



Understanding the Treaty of Waitangi

- What does it mean for you & your work?

Bringing the Treaty to life for professionals & citizens

Treaty Workshop protocol and information guide

Aratiatia Marae

Parking: Please come prepared to park on the roadside as the Marae carpark may not be available. We will notify you closer to the time should it be able to be used.

Powhiri: Please gather at the entrance of the Marae by 8.30. We will guide you through the process of the welcome and powhiri.

If a woman who is able to call or karanga is amongst us and is needed she will take position. There will be at least one male speaker on our guest side, if there are others who wish to speak they will be welcome also. Please let us know prior if you are available to karanga or speak. If our group knows a waiata we can use it to support the male speakers after their speech

Please wear black or dark colours if possible, and clothes should be formal to semi formal.

Eating is restricted to the wharekai (dining hall), water is allowed in the meeting house.

We will be asked to remove our shoes when entering the wharenuī (meeting house).

For all people we hope to make our visit to Aratiatia Community Marae a great learning and enjoyable stay especially those new to being on a marae. We will include a brief explanation about the marae and marae processes during our stay.

If you have any questions please ask.

