Inclusive Education



Know your learner to plan effective teaching and learning

A suggestion for implementing the strategy 'Value what each student brings ' from the Guide: Inclusive classroom culture

Includes:

Design flexible learning environments Engage students' interests Understand students' specific needs Seek to understand your students culture Useful resources

Design flexible learning environments

Brooke Houghton from Onslow College describes how she designs flexible learning environments.



Video hosted on Vimeo http://vimeo.com/100662339 Closed Captions

Source: Ministry of Education, inclusive education videos (NZ) https://vimeo.com/showcase/2950799

Engage students' interests

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Source: Linda Ojala https://vln.school.nz/discussion/view/824762

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Understand students' specific needs

Primary teacher Linda Ojala describes how she builds specific supports and choices for students with dyslexia into her planning.



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Seek to understand your students culture

Russell Bishop talks about incorporating culturally responsive pedagogy.



Video hosted on Vimeo http://vimeo.com/111160942

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Source: Te Kotahitanga (NZ) https://tekotahitanga.tki.org.nz/Videos/Interviews/Changing-Maori-educationalexperiences

Useful resources



Sharing a mihi

Video story of students developing and sharing their mihimihi.

Publisher: Enabling E-Learning

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Tātaiako: Cultural competencies for teachers of ākonga Māori

Read time: 29 min

Tātaiako is a starting point for schools and early childhood education (ECE) services developing cultural competence.

Publisher: Teaching Council of Aotearoa New Zealand

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Putting student relationships first

Read time: 5 min

This section on New Zealand curriculum online offers strategies for developing positive student/teacher relationships. It provides school stories and resources.

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