



Walker Street Artwork Project: Revitalising Central Dandenong



Local children participate in community consultation



Students viewed images of international examples of public art. They were then introduced to the Walker Street project site and the proposed artwork commission.



In small groups the students discussed the visual and written concepts from five Australian artists. All responses were captured in a worksheet and the responses formed part of the community consultation for the project.



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A student from each group reported their discussions to the whole class group. This process gave all students an understanding of the five artistic concepts and their meanings.



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Students were invited to place a sticker on their most and least favourite artistic concepts. The results were counted and then discussed with the whole class group.



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Students completed a community consultation postcard indicating their personal favourite and personal least favourite concept and explaining the reasons why.

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Students were thanked for their participation and informed of the next steps of the project. As a follow up activity students were asked to complete an activity with the school 'what is art?'



Step
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Decision makers listened to the views and ideas of children when planning for changes to public places and spaces in the municipality.

Children were kept informed of the design and project as it progressed.



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