

# Is my child welcome?

I like how everyone treats me like a whānau member, like I am their sister, how they respect and support me, it feels like when I am walking out of my own house, I am coming home again... Every other school in NZ should be like this school and allow their students to feel comfortable and supported in their own culture and skin.”

(Rangatahi Māori, Ōtara)

**Source:**

[Kōrero Mātauranga: he aha tā mātau i rongō ai? \(Ministry of Education 2020\)](#)

<https://conversation.education.govt.nz/assets/MAORI-EDUCATION/2020-07-14-Korero-Matauranga-Summary-REPORT-FINAL-2020.pdf>

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