

Web activity 7(5) Time to reflect

- a) Review your feelings about your pastoral responsibilities as a teacher. Take time to consider:
- all your experiences in schools
 - your wider reading discussions with your peers and tutors
 - activities you have completed
 - other conversations about teaching with friends or family who are not involved in education.
- b) Do you still feel the same about your pastoral responsibilities as when you started your professional development? If you have changed (and it would be surprising if you have not changed in some aspects), try to identify any significant changes in the way you now relate to your students and colleagues.
- c) Draw cartoon or stick pictures of yourself entitled *Then* (pre-training) and *Now* (post-experience or post-training). Share these with another beginning teacher. Make a shared drawing of an *Ideal teacher* and identify any traits or behaviours that you might each still aspire to develop.