



# Kaeo School at Home

Kia ora all,

Lights, camera, action! This week is all about creating and presenting your own play. All of these activities are aimed at helping you to create and present your own mini play. When your finished you could even video your masterpiece and post it on our Facebook page, how fun! If you get stuck writing your play there are lots of videos on YouTube that can help, just remember to type in the magic words "for kids" after you have entered what you are looking for.

*Example: How to create simple play props for kids*

Thanks and enjoy your play making!

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## Reading Fun and Games

Visit the link below and read about the features of a play. Answer these questions below to improve your understanding. <https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/1md8LE92uQYtQkeHV7F-AyzpL7Tnj5Uxm/edit?usp=sharing&oid=104793971055158425910&rtpof=true&sd=true>

\* Why does a play have the list of characters at the start? Why might this be helpful? \*Do you use speech marks in a play? \*What does a scene mean? Give me an example. \*What do the words in brackets or a different colour mean?



## Brain Teaser

*Show your working step by step as you solve this problem*

Imagine your play is going to be put on in a large hall. The hall can seat 420 people! \*How many people would you have on each side? \*How many audience members were men? \*How many were women? \*How many were children? \*If 25 people had to leave early how many people would be left?

*Note you don't have to split this number evenly.*



## Spring writing

Write your own play! Think of how many people in your bubble you can get to be in your play, this will be how many characters you can have in your play. If it's just you acting you will only want to have 1 or two characters that you can swap between.

If your stuck trying to write or edit your play you can always visit YouTube.



## Spelling

Create a brainstorm of each one of your characters from your play. Draw a picture of your character then write about their personality, appearance, where they live, what they are scared of ect. Try to use big and interesting words! Then get an adult to check your spelling. The words you have spelt incorrectly will be your spelling words.



## Investigation

Practice, prepare and present your play. Ensure your play meets the goals below. When it does preform it to family and friends! You could do this through, skype, zoom or record it and send it to family members. If you have neighbours close by you could invite them to watch from over the fence!

\* You are using expression. \*The actors can remember their lines. \*You have costumes for your characters \*You have made some props for your play. \*You have spell checked your play. \* Your play is interesting and makes sense.