



Theatre sports

Overview

Theatre Sports within the Art Gallery setting reaches right into the imagination of students of all ages and abilities. This program provides a new way for participants to understand and appreciate artworks, through engaging and challenging drama games. Using particular artworks as a visual stimulus, students will work individually and in teams to communicate their own responses and arts ideas through improvised gesture, movement and voice.

Before your visit

Compile a list of emotional responses to a number of different artworks and art styles.
Practice moving the body into different shapes or poses found in artworks.

Experiment with sounds and music to give an artwork a soundtrack. **Explore** different ways of telling a story; examine the verbal, non-verbal and pictorial. **Create** a series of tableaux to express a narrative, this can be done in small groups or as a whole class

Bookings

1. Interactive guided tour with a Voluntary Gallery Guide: free of charge.
2. Unique art activity with an Education Officer: charges and conditions apply.
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John Longstaff
Breaking the news, 1887
oil on canvas
Purchased with funds from the
Hackett Bequest Fund, 1933
State Art Collection,
Art Gallery of Western Australia