Show everyone they belong here

An inclusive learning community values diversity and helps everyone feel that they belong.



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Many ways of knowing, being and doing

- Diversity is rich.
- Adults show children and young people what caring and respect look like.
- A learning community changes every time a new person joins or someone leaves.
 - We walk the learning journey together.



Seeing our own mob makes us feel safe:

- People—family, community mentors, employees, volunteers and special visitors.
 - Books-story, pictures, history.
 - Photos-family, mob, icons, country.
- Artwork & Objects—significant to this community, this land, broader community.

Many ways of doing

- Have a safe person to introduce new peoplechildren, young people and adults.
- Acknowledge that everyone's identity is part of this community.
- Develop a strong relationship with families and community mentors.
 - Recognise the input of local people-budget to pay or give a gift for their time.

Connecting to Community

- Connect diverse community knowledge with planning for children and young people.
 - Reflect staff culture, knowledge, interests and experiences in the environment.
 - Communicate in a variety of ways over time.
 - Respect the level of connectedness individual families want with the learning community.

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