

We've started talking about our whakapapa and we like to show pēpi whānau photos and talk about who's who.

When pēpi makes a new sound we copy it, so they're keen to try again and again. We make learning to talk and listen into a fun game.

We make sure pēpi has lots of different things to explore that are safe – interesting textures but nothing that could hurt them.

We love playing with our pēpi and it helps pēpi learn about trust. We also repeat games often which strengthens brain connections for their learning.

We want to make sure our pēpi has good hearing so we play games to help them tune in to different sounds coming from different places.

We talk to pepi about the things around us, what we're doing, and what's happening when we are doing things together.

