Virtual Community Supports Map

STRATEGY: Belonging is more than just a school and a place. Schools are anchors in a broader community, in-person or not. Use Google Maps to create 'pins' of resources throughout your local community, from public gardens to food banks to libraries. Recreate this activity with students by having them draw or paint their own community maps (or use a device to create a digital map).

Instructions:

- 1. Open <u>Google Maps</u>. Click on the three horizontal lines in the upper right-hand corner of the screen to access your "*Menu*". Then, click on "*Your Places*" on the new drop-down list. Click on the "*SAVED*" list.
- 2. Click on the + symbol at the bottom of the screen and enter a name and description for your new list.
- 3. To save a place to your list, search for that place, click on it, and click "Save."
- 4. To share your list, go back to your "*SAVED*" list (under "*Your Places*"). Next to the list you want to share, click on the three vertical dots and select "*Share list*."

Suggestions:

 Recreate this activity with students by having them draw or paint their own community maps, or use a device to create a digital map on Google.

