

Value whānau and community expertise and networks

A suggestion for implementing the strategy
'Build community networks' from the Guide:
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Connect with community groups



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[Kāpō Māori Aotearoa New Zealand Inc.](#)

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Connect parents with each other

Parent, Sharon Beattie shares her knowledge and experiences of what helped her to support her son with low vision in his learning.



Video hosted on Youtube http://youtu.be/41ZZ3_3pXIU

Closed Captions

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Useful resources



Awahi Nga Matua

This site offers support for parents and caregivers who may be caring for tamariki who live with diverse needs.

Publisher: Awahi Ngā Mātua

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Parent to parent

Parent to parent offers insights and helpful advice to parents and caregivers about navigating their rights and advocacy when journeying through the education system.

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Working as a community

The relationships between whanaungatanga, manaakitanga, kotahitanga, and rangatiratanga school culture to build school and community culture are explained. Networks of support that can be accessed are identified on this page.

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