

Student 3: Low Merit

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*Student Statement:*

*I decided to use Ngatai as my artist model and use Kowhaiwhai to construct a family tree type structure. Each branch represents a person in my family. I thought it would be a good idea of representing each member by selecting their interests. Each stylised koru has a symbol on it. From the bottom left clockwise I start with my dad. The black bird is to reflect both a bird and the sun. He is like a bird that hovers over us and keeps watch and the sun features on our national flag (Philippines). The second branch is me – it resembles a lollipop and shows the idea of youth and playfulness. The third one is a child's building block representing my younger brother. The fourth is my middle brother who is keen on basketball and the final is my mother who is represented by the moon. I chose the moon to show the opposite to my father.*

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