

Sustainability - Jenny Jackson and Nicky Ryan

[Jenny's blog](#)

The Whitestone LCN will facilitate a collaborative discussion around maintaining the momentum to drive a network forward while ensuring energised engagement by all involved. They will share some heartfelt experiences around learner, staff and whanau agency that contribute to sustaining future focussed growth, achievement and innovation.

Whitestone LCN - How can we present through the eyes of the network rather than individual schools ?

<http://whitestone5.blogspot.co.nz/>

- experiences around learner, staff and whanau agency that contribute to sustaining future focussed growth, achievement and innovation.

Begin with our prezi and focus on agency in particular.

<https://prezi.com/nmfgwhilz9mx/whitestone-lcn-north-otago/#>

The collage consists of four Prezi slides arranged in a 2x2 grid, all featuring a blue circular background with white lines.

- Top Left Slide:** Titled "Whanau Engagement", "Student Agency", and "Transitions" in white text on dark blue rectangular boxes.
- Top Right Slide:** Titled "Engaging parents in learning". It features two photographs: one of a family interacting with a child, and another of a group of people in a meeting. Below the photos is a quote: "My child has an enthusiasm for learning and an increased ability to concentrate. The transparency of information about what is happening during the day is allowing informed conversations at home. I feel that I can really support my child's learning." and "Parent surveyed March 2015".
- Bottom Left Slide:** Titled "Communication with parents". It displays a collage of various digital communication tools and platforms, including "Knowledge Net", "Google Docs", "Newsletters", "Newsblogs", "Facebook", and "E-mails".
- Bottom Right Slide:** Titled "Student Agency". It features a photograph of a group of students sitting around a table, and a diagram showing three stylized human figures (blue, yellow, and red) connected by lines, representing a network or collaborative structure.



Our student's presentations to SKC staff and our work with parents and families.
 Prioritise: Space and time to implement innovations.
 FAIL.

- **Facilitate a collaborative discussion**

Flip it here. Break up and invite others to contribute examples around agency and sustainability in light of government contract coming to an end

- **Drive a network forward while ensuring energised engagement by all**

Active leadership is vital. Time for leaders to step back and observe and reflect. Timetabled regular meetings to plan strategic direction. Relationships of trust.

Self-belief that we can do it ourselves...why not drive our own termly regional days based on LCN model ?

The screenshot shows a blog post titled "Future directions" from the website "whitestone5.blogspot.co.nz". The main heading is "Whitestone Learning and Change Network". Below this, there is a sub-heading "Learning and Change Networks" with a logo. The text of the post discusses the network's mission and recent reflections. A date stamp "Monday, 11 May 2015" is visible. The bottom left corner of the screenshot shows the letters "zi".