I LEVEL Reflections Gallery

Gallery Area: Distance, Movement and Change

Section: Vast and Challenging Land

Families in the past often had to wait a very long time to receive the items they needed.

How long did it take for this clock to reach Everett O'Brian in Marble Bar in 1933?



What's the longest you've had to wait for something?

Gallery Area: Power, Support and Care

Section: On the Homefront

During wartime, there was a shortage of lots of materials and items, so toys were made from whatever was available. This train is made from wood cut-offs and metal scraps. What is the same about this toy and your toys at home?



What is different?

Gallery Area: Create, Escape, Unwind

Section: This Sporting Life

This gymnastics leotard and slippers were worn by Val Norris at the 1968 Mexico Olympic Games.

What are three different sports you can see represented in this gallery?

1.

2.

3.

How do you like to stay active and healthy?

Gallery Challenge

Can you find the old video games? Play with a friend and test out your skills! Which game is your favourite?



E LEVEL Wild Life Gallery

Gallery Area: Between Two Worlds

Section: Frog Zone

Find the model of the turtle frog. What is special about this frog?

Frog songs change with the seasons. What frog might you expect to hear in: Birak:

Djiran:

Mookaroo:

Kambarang:

Gallery Area: City Life Section: Urban Hotspot

Perth sits within a biodiversity hotspot, which means it has one of the highest diversities of unique species in the world.

What are three plants or animals in this mural that you have seen before?

1.

2.

3.

Find the cat hiding in this mural. Why do you think cats are harmful to native animals?

Gallery Area: Portals to the Past Section: Super Sharks

This fossilized tooth belonged to megalodon, a prehistoric shark which became extinct 3.6 million years ago.

What do fossilised teeth teach us about the past?

What are two other extinct animals in this gallery? 1.

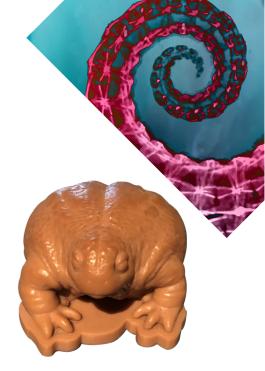
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Gallery Challenge

Can you find something in this gallery that

is covered in feathers

is now extinct







is alive

lives underwater

is covered in scales

has 4 legs

E LEVEL Connections Gallery

Gallery Area: Indian Ocean World

Find an object that interests you in the showcase. Use the interactive screens to find out more about it. What is the object?

Why did you choose it?

What did you find out about it?

Look Up! Can you see the Big Croc?

This Big Croc sculpture was made in 2011 by Ghost Nets Australia Artists in Western Cape York. They made this sculpture from items found in the ocean.

What are some materials you can see that Big Croc is made from?

If these materials were still in the ocean, how could it harm oceans and the animals in them?

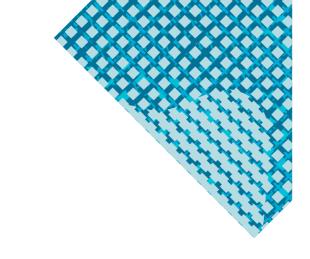
Gallery Area: World Stage Section: Britain and the British Empire

The toys in this case belonged to the Riley family. Look at their toys. How do they give clues that early settlers to Western Australia were still strongly connected to Great Britain?

Gallery Challenge: Indian Ocean World

These little Asian House Gekkos are one group of animals that have spread around the Indian Ocean to find new places to live. Can you find all 10 gekkos hiding in the Indian Ocean showcase?





Connecting

WA Museum Boola Bardip Self-guided Trail

C ROUND Ngalang Koort Boodja Wirn Gallery **Gallery Area: Welcome to Country** Section: Whadjuk Boodja

Kodj are only made by the Nyoongar peoples from the south west of Western Australia.

Read the interactive panel and find out.

What is the kodj made from?

What is it used for?

Gallery Area: Singing Country - the Speaking Land Section: Living Languages

Do you know any words in Nyoongar?

Find the board and match up the Nyoongar names with the animals. What animal is a

Koolbardi:

Noombat:

Maali:

Gallery Area: Contact, Invasion and Exchange Section: Country, Kin and Contact

The Nyoongar people's first contact with European Colonists was with distant sailing ships which appeared as giant floating birds on the horizon. This sculpture represents this encounter and was made by Nyoongar artist Laurel Nannup.

How do you think this sculpture represents that first contact?

Find the Yarning Circle.

The yarning circle is a place to sit and tell stories, and to listen to others tell stories. Sharing stories is one way to share knowledge.

Spend some time in the yarning circle and read or listen to one of the stories there.





