

Let's take our time

Kaiako card 2



Why this activity?

Shared experiences can be really connecting. They are the things we often revisit in our kōrero "remember when we..." - they are our shared memories.

Notes:



What to do:

Here's a few ideas:

- Head outside with some music. Ask tamariki to whakarongo as I call out some emotions. They kanikani while showing that specific emotion. Try - whakamā, hōhā, amazed, bored and disgusted to get the party started!
- Head outside and ask tamariki to share what they know about specific topics or they make something up (with a straight face). The others decide if it's fact or fiction. Topics - kiwi, our school history, Rāmere (Friday) the number whetu.
- Head outside and stand in a circle with a ball or wool of string. Ask tamariki to share their whakapapa and what they love doing. One ākonga starts by holding the ball of string as they kōrero. Then when another ākonga shares something they've said they say "Kō tāua tahi!" (Me too). The ball of string is then thrown or passed to them leaving a string line between the pair. They then share. Continue until everyone has shared and the string has created a connected web between us all.

Kōrero and reflect

Include as part of the end of day warm-down:

- What will you remember from today that was fun?
- What's helped you connect with your friends and peers today?

Engaging whānau:

Send an email or fb post asking them to share their memories or memories with their tamariki.