

# Art Tree

By Polyglot Theatre

Presented by ArtPlay for Moomba Festival

## Visual Story



## Before *Art Tree*



I am going to ArtPlay to be part of an experience called *Art Tree* with performers from Polyglot Theatre.



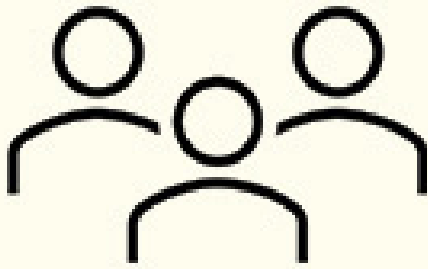
ArtPlay is a red brick building on the bank of the Yarra River.



Lots of people will be there for Moomba Festival.



There will be friendly people who will let me know that I am in the right place. I can say hello if I want to.



Other people will be arriving for Moomba Festival, or to be part of *Art Tree*.

## Some Polyglot People I might meet:



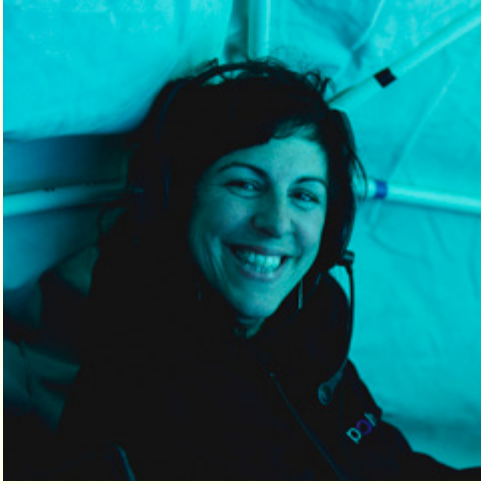
Emily



Maisy



Sunny



Sylvie



Youbi

## During Art Tree



There will be big trees surrounded by paper.



There will be baskets of natural materials, like leaves and twigs.



I can decorate these with markers.



I can add them to the big trees with colourful yarn.



I can draw on the paper on the floor, and on the paper around the trees.



Other people will be creating and playing as well.



I can explore the tree branches. What is hanging from them?



I can choose what I do in *Art Tree*.

## After Art Tree



When *Art Tree* is finished, I will leave the big trees.



I can explore Moomba Festival and the playground with my family.



I can create and play with natural materials at home.

**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.

Our 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 (TYA) sector, celebrated for creating distinctive, participatory and inclusive 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)

*Polyglot Theatre is assisted by the Australian Government through Creative Australia, its principal arts funding and advisory body, and the Victorian Government through Creative Victoria.*



## About ArtPlay

*ArtPlay offers creative programs specifically designed with, for and by children and families. Children (from babies to 13 years) collaborate with artists to express themselves in a playful exchange.*

[melbourne.vic.gov.au/artplay](http://melbourne.vic.gov.au/artplay)

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## About Moomba Festival

*The iconic Moomba Festival welcomes people into the city annually on the Labour Day long weekend in March (5-9), to experience the traditions and fun of Melbourne's longest-running and largest community festival.*

[moomba.melbourne.vic.gov.au](http://moomba.melbourne.vic.gov.au)

