

# Inanga

He aha • Kei hea • Te take • He pēhea

## HE AHA te inanga:

Ko te 'kaeaea' te ingoa whānui mō te wāhanga pūhou o ngā momo e rima o Aotearoa o te whānau ika e kīa ana ko Galaxiidae. Ko te 'inanga' te ingoa o te wāhanga pakeke o tētahi momo kaeaea 1 o ngā mea e 5 Galaxias maculatus.

Ko te inanga te mea iti rawa o ā tātau momo kaeaea, kāore e roa ake te tipu i te 110 mm.

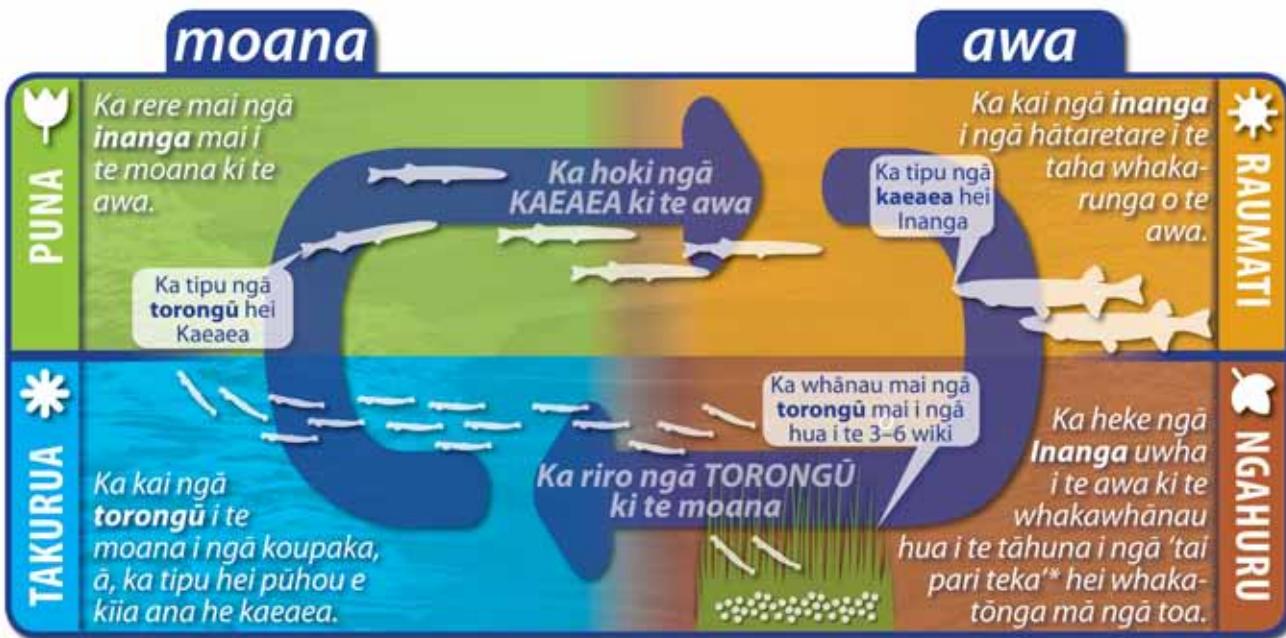
Koinei anake te momo kāore e taea te piki ārai – arā ko te tikanga he āhuatanga ahurei ūna mō tōna oranga.

He diadromous rātau – ko te tikanga o tēnei ka noho rātau i ngā wāhi wai moana me te wai māori.



kaeaea  inanga  
torongū  ngā hua

## Inanga lifecycle



\* TAI TEKA – he tai i muri tonu mai i te kōwhiti, rākaunui rānei, i te wā e tino nui rawa te rerekē i waenga i te wai teitei me te wai pāpaku.

I tō rātau wā toene i te pito o te raumati/ngahuru, 1,500–3,000 ngā hua ka whakawhānauhia e ngā inanga. He moroiti – e 0.8–1.25 mm te rahi o ia hua.

I te ekenga o te kotahi marama ka paopao mai hei torongū 7 mm te roa. Mō te wiki tuatahi ka kai rātau mai i tō rātau poi ioka e tāpiritia ana, kātahi ka tīmata ki te kai i ngā tipu me ngā kararehe iti. Ka puta rātau ki te moana mō te wā atu ki te ono marama. Ko te whai torongū maha rawa ko te ritenga o te inanga ki te "kaua e raua katoatia ō hua ki te kete kotahi", arā, ki te tino raruraru kāore e ngaro te katoa.

Ka rapu haere ngā pūhou (ka kīia ināianei he 'kaeaea') i te ara ki ngā awa i roto rōpū nui/pīranga mā te hongihongi i te wai māori. Ka piki whakarunga, engari he ngoikore ki te kau, ka mutu kāore e taea ngā ārai te piki, hei tauira, ngā tāheke/wairere/ahuriri/karawata, aha atu, aha atu. Ko te nuinga o ngā kaeaea kāore e ora i tēnei haerenga i te mea ka matekai, ka kainga e ngā kaikonihi, ka mau rānei i ngā kaihao.

