

SAMOA LANGUAGE WEEK 2020 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

DATE	Activity/Event	EVENT DETAILS	Time	Location	Reach
Friday 22 May	Solo Lauga	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What will be delivered? • Who will be leading/facilitating? <p>Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618 Various Solo Lauga by different Samoan community members in Dunedin</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Led by Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) in association with radio stations 	6.00pm	Dunedin	Dunedin
Saturday 23 May	Samoan Speech/Lauga	<p>Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presented by different Samoan community members in Dunedin 	6.00pm	Dunedin	Dunedin
Sunday 24 May	Samoan Language Week 2020 Official Online Launch	<p>FAGASA Kalaisitete – Contact email is fagasachristchurch@gmail.com Lotu Service to Launch Samoan Language Week 2020</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Congregational Christian Church of Samoa (Christchurch) • Samoan Consulate-General, National Presidents of FAGASA, SAASIA, Fotu o Malama, and FAGAGA Christchurch partaking 	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	Overview Presentation – Gagana Samoa Update, Facilitator – Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao, Chairperson, Fotu o Malama https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8175247582	<p>Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz Presentation on Samoan language subject</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of Samoan language as a subject in secondary schools • Achievement data for NCEA Level 1, 2 and 3 • Achievement data for Samoan Scholarship students between 2011–2019 • Statistics for students learning Samoan in NZ • Links to tertiary & vocational pathways <p>Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai Co-Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao</p>	7.00pm to 8.00pm	Online	National

Sunday 24 May	Dunedin (Launch) Lotu	Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618 Led by Rev Uale and includes the Samoan community and students at Otago	6.00pm to 7.30pm	Dunedin	Dunedin
	Samoan Language Week Launch	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz Mafutaga Faifeau Samoa I Ueligitone (Samoan Church Ministers Forum)	5.00pm to 7.00pm	Wellington	Wellington
Monday 25 May	In small bubbles/schools/homes. Final presentations online. This process will take place throughout the week.	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz Poems and Story writings (Solo ma Tusigatala): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Topics ('COVID-19 Pandemic'/Faama'i ole Kolona-19' & 'Prepare yourself a gift for your travels'/Manulauti; SLW Theme-2020 "Tapena sou oso mo lau malaga". Students will be constructing 'poems' and will write 'stories' using these two topics Students must write these in the Samoan language. They can do this in class with the teachers. They will be given a choice to do one at home with their family to share This will take the whole week to complete and will be videoed then presented on school and Auckland Primary Principals Association (APPA) websites.	9.00am to 2.00pm	Various locations	Auckland
	Talanoa – Top Scholars/Scholarship recipients Salome Wright, Pamata Toleafoa and Margaret Hakai Facilitator - Lemoa Henry Fesuluai https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8175247582 <i>Reflection from teachers and students, shared with Fotu o Malama.</i> <i>Example of Talanoa – resource and exemplar - Interaction Assessment use for Teachers</i>	Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz Talanoa session with past Samoan scholarship recipients about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Past experiences learning Samoan language and culture Benefits and challenges with studying Samoan at secondary school Current situation Application and benefits of learning Samoan language and culture. Links to career pathways and lifestyle Encouragement for students, teachers, peers, and communities Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai Co-Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National

