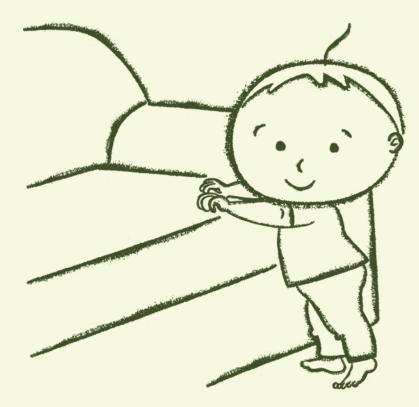


We notice how pēpi is feeling and try to respond positively to their needs. Distracting them works if we're quick with it.

We try to name everything pēpi sees because they understand lots more kupu than they can say.

We have started to give pēpi finger foods. Pēpi loves the chance to eat without our help.

Pēpi likes to practise new motor skills over and over again.





We make sure there are sturdy and safe surfaces for pēpi to use to pull themself up to stand, and we help them walk or 'cruise' along them.

We are keeping a close eye on pēpi and the possible dangers in and around our kāinga. Life is full on!



We know that positive experiences will become happy memories for pēpi, and the experiences pēpi has are building new connections in their brain.