

On the Scent of Sandalwood hands-on activity

This activity involves participants in:

A multi-sensory experience learning to identify different scents

It links to the interpretive panel nearby 'Settlers Gathered...' which explains the importance of sandalwood to early settlers.

A carved sandalwood frame can be seen in the same area along with a photograph of Alf Grigson, a York farmer who won the prize certificate contained in it.

The interpretive panel helps students to understand the ways settlers used natural resources.

Real growing sandalwood can be seen in the Ballardong Noongar Six Seasons Garden Walk.

Further information about current use of sandalwood can be found at

<http://www.wheatbeltmrm.org.au/reports-publications/sustainable-agriculture/tree-crops/>

Tangible links can be made to the remaining Sandalwood Yards in York, once the central collecting point for the district's sandalwood trade.



The Sandalwood Yards, Avon Terrace, York