Monday 25 May	General Language Vocabulary Sharing	Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618	Tbc	Dunedin	Dunedin
	Sharing Alagaupu/Proverb daily	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz	Tbc	Online	National
	Ava Ceremony	Bishop Viard College, Porirua	9.30am to 10.30am	Porirua	Porirua
	Victoria University/FAGASA Ueligitone	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz Soft launch of the Samoan Language Week <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service led by Rev Elder Asuelu Matau • Shared online through Samoan Capital Radio 	10.00am to 11.00am	Online	National
	Talanoa about certain aspects of the Gagana Samoa	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Led by Leausalilo Lupematasila Fata Auafa Dr Sadat Muaiava 	Online	Online	National
	TikTok challenge 'Lu'i le Tolu'	FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is fagasachristchurch@gmail.com	Tbc	Online	National
	Time-Lapse 'Kuka mea'ai Samoa' Cooking	FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is fagasachristchurch@gmail.com	Tbc	Online	National
	Gagana Samoan Dictionary	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz	Tbc	Online	National
	Bible readings in Gagana Samoa	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz	Tbc	Online	National
	Gagana Faitau/Gagana Tusitusi/Literacy Te Whariki, Tapasa	SAASIA - Contact email is admin@saasia.org <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kalaisitete - Ruta, May (Facebook) • Ueligitone - Sadie, Leautuli & Leilua (Facebook) 	Tbc	Online	National
Tuesday 26 May	In small bubbles/schools/homes. Final presentations online. This process will take place throughout the week.	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz Students will compose lyrics and songs to these 2 themes. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This will give them a chance to be creative and be constructive musically as part of Performing Art and Music. They can make up tunes, beats etc to make it more interesting and effective. 2. It will be videoed and presented on Friday on their school websites and APPA website 	9.00am to 2.00pm	Various locations	Regional

Tuesday 26 May	<p>Talanoa – current students, Reupena Kilipati (MC) Victoria Leota ma Taei Mauu Lealofi (SEHC), Taino Letalu, Salani Tanuvasa (TC)</p> <p>Facilitator, Lemoa Henry Fesuluai</p> <p>https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8175247582</p> <p><i>Student voice and reflections on the purpose of learning and importance of Samoan language</i></p>	<p>Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz</p> <p>Talanoa session with current Samoan students about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Experiences learning Samoan language and culture • Benefits and challenges with studying Samoan at secondary school • Current situation • Application and benefits of learning Samoan language and culture and links to career pathways and lifestyle <p>Encouragement for students, teachers, peers, and communities</p> <p>Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai Co-Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao</p>	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	<p>PLD – Creating content for Learning Samoan on EdPerfect Facilitator – Philippa Kruger</p>	<p>Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz Click here to register</p>	9.00pm to 10.00pm	Online	National
	Story telling of ancient narratives in the Samoan Language	Falefaaea Fagasa (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618	Tbc	Dunedin	Dunedin
	Sharing Alagaupu/Proverb daily	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuprimary.school.nz	Ongoing	Online	National
	Talanoa about certain aspects of the Gagana Samoa	<p>FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Led by Leausalilo Lupematasila Fata Auafa Dr Sadat Muaiava 	Online	Online	National
	<p>BLOG Guest blog for Te Papa</p>	<p>FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Led by Leausalilo Lupematasila Fata Auafa Dr Sadat Muaiava is doing a guest blog for Te Papa about the Samoan language and a VIC press release about his PhD for Samoa Language Week. 	Tbc	Tbc	Wellington
	Tik Tok challenge ‘Lu’i le Tolu’	<p>FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is - fagasachristchurch@gmail.com</p>	Tbc	Online	National
	Time-Lapse ‘Kuka mea’ai / Samoa’ Cooking	<p>FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is - fagasachristchurch@gmail.com</p>	Tbc	Online	National

