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People and Water field trip newsletter 3 for teachers

Kia ora koutou [Shelley](#) [2] here,

It is great to have you on board for the *People and Water* field trip to Wellington. The [ambassadors](#) [3] and I are all set to go. See [previous newsletters](#) [4] from this field trip.

Make sure students have the field trip link <http://www.learnz.org.nz/water172> [5]

1. Key dates and times

- **Monday 22 May** - check devices, field trip web site and access to Adobe Connect.
- **Tuesday 23 May** - Virtual Field Trip to Wellington gets under way. First [web conference](#) [6] at 9.15am on Tuesday.
- **Tuesday 23 May** - Read Shelley's first [diary](#) [7] and look at the images.
- **Wednesday 24 May** - first videos online from day 1 of the *People and Water* field trip.
- **Friday 23 June** at 4pm. Teachers submitting [evaluations](#) [8] by this time and day are eligible for the prize draw.

2. Web Conferences and Adobe Connect

Check [web conferences](#) [6] which features the timetable, questions, and recordings.

- To access the [LEARNZ Adobe Connect meeting room](#) [9]:
 1. Go to <http://connect.vln.school.nz/learnz> [10]
 2. Click Enter as guest
 3. Type your school or class name (no password needed)
 4. Click Enter Room
 5. Introduce yourself and say where you are from.
 6. Note: Some teachers allow students direct access to the live web conference because their students know how to stay on task in the chat area. Other teachers access the web conference themselves then show it on a data projector and use a shared document to gather extra questions.
- While the formal questions from booked schools are answered, the [LEARNZ Adobe Connect meeting room](#) [9] will include related visuals and summaries of answers.

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- After the formal web conference session there are opportunities for students listening to the web conference to post extra questions.
- Web conference summaries can be emailed to shelley.hersey@core-ed.org [11].
- Find out more about LEARNZ on [LEARNZ on Adobe Connect](#) [12] in [LEARNZ support](#) [13].

3. Activities

- Get the students primed and ready to learn by doing the [activities](#) [14] for this People and Water site.
- Take a look at the planning sequence in the [Resources](#) [15] section - good for helping you keep your class on track during the field trip.
- With the class username and password that you set up for them on [MyLEARNZ](#) [16], students can access the web conferences and share their learning at home with family - [more](#) [17].

4. Twitter updates

Follow me [@ShelleyHersey](#) [18] #learnztrip on Twitter during the field trip for highlights as they happen. Get involved and I'll catch you in the Twittersphere!

5. Videos

- During the field trip, [videos](#) [19] with captions are uploaded to the website each morning.
- The first videos (from the first day of the People and Water field trip) will be online on the morning of Wednesday 24 May.

See you all soon,

Shelley
LEARNZ Field Trip Teacher

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