



# CHATTERBOX CHALLENGE

WANT TO SPARK A CONVERSATION ABOUT ART? TRY THE CHATTERBOX CHALLENGE TO EXPLORE NEW WAYS TO DISCUSS IT!

BENDIGO ART GALLERY

Fold this chatterbox to discover questions for exploring artworks at Bendigo Art Gallery!

## HOW TO USE YOUR CHATTERBOX:

- Choose an artwork that interests you.
- Person A picks a colour (e.g. "Blue"). Person B spells it out ("B-L-U-E") while moving the chatterbox in and out.
- Person A selects an option from inside the chatterbox.
- Person B lifts the flap to reveal the question.
- Start your discussion!

<p><b>BLUE</b></p>	<p><b>LOOK CLOSER</b></p>  <p>Explain what you think the artist was feeling when they made this artwork.</p>	<p><b>FIND A DETAIL</b></p>  <p>Can you find something unexpected in the artwork?</p>	<p><b>RED</b></p>
<p><b>STEP BACK</b></p>  <p>Explain how this artwork makes you feel.</p>	<p><b>WHAT DO YOU HEAR?</b></p>  <p>What sounds would you hear if you were in this artwork?</p>	<p><b>WHAT TITLE WOULD YOU GIVE THIS ARTWORK IF IT DIDN'T HAVE ONE?</b></p>  <p>NAME THE ARTWORK</p>	<p><b>WHAT DOES THIS ARTWORK REMIND YOU OF FROM YOUR OWN LIFE?</b></p>
<p><b>SPOT A TEXTURE</b></p>  <p>What materials did the artist use, and how did they create this artwork?</p>	<p><b>MAKE A CONNECTION</b></p>  <p>What does this artwork remind you of from your own life?</p>	<p><b>GUESS THE STORY</b></p>  <p>What do you think is happening in this artwork?</p>	<p><b>YELLOW</b></p>
<p><b>GREEN</b></p>			

# FOLDING INSTRUCTIONS

**Fold Diagonally:** Fold the square paper diagonally in half to form a triangle. Open it back up and fold it diagonally the other way. When you unfold it, you should have two diagonal creases that cross in the center.

**Fold the Corners to the Center:** With the square flat, take each corner of the paper and fold it toward the center point where the two diagonal creases meet. You should now have a smaller square shape.

**Flip and Repeat:** Flip the paper over so the folded flaps are facing down. Again, fold each corner to the center point. You'll end up with an even smaller square.

**Create Creases for Opening:** Fold the smaller square in half horizontally, then unfold it. Then fold it in half vertically and unfold it again. This will create creases that make it easier to manipulate the chatterbox.

**Form the Pockets:** With the folds facing up, gently lift the paper and slip your fingers under the four flaps (pockets) created on the back side. Pinch the sides together to form a 3D shape.

**Shape It for Use:** Once your fingers are in place, you can move the flaps back and forth by pinching and pulling with your fingers.

**Your chatterbox is ready!**

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