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CHILDREN'S TRAIL

Thom Roberts has painted architect Farhad Haidari, who is framed beneath three-dimensional skyscrapers made of wood.

Notice how the colours in the portrait also appear on the skyscrapers to create an overall harmony.

The artwork's title refers to a tall new building that Farhad (whom Thom calls Bert) might build in the future. What could it look like?

TOWERING TALL



Draw your idea for a new skyscraper here.

The Art Gallery of New South Wales acknowledges the Gadigal of the Eora Nation, the traditional custodians of the Country on which it stands.

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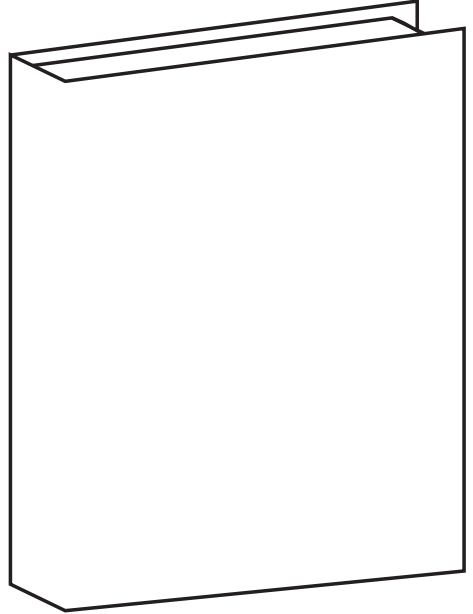


Katherine Hattam met writer Drusilla Modjeska in her home to prepare this collaged artwork while they shared a meal.

A relaxed-looking Drusilla is surrounded by words, which include some of her book titles and the ideas the two women discussed.

At home, invent and illustrate a story about the two birds in the artwork's title.

Design a book cover using the name of this portrait, *The nightingale and the kookaburra*, as the title.



WORDS & IDEAS

STITCHED & PAINTED

Julia Gutman has combined paint, embroidery and found textiles to create a portrait of her friend, the singer Montaigne.

Look closely at the artwork and notice the stitched detail on Montaigne's face. How many different types of clothing can you recognise? Can you spot stitching in other parts of the portrait?



What do you think Montaigne is looking at? Draw your idea here.

At home, repurpose some old clothes to create a stitched and collaged portrait of yourself or a friend.

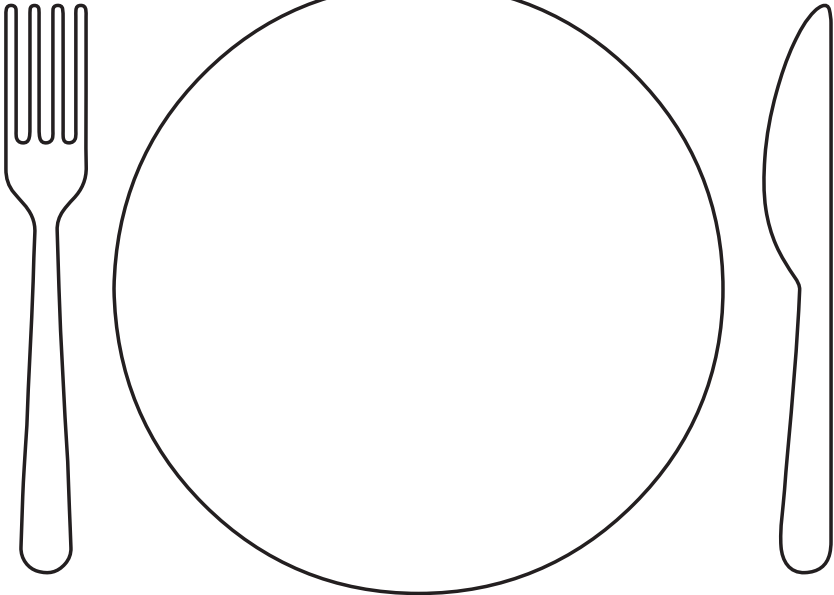
Kaylene Whiskey has painted herself making soup. She is surrounded by superheroes, decorative objects and food items.

