

ASSEMBLY AT SCHOOL – TE HUIHUINGA NUI O TE KURA

A Story for Understanding

Lots of schools have assemblies.

Ka whakatū ngā kura maha i ngā huihuinga nui.

An assembly is when most of the children in the school sit together in one room.

Ko te huihunga nui, he wā ka noho tahi ngā tamariki o te kura ki tētahi rūma nui.

Sometimes the children sing songs.

I ētahi wā, ka waiata ngā tamariki.

Sometimes a class might do a performance.

I ētahi wā, ka whakaari tētahi akomanga.

Sometimes children are congratulated for doing something well.

I ētahi wā, ka whakamihia ngā tamariki mō ā rātou mahi pai.

If children are not performing or singing together, the teachers want all the children to sit quietly.

Ko ngā tamariki kāore i roto i ngā rōpū e waiata ana, e whakaari ana rānei, ko tā rātou mahi kē, ko te noho tau.

This is so everyone can hear what is happening.

Ka tau te noho, kia rongō ai te katoa.