

ratonga taiohi pānui

what you need to know



Matariki mā Puanga,
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Matariki is a time to reflect on the past, honour those who have passed on, gather with loved ones, share kai, and set intentions for the year ahead. It is a time that invites all people to come together in remembrance, gratitude, and hope.

Matariki – health and wellbeing

Pōhutukawa – connected to those who have passed away

Tupuānuku – food grown in the ground

Tupuārangi – food that comes from the sky and is linked to the birds

Waiti – fresh water and living creatures in the rivers, streams, and lakes

Waitā – ocean and represents food gathered from the sea

Waipuna-ā-rangi – rain, reflections and recognition

Ururangi – the winds of the sky

Hiwa-i-te-rangi - promise of a prosperous season, the wishing star.

Spend some time celebrating with whānau and friends and reconnect



What are you thankful for?

Think about three things you're grateful for.

What are your plans for the future?

Think about three things you'd like to plan for your future.



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new activities

We've added some new activities in ART so that we can better capture the things that young people are doing.

These have been added based on feedback from youth coaches – if there is anything else that you think is missing please get in touch with us.

Remember – using the right activities and needs is important. We use this data to talk about what is happening in young people's lives across the motu.

Career planning	Paid employment NEET only	Agent for young person	Early Childhood Education	Budgeting appointment	General Health	House search
Driver licence	Part-time Education	Community organisation	Parenting appointment	Budgeting conversations	Medical exemption	Public housing
Education planning	Part-time Employment	Government agencies	Parenting conversations	Budgeting education programme	Primary Health Organisation	
Full-time Education	Part-time Training	Family reconciliation	Parenting education programme	Money management	Whānau and friends	
Full-time employment YP and YPP	Part-time work-based learning	Youth coach engagement	Well Child/Tamariki Ora checks			
Full-time Training	Work-based learning					
Limited Service Volunteer	Volunteering					
Job search						

Key	
	Budgeting
	Wellbeing
	Housing
	General
	Parenting
	NEET, Employment, Education

Request a needs and activities report by emailing us
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celebrate volunteers month

When taiohi volunteer, they build confidence, skills, and connection while making a real difference in their community

If you have taiohi who volunteer, make sure you capture this in ART.

How to add volunteering in ART:

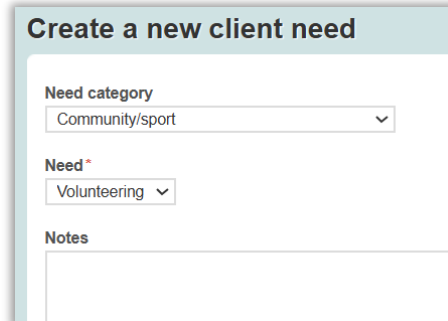
Create a new 'need'

Need category : Community/Sport

Need: Volunteering

Add an activity

The best one is likely volunteering



**Let's celebrate you and our Taiohi who volunteer
send us your story**

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**June is dedicated to
celebrating our
awesome volunteers
who make a difference
across Aotearoa!**



**kia ora rawa atu!
Big thanks volunteers!**



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upcoming drop-in sessions

drop-in to meet other youth coaches and learn about youth service



needs, activities, notes and full and correct entitlements

Tuesday 24 June, 10am

In this drop-in session we'll discuss:

- how you can make sure a young person is receiving their Full and Correct Entitlement (FACE)
- the importance of good notes attached to the right activities
- tips and tricks on how to record information

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supplementary assistance and payment tasks

Tuesday 1 July, 10am

In this drop-in session we'll discuss:

- what tools are available to help you
- supplementary assistance that a young person may be entitled to
- how to complete ART tasks

[Join the teams meeting](#)

induction for youth coaches

Wednesday 2 July, 10am

In this drop-in session we'll cover:

- what determines how youth service operates
- the people that help deliver Youth Service
- an overview of the Activity Reporting Tool (ART), and
- where to find information to help you in your role.

Come along to learn and connect with other new youth coaches.

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You can find the full drop-in session schedule on our provider site

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