

Me haere ahau

Saying one had better do something

Me is used before a verb to suggest that one had better, or should, do something.**Me hoki ahau.**

I had better go back.

Me noho koe.

You had better stay.

Āe, Kāore

Saying 'Yes' and 'No'

Āe is 'yes' and **kāore**, or the shortened form **kāo**, is used to say 'no'.**Kei te haere koe ki te whare wānanga?**

Are you going to university?

Kāore.

No.

Kei roto te nanenane i te māra

Saying where something is

In **Te wāhanga tuatahi**, you learnt how to ask where something is using the question word, or interrogative, **hea**:**Kei hea te kāinga o Hine?**

Where's Hine's home?

Kei Ōpoho.

At Ōpoho.

There is a small group of words which is used in the same way and also show location.

Here are a few of these:

roto	inside	waho	outside
runga	on top	raro	underneath
mua	in front	muri	behind
tātahi	the beach	uta	the shore

