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Maori term	English equivalent in context
Aotearoa	New Zealand
hui	conferences attended by Maori
iwi	kin group, public, communities
kaihautu	host
kaikorero	representative, speaker
kanohi ki te kanohi	face to face
kaumatua	elder, elders
korero	communicate
kuia	female elders
marae	meeting house
mihimihi	welcome
papatipu	land with Maori title
powhiri	opening ceremony
rangatahi	young Maori
rangatira	chief
reo	language
reo irirangi	Maori radio
rohe	area
tangata whenua	local people, native people
taonga	assets, belongings
Te Mangai Paho	Maori Broadcasting Funding Agency
Te Puni Kokiri	Ministry of Maori Development
Te Reo (Te Reo Maori)	the Maori language
Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Maori	Maori Language Commission
Te Tiriti o Waitangi	Treaty of Waitangi
tikanga	culture, cultural, customs
tino rangatiratanga	independence
wananga	seminar, workshop