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Civic Centre opens doors to Art

The Darwin City Council Civic Centre has been transformed.

Over the next month, the Civic Centre will become a gallery to display some of Darwin's freshest new art.

Darwin Lord Mayor Graeme Sawyer, is excited to see young talent on display "this is a great way for the community to see our young people doing something positive" he said "too often the media reports bad stories, we need to see the good side as well".

An exhibition of 2D artwork by Essington School students begins on Monday 19 October, with a range of paintings, drawings, prints and collages by Transition - Year 6 students. The exhibition will run for 3 weeks.

Collages by Parap Primary School and Anula Primary School are also on display throughout the building.

From November 13, the upstairs corridor and function area will be transformed as Darwin High School's Year 12 art students showcase their year's work.

All exhibitions are free and open to the public during business hours. Visitors are asked to report to Customer Service upon arrival.

For more information please contact Alice Rae, the Arts and Cultural Development Officer on 8930 0674 or a.rae@darwin.nt.gov.au