

## PRT1 Meeting, Wednesday 3 June 2015, E11

Present:

CNL, CNG, DFN, MRY, UQT, WTS, WON, AST, SME, PPE, TOD, WTN, JTN, SEO, TMR, MKN

Apologies: SPN

1. Clip from Dylan William about Hinge Point questions.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_zh\\_Pdra6WA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_zh_Pdra6WA)

2. Sharing in pairs their experience with formative assessment or 'checking understanding' activities
3. Feedback to group
  - Thumbs up and down
  - Previous lessons knowledge
  - Half way thumbs up
  - Numbers of fingers 1 not quite
  - Misconceptions eg in Physics
  - Think Pair share 1 2 4
  - Tennis ball (depends on class)
  - Closed responses
  - Think Pair share
  - In Drama a practical part of the feedback is the formative assessment
4. PPE handed out a document that invited the PRTs to choose one that they can use over the next two weeks.
5. Feedback on the Treaty session from last time. The principles were a way to take the ideas of the Treaties in 1840 and interpret their applicability to the 20<sup>th</sup> and then 21<sup>st</sup> centuries. They take the 'essence' of the Treaty and apply it to a working relationship between Maori and non Maori. It recognises the special place that Maori have in NZ.

Some of the principles

- the treaty 'signified a **partnership** between Pakeha and Maori requiring each other to act towards the other reasonably and with the utmost good faith'<sup>2</sup>
- active Crown **protection of Māori interests** – the duty of the Crown was not just passive but extended to active protection of Māori people in the use of their lands and waters 'to the fullest extent practicable'<sup>3</sup>
- the Crown should **remedy past grievances** – 'If the Waitangi Tribunal finds merit in a claim and recommends redress, the Crown should grant at least some form of redress,
- the Crown has the **right to govern** – the principles of the treaty 'do not authorise unreasonable restrictions on the right of a duly elected government to follow its chosen policy

<http://www.teara.govt.nz/en/principles-of-the-treaty-of-waitangi-nga-matapono-o-te-tiriti/page-1>