



Ideas for exploring



Activity: Tuhi korero whakaniko – Creative writing using three different styles

Objectives:

- 1) Increase familiarity with *Whakatipu* content
- 2) Model creative approaches to elicit thoughts, feelings, view and opinions

Any topics could form the basis for these creative modules e.g. Comparing discipline and punishment, different parenting styles,

Process: Model three styles of creative writing

1. Use the **turn taking two person** poem writing activity *Te Kākano* p11
2. **Haiku** – A traditional Japanese form of poetry. Each poem has three lines.
 - Line 1 has 5 syllables
 - Line 2 has 7 syllables
 - Line 3 has 5 syllables
3. **Senses Poem** – relate emotions/feelings/topics to our five senses: Taste/ Smell/ Look/ Sound/ Feel – Use some positive and negative topics
Brainstorming some words first might help participants with process

Extension: Whiteboard examples for clarity

Options: Individual, pairs or trios

Resources used:

Sets of Whakatipu booklets
Pens, paper, post-it notes (work well for poem – one word per square)
Chart paper + markers