Exemplar for internal assessment resource Education for Sustainability for Achievement Standard 90813

Extract of student evidence

Student 6: High Not Achieved

... What I value is education and the reason I value education is that the associated behaviours have a connection with its sustainable future. People that are well educated can start on being future doctors and teachers who can earn more money for themselves and run schools and hospitals...

Organic Farmers value safety. Sprays can harm them by contact on their skin and by inhaling the poisons. Spraying without adequate protection can cause illness for the workers and for the consumers. If a worker is pregnant or could get pregnant then the sprays could harm the baby. Sprays also kill the insects and birds that are a part of the nature ecosystem.

Organic produce is a connection of the sustainable future. Even though the fruits and vegetables cost more because people are prepared to pay more for safety. If the consumers are prepared to pay more, then the organic farmers can become wealthier...