

Now and Then

You need a calculator (optional) a classmate

Activity One

0	kore	6	ono	12	tekau mā rua	30	toru tekau
1	tahi	7	whitu	13	tekau mā toru	31	?
2	rua	8	waru	14	?	37	toru tekau mā whitu
3	toru	9	iwa	20	rua tekau	40	?
4	whā	10	tekau	24	rua tekau mā whā	50	?
5	rima	11	tekau mā tahi	25	?	65	ono tekau mā rima

- Working with a classmate, copy this table of the Māori counting system into your book and fill in the question marks.
- Using the Māori counting system, tell your classmate:
 - the number of children in your family.
 - the number of children in your class.
 - your age and your classmate's age added together.
- With your classmate, count up to 100 in Māori in fives, sevens, and tens and write these numbers down. (100 is rau in Māori.)



Activity Two

The Ancient Romans used a different number system from ours. These numbers are often used on clock faces today.

- If V is 5, IV is 4, X is 10, and IX is 9, what does I before a letter mean?
- If XI is 11 and VI is 6, what does I after a letter mean?
- Draw four clock faces with the numbers given as Roman numerals. Show on your clocks:
 - the time you have lunch.
 - the time you go home from school.
 - the time you have dinner.
 - the time you go to bed.

