

Sina and Pat



Things were going okay when Sina and Pat found out that Sina was pregnant. While this wasn't planned, they are both very excited about having a baby. However, they don't know how they will survive on just Pat's low income.

"Talking to others in our MoneyMates group really helped. They suggested we check out some of the stuff going on in our community thanks to **The Generator**. At one of the sessions I took along some food I had made. Some of them had been thinking about starting businesses and asked if I had thought of selling it at the new farmers market".



"I've had my baby now, but thanks to all the things going on in our community, we are doing okay. I've been using the koha shed to get clothes for my baby, and a vege box coop so we can eat well. Our MoneyMates group worked with our **community generator**, and we organised for a pop-up business school before baby was born. I have now set up a Saturday stall at the local farmers market. Even though I can't work, we have some money coming in.

