

**I always keep
a picture of
them in my
heart**



Me and my kids have a special bond



**I haven't seen my
daughter for over
12 years and it'll
be hard to even
find where she is,
but I'll try**



**I like being involved with
my kids' school activities**

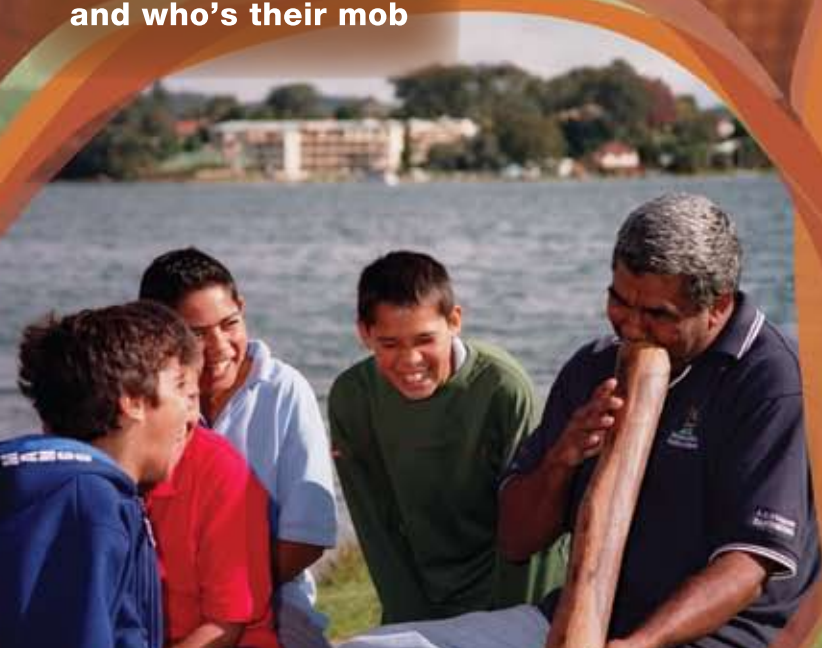
CONNECT

**BE INVOLVED FROM THE START AND ALL THE WAY
THROUGH – MISTAKES MAY HAPPEN BUT KEEP IN
TOUCH WITH THE KIDS, FAMILY AND COMMUNITY AND
LET YOUR KIDS KNOW YOU ARE THERE FOR THEM**

**He lives with his
Mum, so I call him
every week and
when he visits we
always see family**

**If I knew who my Dad is and
where he is, I'd feel better**

**I like my kids to
know where I'm from
and who's their mob**



**When I'm on the road I ring up
the kids from the roadhouse
to see how they are going**



I love him even more
because he always tells
me the bad things
as well as the good

I teach my boys all the
Blackfella dances

I feel good
about who I am
and where
I am from and
I want my kids
to feel the same



I would change nothing –
I'm proud of what I've done
and what they have got out
of life, I'm proud I had them

BE PROUD

RESPECT AND BE PROUD OF YOURSELF, YOUR CULTURE,
YOUR KIDS, AND LET YOUR KIDS BE PROUD OF YOU

You feel proud when they win races, when their school
marks pick up, when they do something nice, look nice,
are well mannered or share things with others



Sometimes when the kids
get older you're just not
proud of some things they
do, but you still love them



Being a Dad makes me proud and seeing my kids with all their own kids