

# The whenua we share

## Why this activity?

To connect tamariki - whanaungatanga, let's share about our wider worlds and find in-commons.

## What I need:

- 3 photos, drawings or paintings from each tamariki of their fave spaces and places in our kura or community.
- Ipads or paper, pens/pencils/crayons
- A sunny day!

Kaiako card 1



## What to do:

Ask tamariki to draw or photograph 3 things in te taiao that are meaningful to them - it might be the grass on the field they love to play on, the tree they climb, the school mara, Ranginui - whatever is meaningful.

Ask that they upload these to Seesaw, or create an artpiece, the idea is for tamariki to share their photos but more importantly share why these places or things are important for them.

## Kōrero and reflect:

Once tamariki share ask others to reflect on:

- What do they have in common with this person and these places?
- What do they know now about their peer that they didn't know before?
- Why is this important?

Tamariki don't necessarily need to offer anything from their reflections. Remind them of the places they share and how they're meaningful to them all.



## Whānau engagement

Email or fb post asking whanau to share with their tamariki their own special places, these ideas might inspire the tamariki!

## Once complete:

Display tamariki mahi or add to our classroom oranga and hauora spaces.