Please remember to: Kia maumahara ki enei:

- Enrol on your child's first session.
- Sign in at the beginning of every session (this helps secure funding and for health and safety).
- Help set up and pack down all play areas.
- Help clean up the toys at the end of the session.
- Make a note of learning outcomes.
- Volunteer on occasion to help organise an activity, implement an idea, or assist with session opening or playgroup admin.

Keep our tamariki safe Kia haumaru ngā tamariki

We encourage positive behaviour guidance whilst at playgroup. For example:

- Praise good behaviour
- Supervise your tamariki and be ready to step in before problems arise
- Help tamariki resolve conflict positively or redirect them to a more acceptable activity if necessary
- Help tamariki express their feelings verbally
- No smacking is permitted.

Health and Safety Hauora - Haumaru

If your child has health issues (i.e. allergies, asthma), please let other parents and caregivers know. If they, or you, are sick - especially with a contagious illness - **please stay home**.

- He wāhi auahi kore tenei; smoking and vaping are not permitted at the venue. If you choose to smoke/vape, please do so off-site, well away from the tamariki.
- Parents, caregivers and whānau who appear to be under the influence of drugs/alcohol will be asked to leave immediately. All practicable steps are taken to prevent exposure to inappropriate material (i.e. of an explicitly sexual or violent nature).
- If you notice a safety hazard (e.g. broken chair, nail sticking out, broken window, etc) please inform a group leader so we can sort it out.





Te Taonga o Taku Ngākau PLAYGROUP

- an overview



What are our goals? He aha ā tātou whāinga?

We want to connect with our community and give tamariki and their whānau a safe space to learn and build relationships through laughter and play.

All play resources are provided and set up for a fun morning.

Funding Pūtea

We are funded by Whānau Āwhina Plunket and the Ministry of Education. The funding contributes to the cost of running of our facilities, the purchase of resources, toys and equipment, and playgroup outings.

We also do fundraising as part of the Plunket Playgroup and this contributes to the above or any special projects or outings.



Who is the group for? Mā wai tenei rōpu?

This group is for all whānau members of our tamariki – bring your kuia, your koro or aunty; anyone who loves and supports your little ones.

Tamariki need to be non-school enrolled under 5's.

Adults must stay and accompany their tamariki for our sessions. Participation and involvement by adults is encouraged and valuable.

Who runs the group? Ko wai te kaiārahi?

Our playgroup is led by you and the tamariki. Our amazing coordinator Nicole helps guide the playgroup and sets up activities and fun.

Do you have ideas or suggestions for activities?

Just let Nicole know!

No Fees

This is a **free** playgroup, but a koha or donation is always welcome.

Tiritahi kai

Come along for tea, coffee and snacks for all!

Get involved!

We are the sum of our parts and would love to have you participate in and contribute to our playgroup!

Contact Us!

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Keep in touch on our private Facebook group – just ask and we can invite you.