**SUSTAINABLE ART FOR A SUSTAINABLE MIND: YOUTH ART EXHIBITION ACCESS KEY**

The Propel team have written up some accessibility information about the exhibition venue Atwell House, as well as workshop venues Canning Bridge Community Space and AH Bracks Library. If you have any more questions relating to accessibility, or feedback on this access key, please send us a message by emailing hello@propel.org.au.

**AH BRACKS LIBRARY + CREATIVE SPACE**

**How do I enter the AH Bracks Library + Creative Space?**

Ah Bracks Library + Creative Space is a large building surrounded by the parkland Melville Reserve (431 Canning Highway, Melville).

There are two entrances into the building. The main entrance is the one facing the skate park and tennis courts. It has large decal signage and a large automatic sliding door you go through to enter.

The other entrance is directly opposite the main one. You will find this one as you move towards the recreation centre entrance. It also has a large automatic sliding door. When you go down this entrance, it is the first door to your right.

The entrance doors to the library are 1.73m in width and 2.57m in height

**How do I find the workshop space?**

The workshop space is immediately adjacent and accessible through the main library area. The doors to the workshop space are sliding doors that are 4.5m in width.

**How do I commute to AH Bracks Library + Creative Space**

AH Bracks Library is a 26-minute cycle from Fremantle Station. There is dedicated free parking outside the entrance to the venue including multiple ACROD bays and spaces for larger vehicles. There are two bus stops directly outside the venue located on Canning Highway for the 111 and the 910 buses. These buses run along Canning Highway between Fremantle Stn and Canning Bridge Stn. From Fremantle the buses take 15 minutes, and from Canning Bridge the buses take 13 minutes to arrive at the venue. We recommend going to the Transperth website to find what bus is best for getting there, and if there could be any disruptions to your route: <https://www.transperth.wa.gov.au/>

**Will the doors be opened or closed?**

For all of the venues, the doors will often be open throughout the time you’re there for. If the doors are closed, a Propel or City of Melville person, or lead artist Neish will be present to open the doors, offer any assistance and answer any questions.

**Is there a Quiet Space available in the venue?**

There isn’t a designated space, however the library is available as a quiet space used by the general public.

**BATHROOMS**

**What kind of toilets are at the venue?**

There is one toilet which is a Universal Access Toilet which has been recently refurbished to the current standard for access. Inside there is an infant change table.

**Where are they located?**

It is located to the direct right of the Space. As you are exiting the Space, turn right and there is a sign that indicates the ‘Parents Room’.

**INSIDE THE VENUE**

**Is AH Bracks Library + Creative Space indoors or outdoors?**

Indoors.

**Will the space be scent free?**

Yes, the space can be scent free.

**What is the lighting like?**

If there is nothing pinned up on the windows, the room is lit entirely by natural light. If there is, the natural light doesn’t come through enough to light the room, so we generally turn on the fluorescent lighting.

**Temperature of the space**

The space is air conditioned, so it is a climate-controlled (easy to manage) temperature.

 **What noise will be in the venue?**

The venue is inside a library, so noise is generally minimal. However, we occasionally have noises of young children crying and or laughing bleed through, especially on a weekend. The glass doors to the Space are quite thick, so when shut make for a reasonably soundproof room.

**PHYSICAL ACCESSIBILITY IN THE VENUE**

**How wide are the doors to enter AH Bracks Library + Creative Space, and the workshop room?**

The doors are manual sliding doors that are 4.5m in width.

**What are the table heights in the space?**

The table heights are 70cm.

**What is the floor like?**

The floor is linoleum. It’s a hard, and somewhat squishy texture.

**What is the seating like?**

We have a series of simple plastic black chairs. They have back support but can be hard after some time. Please bring a cushion if you would like to.

**ABOUT THE VENUES**

**Is there a smokers’/vapers’ area?**

All of venues involved in *Sustainable Art for a Sustainable Mind* are smoking and vaping-free. There are no smokers’/vapers’ areas inside the buildings. You must exit the venue and walk to the street outside if you wish to smoke or vape.

**Will there be child-care options available on site?**

There are no child-care options at Atwell House or Canning Bridge Community Space. At AH Bracks Library + Creative Space there is a change table in the Universal Access Toilet, and there is a parents room that includes wash facilities and an armchair for breastfeeding. While the nearby creche is not in use at the moment, LeisureFit Melville connected to the building has a children’s play area upon booking with a small fee.

**Can I bring my support animal?**

Yes, this is a support animal friendly opportunity.

**Can carers/support people come with me?**

Yes! You are welcome to bring your carer or support person with you.

**ABOUT THE YOUTH ART EXHIBITION AND WORKSHOPS**

**Do I need to bring any money?**

We recommend bringing cash/cards along with you if you find yourself wanting to purchase anything from local businesses, such as food and drink.

If you are getting to the venues by public transport, you will need to remember your Transperth card or bring coins to purchase a Transperth ticket.

**Do I need to bring anything?**

**FOOD** **–** We recommend bringing your own food and water bottles for workshops. We will break for lunch so if you’d like to bring food you can.

**MEDICAL EQUIPMENT –** Please bring an EpiPen, asthma puffer or any personal medical equipment you require or may require. There will be a first aid kit on-site at all sites.

**OTHER –** You are welcome to bring anything that helps you feel comfortable participating in this opportunity. Fidget toys are highly encouraged!

**What should I wear?**

Clothes that you don’t mind getting messy with arts and paints, and whatever you feel comfortable in! Air-conditioning or fans will be on inside the venues if it is warm outside, so you might want a layer of clothing in the event it gets cool.

**Will remote participation be available for the workshops?**

Remote participation is possible for those who would like to attend online. This will be coordinated by Propel Youth Arts WA and the City of Melville.

**What languages will be spoken and written during the workshops and exhibition?**

All spoken and written language will be in English.

**PHOTOGRAPHY AND VIDEOGRAPHY**

There will be photography and videography of during the exhibition. If you would not like to be in the photos, please let a Propel or City of Melville person know on the event day and we will accommodate to you.