Ka tipu hei pakeke i te awa mō te takiwā pea o te ono marama. Kua rerū rātau ki te hoki whakararo me te whakawhānau i ā rātau ake hua (toene) i te kotahi tau.

## Ā mātau momo inanga e 5

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	<i>waraki noa</i>
<i>kāore i te noho mōrearea</i>	



TĒ taea e te  
inanga te piki ārai...  
hāunga ētahi atu o  
ngā momo e 4

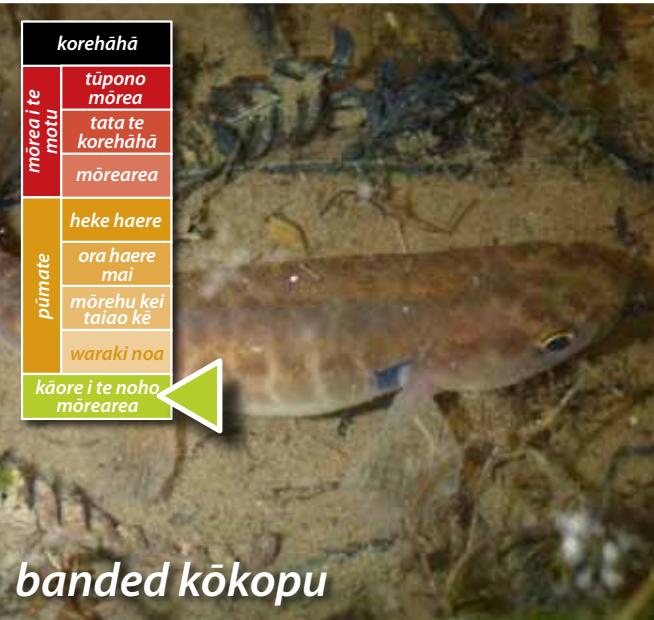
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## kōaro



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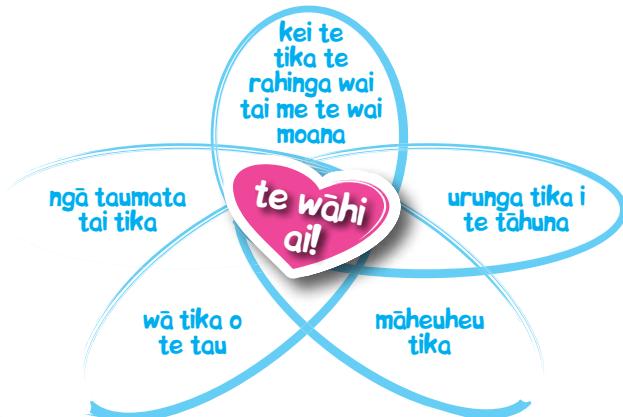
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## KEI HEA rātau e noho ana, ā, e whakawhānau i ā rātau hua:



*Ko te whai i te nōhangā toene tika - 'te wāhi ai'  
– he whakatauritenga uaua o ngā āhuatanga maha.*

*Ko ngā raruraru ko te noho mōrearea o ngā pakeke ki ngā kaikonihi ina kuhu rātau ki ngā wai pāpaku toene ai - nō reira ka āhua tiakina rātau e ngā māheuheu e paea ake ana mai i ngā tuna hiakai me ngā manu noho awa. Me noho mātao me te mākū tonu ngā hua inanga i te wā kei waho i te wai Ko ngā māheuheu tauwharewhare, tāhuna hoki e taumarumau ana i ngā hua ka noho pēnei i te hamarara i te awatea me te paraikete i te pō.*



### NGĀ NŌHANGĀ TOENE PAI MŌ NGĀ INANGA

#### Te tawhiti tika mai i te moana

 Ko ētahi wāhangā o tēnei wai he tino pai rawa hei toene inanga nā te tūtata ki te moana. Ka toene ai i ngā wāhi e taea ai ngā tai teka teitei, engari kāore i te tino totetote te wai. I te wā o ngā tai teka ka taea e ngā inanga ā rātau hua te whakawhānau i ngā māheuheu kei runga ake i ngā tāhuna, i runga ake i te teitei rerenga noa o te awa.

#### He tāhuna rōnaki

Ko te mea pai kia rōnaki te tāhuna, kia kaua he taha tūpou. Ko te tikanga he nui ake ngā wāhi o te tāhuna ka taea mō te whakawhānau a ngā inanga i ā rātau hua i te wā o te tai teka teitei.