Look closely and list the ingredients you think Kaylene uses to make her famous soup.

Do you have a favourite superhero? What would you like to cook for them?



Draw a meal fit for a superhero.



SUPER SOUP

At home, experiment with different ingredients and recipes and make soup for your family to share.

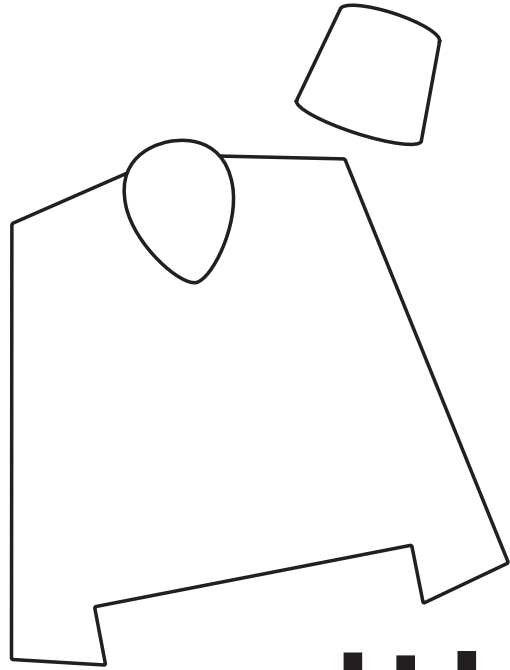


Randall Sinnamon has painted Egyptian–Australian musician and composer Joseph Tawadros playing his oud.

Surrounded by bold patterns and shapes, Joseph wears a fez (a type of hat) and colourful clothes. What creatures can you see on his shirt?

At home, search for video clips of Joseph Tawadros performing and notice his colourful costumes.

Design a patterned outfit for Joseph to wear for his next performance.



**VIRTUOSO
PERFORMANCE**

In this painting, William Mackinnon portrays his friend and fellow artist Richard Lewer in his studio surrounded by art materials.

Notice the paint tubes lined up on the table. Look at the drips and splashes on the floor and on Richard's shorts.



At home, experiment with different textures and marks and have fun with paint.

*William Mackinnon Rich Lewer,
friend and rival in sport and art © the artist*

Create a portrait of a friend for the Archibald, including some objects special to them.

IN THE STUDIO

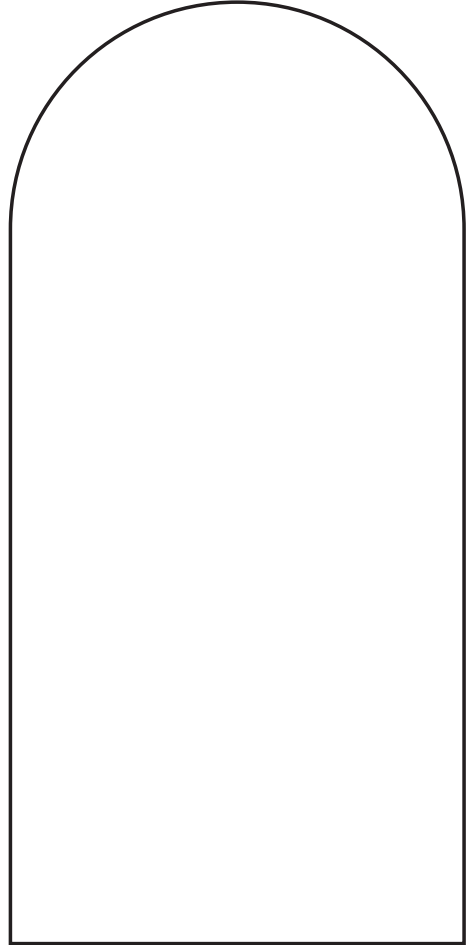
CLOSE FAMILY

Marikit Santiago has painted herself with her three children, wearing traditional Filipino embroidered clothing. Marikit invites her children to draw and paint on her artworks.

Can you name the different animals the children are holding? Can you see any other animals in the painting?



Draw the animals you would include in a family portrait.



At home, get everyone in your family to create an artwork together.