SĀMOAN LANGUAGE WEEK

26 May - 1 June 2019

To celebrate Samoan Language Week and the important role language plays in connecting us all to the history, culture and future of Pasifika, the Tertiary Education Union has produced this resource to help you introduce yourself and what you do.

Talofa lava

Hello

O lo'u igoa o

My name is...

O a'u oute faigaluega mo le ofisa a le uni o a'oaoga maualuga

I work for the Tertiary Education Union

O a'u oute iai I le uni ā tagata faigaluega mo a'oaoga maualuga

I am a member of the TEU

O nei a'oaoga maualuga a fa'amanuiaina ai tagata uma

Tertiary education benefits us all

E tātou ona maua a tagata nu'u o Niusila nei avanoa mo le lumana'i manuia

Every New Zealander should have access to quality lifelong learning opportunities

Tofā soifua

Goodbye

Learn these phrases and play your part in recognising of the importance and value of Sāmoan and other Pacific languages in New Zealand today.



Alofa atu nei. Alofa mai taeao. Kindness given. Kindness gained.

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