

## STEAM Enrichment Program 2025

### Analytical, critical and Creative writing responses

As part of your application, you are to attempt the responses associated with each stimulus below. We would like to get an understanding of how you think and respond to particular scenarios.

Read the questions posed with each stimulus and respond **in your own words**. You are to use the visuals and quote as stimulus to support your responses.

Please note that it is important that you stick to the guidelines outlined below which include word limits for each section.

Do not Google information, use the resources provided and think.

**You may hand write or type your response. Make sure it is submitted with your portfolio.**

### Stimulus 1 – Analytical Subjective (Personal) Response

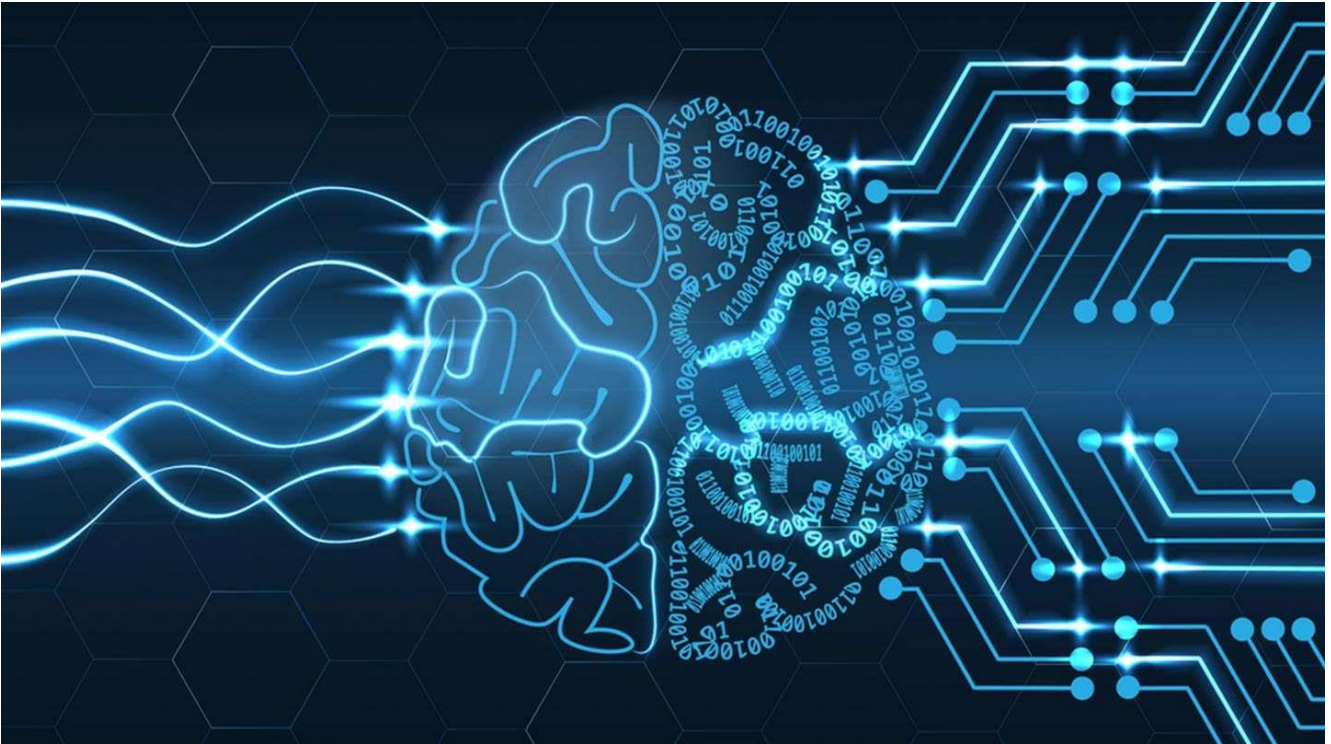


What mood, atmosphere or emotions do you think the Australian artist John Percival, is attempting to convey in this painting? How does he achieve this using paint?

We want know what **you** think. **Use your own words** to write your personal response which must be between **200 – 400 words**.

(tip: Describe and explain what you see)

## Stimulus 2 – Critical Thinking Response



Technology has come a long way in a short period of time.

In your opinion, how is artificial intelligence (AI) changing our world? What could be the advantages and disadvantages of AI now and in the future?

You can respond by;

- 200-300 written opinion-based response
- Annotated drawings
- Cartoons with text
- Animation
- Short film (3mins max)

Make sure any digital responses do not require permissions to open.



### Stimulus 3 – Creative Writing

Use the following picture as the stimulus for the beginning of Creative writing response.



*You are stranded on a remote island with no hope of being rescued. You have a pen, one bottle and one piece of paper. You would like to let people know what happened to you, who you are and how you'd like to be remembered.*

Your response should be between **200 – 400 words**.

