

Te Kupu o te Wiki

wahine

woman



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For beginners

Sample sentence:

He kaiako tērā wahine.
That woman is a teacher.

Where wahine might be used:

In written whakapapa, on official forms, in bilingual organisation names.

For learners and speakers

Whakataukī:

He whakahohou rongo wahine, he tatau pounamu.
A peace arranged by a woman is a greenstone door. Peace secured by women is strong and permanent. (Ngā Pepeha 832)

Synonyms:

Uha, wāhine (plural).