





Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori 2020 - Te Whare Taonga o Te Arawa

1. What's the Māori name for a museum? 8. Koro Pūkākī is carved from what type of native wood? 2. What does the Māori word 'taonga' mean? 9. What is the island in the middle of Lake Rotorua called? 3. Which Rotorua mountain erupted in 1886? **4.** Guide Sophia was a famous guide of this area who took tourists to see which famous terraces? 10. What was the name of famous Tūhourangi ancestress who swam across to that island to be with her lover Tūtānekai? 5. What are the Māori names for these terraces?

6. What are the Māori words for the colours white and pink?



11. What is this type of pendant called?

7. Which famous Ngāti Whakaue tūpuna (ancestor) is in the care of Rotorua Museum and on the 20 cent coin?

12. What is the Māori name for Māori Language Week?











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Answers

1. Whare Taonga
2. Treasure, or an object that is very special or valuable
3. Mt Tarawera
4. The Pink and White Terraces
5. Te Tarata (White Terrace), Te Otukapuarangi (Pink Terrace
6. Mā (white) and māwhero (pink)
7. Pūkākī
8. Totara
9. Mokoia
10. Hinemoa
11. Hei tiki
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