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Timeframe
1-2 lessons

Years
4-10

Format
Individual
or groups

Cards

My places

My languages

My time

My events

My people

My identity

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Tōku whānau tino motuhake My unique whānau

Explore your unique whānau.

Using the Oho Idea cards and the My unique whānau activity sheet, explore the things that make your whānau unique.

The image shows a collection of Oho Idea cards and an activity sheet. The activity sheet is titled '9 Tōku whānau tino motuhake My unique whānau' and includes the instruction 'Choose six aspects of your whānau culture that are important to you.' Below this are eight cards, each with a question and a space for a drawing and a name.

- Card 1:** Question: 'How are the places that matter to you represented?' Topic: 'roto lake' (lake). Drawing: A green lake with trees.
- Card 2:** Question: 'What are the important languages of your whānau?' Topic: 'kanikani' (dance). Drawing: Pink circles.
- Card 3:** Question: 'What is a significant time in history for your whānau?' Topic: 'kōrero' (speech). Drawing: Pink circles.
- Card 4:** Question: 'What is a significant time in history for your whānau?' Topic: 'i ngā wā katoa' (always). Drawing: Pink circles.
- Card 5:** Question: 'How does your whānau celebrate?' Topic: 'hui ahurei' (festivals). Drawing: Yellow circles.
- Card 6:** Question: 'Who has been significant to your whānau?' Topic: 'matua' (parent). Drawing: Blue circles.
- Card 7:** Question: 'Who has been significant to your whānau?' Topic: 'kaumātua' (elder). Drawing: Blue circles.
- Card 8:** Question: 'What are your whānau values or beliefs?' Topic: 'kai' (food). Drawing: Blue circles.

The Oho logo is visible at the bottom left of the activity sheet.

Ways to use the resource

- Use blank **Oho cards** to record new ideas that are not in the pack.
- Capture outputs in a format of your choice.

Discuss & compare

- Explore the different perspectives and ideas around whānau culture. Then, discuss and compare your findings with the group or classroom.

Next steps

- Explore other aspects of whānau and identity with activities such as **My place in time**, **My people of inspiration**, **I inspire**, **My whānau in my place of learning**, and **My culture in my place of learning**.

What you will need

My places, My languages, My time, My events, My people and My identity cards.

<p>maunga mountain</p> <p>Ōku wahi My places</p>	<p>kōrero speech</p> <p>Ōku reo My languages</p>	<p>i ngā wā katoa always</p> <p>Tōku wā My time</p>
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<p>ngā rā whānau birthdays</p> <p>Ōku tauhanga My events</p>	<p>matua parent</p> <p>Tōku iwi My people</p>	<p>waiaro attitude</p> <p>Tōku taakiri My identity</p>
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My unique whānau activity sheet:
One per person or group

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Tōku whānau
tino motuhake
My unique
whānau

9. Whānau: He aha te mea nui o te whānau? He iwi, he tangata, he wāhi, he wā. He aha te mea nui o te tangata? He whānau.

<p>How are the places that matter to you remembered?</p>	<p>What are the important languages of your whānau?</p>	<p>What is a significant time in history for your whānau?</p>
<p>How does your whānau celebrate?</p>	<p>Who has been significant to your whānau?</p>	<p>What are your whānau values or beliefs?</p>

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Activity

1. Prepare cards

Add or remove **Oho Idea cards** to suit the context of your classroom.

2. Prepare activity sheets

Print or photocopy one **My unique whānau activity sheet** for each person or group.

Using the **Oho Idea cards** and the **My unique whānau** activity sheet, explore the things that make your whānau unique.

Place cards on the activity sheet. Discuss why you made each selection. We suggest introducing the card types, one set at a time, as you work through the steps.

1. Place

Select a **My places card** to represent a significant place to your whānau.

2. Language

Select a **My languages card** to represent an important language of your whānau.

3. Time

Select a **My time card** to represent a time in history that was significant for your whānau.

4. Event

Select a **My events card** to represent how you celebrate, express joy or share special occasions.

5. People

Select a **My people card** to represent a person or people that have been significant to your whānau.

6. Identity

Select a **My identity card** to represent a value or belief that guides or is important to your whānau.