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	Saienisi/Science Relationship Te Whariki, Tapasa	SAASIA - Contact email is admin@saasia.org • Aukilani - Lila, Sofaea, Irene (Facebook)	Tbc	Online	National
Wednesday 27 May	To be filmed and posted online via school websites	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz 1. Online bible verses presentation: Students must learn a short bible verse. Get Mum and Dad to choose a simple and favourite verse. Students must copy it beautifully to make it easy for them to read. They can practise at home and then bring it to school on Wednesday for their online presentation	9.00am to 2.00pm	Online	National
	Online class with students – Facilitator: Tipalelupe Lala Tuua https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8984652854 <i>Session recorded for resource. Opportunity for reflections and critique, for improvement by students, teachers, and community</i>	Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz An opportunity for students, teachers, parents, and community to see an online classroom and interaction Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao Co-Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	Children of the Community Speeches/Lauga sharing	Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618		Dunedin	Dunedin
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Wednesday 27 May	Bible readings in Gagana Samoa	FAGASA Ueligitone Contact email is sadat.muaiava@vuw.ac.nz	Tbc	Online	National
	‘Ava Talks’ Webinar	FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is - fagasachristchurch@gmail.com	6.00pm	Online	National
	Matematika/Numera/Numeracy Te Whariki, Tapasa	SAASIA - Contact email is admin@saasia.org <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Palmerston North – Tiana (Facebook) Napier - Gese (Facebook) 	Tbc	Online	National
Thursday 28 May	Arts and Painting Competition	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Tusiga-ata/ Visual Art competition; Get to draw a Samoan pattern/siapo using only two colours (brown and black) Presentations: Class vote for the best one. One Samoan proverbial expression shared online each day 	9.00am to 2.00pm	Online	National & Regional
	Talanoa about externals Facilitator: Lemoa https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8984652854 <i>Opportunity for teachers to share how their classes / schools are celebrating Samoan Language Week to post in Fotu o Malama Facebook page or shared via email, links, and social media</i>	Fotu o Malama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz Discussion to co-construct and share best practice for external exams <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Common challenges and issues around externals Develop key skills and resources Support teachers with strategies for teaching and learning Compare externals with R and L Assessments Look at data and results Explicit teaching of exam techniques Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	Explaining the significance and key terms associated with the Samoan Dance	Falefaaea Fagasa (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618		Dunedin	Dunedin
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	Tekonolosi/Technology Te Whariki, Tapasa	SAASIA - Contact email is admin@saasia.org <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aukilani - Lila, Sofaea, Irene (Facebook) 	Tbc	Online	National
Friday 29 May	Samoaan Anthem singing competition	FAGASA Aukilani - Contact email is semo.letufuga@otahuhuprimary.school.nz 1. Samoaan Anthem singing competition online; Videoed and upload online using school websites and APPA site 2. Close with a Lotu	Tbc	Online	National
	TikTok siva competition	FAGASA Kalaisitete Contact email is - fagasachristchurch@gmail.com TikTok siva and pese competition to be recorded and presented online	Ongoing	Online	National
	Workshop for Scholarship – Facilitators, Tauanu'u P Tapu-Sitaga & Muliagatele Vavao Fetui https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8984652854 <i>Opportunity for teachers to share how their classes / schools are celebrating Samoaan Language Week to post in Fotu o Malama Facebook page or shared via email, links, and social media</i>	Fotu o Målama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz Workshop to co-construct and develop materials and resources for Scholarship exam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understand requirements and any changes Develop texts for scholarship level Develop questions and answer templates Co-construct effective study techniques and monitoring student engagement Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao Co-Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	Cooking and Naming traditional Samoa dishes	Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618		Dunedin	Dunedin
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Saturday 30 May	Quiz day/night – Facilitators are Nafanuatele Lafitaga Mafaufau Peters and Linda Sime https://auckland.zoom.us/j/8984652854 <i>Opportunity for teachers to share how their classes / schools are celebrating Samoan Language Week to post in Fotu o Malama Facebook page or shared via email, links, and social media</i>	Fotu o Mālama Contact email is h.fesuluai@auckland.ac.nz <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engage in interactive and fun activities to support language learning Develop resources for online learning Host: Tofilau Niulevaea Siliva Gaugatao Co-Host: Lemoa Henry Fesuluai	5.00pm to 6.00pm	Online	National
	Concluding Samoa Language Week with a service and celebrating all participants	Falefaaea FAGASA (Otago) Phone 021 150 8618	6.00pm	Dunedin	Dunedin
Monday 1 June 2020	SAMOA INDEPENDENCE DAY				
June 2020	Samoan Speeches Regional Competition	All the FAGASA branches throughout Aotearoa	Tbc	Online	Regional
July 2020	Samoan Speeches National Competition	Hosted by FAGASA Christchurch	Tbc	Online	National
November 2020	Launch of online resources	SAASIA - Contact email is admin@saasia.org	Tbc	Online	National