



A free community event essential for anyone interested in the development of New Zealand children

# Growing Up in New Zealand: Now We Are Two

**Tuesday 4 August 2015 | 4.30 - 5.30pm**

## **Kia ora, Talofa lava, Malo e lelei, Kia orana, Bula Vinaka, Warm Greetings**

Associate Professor Susan Morton (the University of Auckland) will speak about this country's largest and most comprehensive longitudinal study, tracking nearly 7000 children born in 2009 and 2010 until they reach adulthood.

Susan's talk will describe how these children, who represent the diversity of NZ pre-schoolers, are developing throughout their critical first 1000 days of life. Explore how we might define vulnerability in early childhood and how evidence can support the development of strategies to enable all NZ children to achieve their full potential.



**Associate Professor Morton** is the Director of the Centre for Longitudinal Research at the University of Auckland and a Public Health Physician.

## **VENUE:**

**Manukau Institute of Technology, Manukau Lecture Theatre, Level 2**

**Manukau Institute of Technology Manukau Campus (above Manukau train station)**

**Corner of Manukau Station Road and Davies Avenue, Manukau**

**Parking is pay and display for public at \$4 per day or \$1 per hour.**

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