

# *Paper Planet Workshops*

By Polyglot Theatre, in collaboration with Acchi Cocchi

Australia Pavilion, World Expo 2025 Osaka

## Visual Story



*Polyglot Theatre is supported by the Australian Government as part of Australia's participation in World Expo 2025 Osaka.*

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theatre is child's play ~~~

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## Before the Workshop



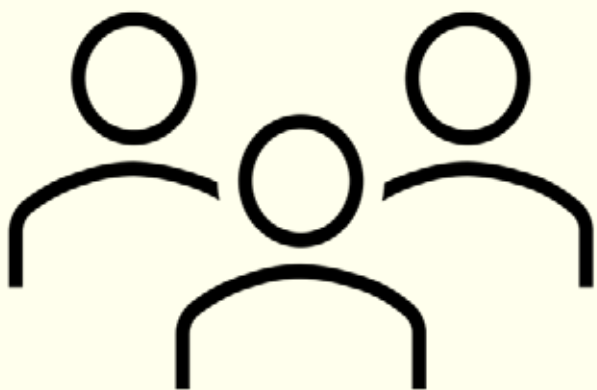
I will go to the Australia Pavilion at World Expo 2025 Osaka to be part of *Paper Planet* workshops with Polyglot Theatre.



The Australia Pavilion is a large building with displays and activities inside. There are trees around the area.



Polyglot and Acchi Cocchi artists will let me know that I am in the right place. I can say hello if I want to.



Other children and families will be arriving to be part of the workshop or visit the Pavilion.

## Some people I may meet:



Emily



Lachlan



Asuka



Rainbow



Mikako

## During the *Paper Planet* workshop



There will be tall cardboard trees in the space.



There will be paper and tape available for me to create with.



The Polyglot and Acchi Cocchi artists can help me fold, rip and scrunch paper, and use masking tape.



I can use my imagination and paper and tape to make things and add to the *Paper Planet* trees around me...



...or I can take my creation home!

## After the workshop



When the workshop is finished, or when my family is ready to go, I will leave the trees.



I can explore the Australia Pavilion with my family.



I can make myself a forest at home, and play with my family and friends.

**My space to draw**

## About Polyglot Theatre

Polyglot Theatre is a world-renowned contemporary theatre company based in Melbourne/Naarm, making exceptional arts experiences for children and families. Our unique brand of theatre encompasses a wide variety of forms and is shared with audiences everywhere, from the world's most prestigious theatres to the football grounds of regional Australia.

Polyglot's artistic and philosophical approach of child-centred practice has earned us a strong reputation at home and abroad as a leader in the Theatre for Young Audiences sector, celebrated for creating distinctive, participatory works that are playful and conceptually rigorous. Access is fundamental to our work at Polyglot; we are driven by the right of all children to experience growth and resilience through creative play.

[polyglot.org.au](http://polyglot.org.au)

## About Acchi Cocchi

NPO Acchi Cocchi is a Japanese organisation that delivers music and arts projects, focusing on disaster-affected communities in the Tohoku region. Translating to 'here and there' in Japanese, Acchi Cocchi collaborates with musicians to stage performances throughout the country and across the world.

[acchicocchi.com](http://acchicocchi.com)

## **About World Expo 2025 Osaka**

World Expo is one of the oldest and largest international events, held every five years since 1851, it is a global platform for achievement, innovation, collaboration, and cooperation. Australia will participate in the next World Expo in Osaka, Kansai, Japan from 13 April 2025 to 13 October 2025.

[expo2025.or.jp/en/](https://expo2025.or.jp/en/)

## **About Australia Pavilion**

Under the theme “Chasing the Sun”, the Australia Pavilion will create an immersive and uniquely Australian experience for all its visitors, as we invite them to discover something new about Australia. Through our striking national pavilion, we will deepen our relationship with Japan, create new opportunities for Australia and Australians, and showcase our modern and diverse nation to the world.

Australia will be among 161 participating countries and regions and 25 international organisations at the Expo.

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