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We are an early childhood centre located in a **culturally diverse community** where many families speak languages other than English at home. The educators in our centre have a deep understanding of the community's **cultural and linguistic diversity** and recognise that families **may need additional support** in navigating the early childhood education system.

To support families' parenting and wellbeing needs, educators provide translated materials, such as brochures and information sheets, in the families' home languages. We also use our multilingual educators or interpreters to facilitate communication with families who have limited English.

We hold workshops or information sessions for families on topics such as positive parenting practices, child development, and early learning, in a culturally sensitive and appropriate manner. We invite guest speakers or community leaders who share the families' cultural backgrounds to facilitate these workshops and help establish a sense of cultural connection and belonging.

**Your example. Select a point from above and break it down into the subsections.**

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*...and describe how this has helped support families' parenting and wellbeing needs. (Remember, you must show how the families or **community** contribution has made a change)*

### **Week 12, 1 to 5 May 2023 – 6.1.3 Families are supported**