalise and normalise te reo Māori for future generations
- Nominations are encouraged from across the tertiary sector



The Te Tohu Reo Māori Award Process

- Nominate a kaiako who teaches te reo Māori (two pages)
Closing 5pm, 16 April 2024
- Nominations are shortlisted
- Shortlisted nominees provide extra information (four pages)
Closing 5pm, 28 June 2024

Through these awards, outstanding Māori-led tertiary educators and their organisations have the opportunity to:



Share their commitment to and outstanding practice in building educational capability and sustained learner success.



Enhance their careers and showcase their organisation and industry as a great space to work.



Showcase their innovative work and responsiveness to student needs.



Access award money to advance their work, promote good practice and benefit learners.



Reflect on and strengthen their teaching or training practice.

Nominations for Te Tohu Reo Māori Now Open For 2024

Te Whatu Kairangi celebrates outstanding educators across the entire tertiary education sector who are making a difference to learners, their whānau, and communities.

We welcome nominations from tertiary educators who have been working in an education position for at least four years full-time, or equivalent, and are employed with an organisation that receives Tertiary Education Commission funding.

Nominations for Step 1 close 5pm, 16 April 2024

Applications for Step 2 from shortlisted nominees close 5pm, 28 June 2024



Let's work together to raise the profile of Māori-led educators and Māori priorities

Within the tertiary community across Aotearoa there are many Māori-led educators doing great things to support their learners, colleagues and organisations in their teaching practice. While some educators or trainers may not see what they do as special, or worthy of an award, it is important their work is recognised and celebrated for the positive impact it makes and their contribution to learner success.

Let's work together to encourage and support them to enter!





We're here to help

If you have any questions or would like to be connected with an awardee, please get in touch with Ako Aotearoa.

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