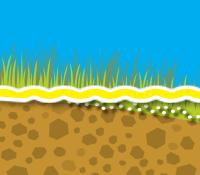


#### Kei te tipuria te tāhuna e te māhuehue

*Ngā whakamarumaru rākau/mauwha māori – he whakarato marumaru mō ngā hua me te kore o te ngahoro o ngā rau ki runga*



*Otaota mātotoru roa – kia taea ngā hua inanga te whakawhānau ki te whāriki pakiaka*



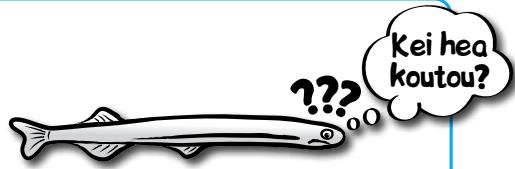
*Ngā tipu e paea ake ana i te wai – hei huna i ngā inanga kia tae mai te tai pari teitei hei whakahoki i a rātau ki runga i te tāhuna*

*teitei tai pari teka  
teitei rerenga awa noa*

## TE TAKE e itiiti haere ana ngā inanga me te take e whakamate atu ana mātau:

**Kei te heke haere ngā taupori ika māori o Aotearoa.**

He pai ake ngā inanga i te nuinga i te mea he whānui ō rātau hiahia, arā he tuwhera rātau ki ngā wāhi noho mō rātau me ā rātau kai Ko tētahi mate ko tā tātau tūkino i ngā nōhangā toene o ngā momo e 90% o ngā kaeaea e haohia ana e tātau.



Heoi, ko te nōhangā e hiahiatia ana kia ora ai ngā hua kei te kino, kua kore rānei.

**Iti iho ngā hua = iti iho ngā inanga!**

Ka mutu, he kaha te kai a ngā kaikonihi o tāwāhi (te taraute te mea kaha) i ngā pākeke me te huri i tō rātau whanonga e kore nei e taea e ngā inanga te rapu kai.

**koiora-kanorau nui = pūnaha rauropi hauora  
...he nui ngā kai mā te KATOA!**



**Ko te tūkino i ngā nōhangā inanga, kāore e whāiti ki ēnei....**

### Nōhangā toene:

- Tūkino a ngā kararehe pāmu.
- Ngā huringa ā-tangata ki ngā hanganga tāhuna tūturu.
- Te tapahi i ngā māheuheu roa o ngā tāhuna i te wā toene.
- He nui rawa ngā waipara i ngā tāhuna, e tāmia ana ngā māheuheu.
- Te whakatū ārai e aukati ana i ngā urunga o ngā inanga ki ngā wāhi toene, hei tauira ngā kēti tai.

**te tūkino a ngā kararehe ki ngā tāhuna**

**ngā huringa ā-tangata ki ngā tāhuna tūturu**

**te tope otaota i ngā tāhuna i te wā toene**

**he nui rawa ngā waipara i ngā tāhuna**

**ngā ārai i te urunga o ngā inanga ki ngā wāhi toene**

### Nōhangā pakeke:

- Te whakatū ārai e aukati ana i te pikī whakarunga o ngā inanga ki te kai, hei tauira, ngā kēti tai, ngā ahuriri, karawata, aha atu, aha atu.

## ME PĒHEA tā tātau āwhina:

**He pōturi te hoki mai anō o ngā māheuheu tāhuna me ngā nōhanga toene inanga mai i te tūkinotanga.**

Ka hokihoki tonu mai te inanga ki te wāhi kotahi i te awa ki te toene, nō reira ka hoki mai rātau ki ngā wāhi tūkino ka whakamātau ki te toene...engari ka mate ā rātau hua. Nō reira he mea nui rawa kia tiakina e tātau ō rātau wāhi toene pai kei te toe, me te whakapai/whakaora i ērā kua tūkinotia.

### Ko ngā mea ka taea e tātau te āwhina...

#### I te wā poto:

- Te whakauru mai i ngā pēra hei nōhanga toene. Ko ngā wāhi mākū, mātao i waenga i ngā pērā he wāhi rangitahi pai rawa hei toene kia tika rā anō mai ngā rongoā wā roa.

#### I te wā roa:

- Taiapa atu i ngā kararehe.
- Whakatinana i te mahere whakatipu i ngā tāhuna.
- Whakatenatena i ngā mana kia arotaketia ngā rautaki whakapai i ngā tāhuna.
- Whakakore i ngā kēti tai me ētahi atu ārai e aukati ana i te pikī o ngā inanga i te awa.
- He tino puiaki ngā hua inanga. Ko ngā whakamarutanga anake kia kaua rātau e kainga e ngā kaikonihi, ko ngā māheuheu e tipu nei rātau i roto. Ka hunaiā ngā hua e ngā māheuheu tāroa, mātotoru, ā, ka uaua te taea e ngā kaikonihi. Mēnā ka taea e koe ngā māheuheu te tiaki, te whakaora rānei ka iti ake te whakararuraru a ngā kirearea.

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Kei te tautokona te Kaupapa Mātauranga Toene Inanga ā-Motu ...



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