

# Francis Burt Law Education Programme

## Cluedunnit Kids: 2025 Brief of Evidence



**Mission Investigate: Have Fun, Ask Questions and Get Creative**

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## Sergeant Justin Thyme





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My name is Justin Thyme and I am a Sergeant of Police stationed at Novella Lakes Police Station. I have been a police officer for 22 years.

On Thursday, 5 November 2024 at 7.55am I was patrolling the Novella Lakes area in a marked police car. I was travelling north just near the Novella Lakes Train Station when I saw a woman waving me down. I stopped the car and she told me that she had seen a youth writing graffiti on a wall. The woman gave me a description of the youth, noting that he was wearing baggy clothes and a cap pulled down low over his face. She told me that she thought that the teenager may have run into the Novella Lakes Train Station.

I parked the car and walked into the station and onto the railway platform. There are two platforms at the Novella Lakes Train Station.





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As I walked onto the Perth bound platform, I saw a group of three youths on the platform wearing hip hop style baggy clothes and caps. I asked the three boys their names and they identified themselves as:

- Will Inkitt, 15 years old of 5 Banksia Place, Pristine Pines;
- Hugh Jartpiece, 15 years old of 1 Acacia Loop, Lawless Bay; and
- Mike Anvass, 15 years old from 13 Hakea Grove, Rebel Glades.

I said I needed them to come to the Novella Lakes Police Station to assist with my enquiries into a matter relating to the criminal damage of a wall outside Novella Lakes Train Station. As they were all under the age of 18, I told them a parent or guardian would need to be present while they were interviewed. I told them they did not have to say anything or answer any questions. I also told them anything they told me would be recorded and could be used in evidence against them in court.





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Will Inkitt and Hugh Jartpiece replied, “Yes, okay whatever.” Mike Anvass said, “We ain’t done nothing, bro”. I repeated the caution to him and asked if he understood. He confirmed that he did understand.

The three youth were then taken by police vehicle to the Novella Lakes Police Station. Their parents attended shortly after. Each youth, in the presence of at least one parent, gave their name, date of birth and address. They each declined to make a statement and refused to answer any further questions as is their right. None of the suspects, nor their parents, requested a lawyer.

After obtaining a forensic procedure order, I photographed each of the suspects. **Those photographs are included in this Brief of Evidence; JT01** Will Inkitt, **JT02** Hugh Jartpiece, **JT03** Mike Anvass.

Each of the youths were directed to empty their pockets.





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I photographed the contents of the pockets of Will Inkitt and labelled that photograph **JT04**. I put on gloves and labelled the items in his pockets as follows and placed them into individual sealed evidence bags; **JT04a** Thick nib marker, **JT04b** Thin nib marker, **JT04c** iPhone mobile phone, **JT04d** Artrider Transearch card (This item was returned to the suspect), **JT04e** 2 x Mentos packets, **JT04f** \$5 note (This item was returned to the suspect).

I photographed the contents of the pockets of Hugh Jartpiece and labelled that photograph **JT05**. I put on new gloves and labelled the items in his pockets as follows and placed them into individual sealed evidence bags; **JT05a** Medium nib marker, **JT05b** Nokia mobile phone, **JT05c** 1 x Mentos packet, **JT05d** Wallet (This item was returned to the suspect).







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I photographed the contents of the pockets of Mike Anvass and labelled that photograph **JT06**. I put on new gloves and labelled the items in his pockets as follows and placed them into individual sealed evidence bags; **JT06a** Fine nib marker, **JT06b** iPhone mobile phone, **JT06c** 1 x \$1.00 coin and 1 x 20c coin (These items were returned to the suspect), **JT06d** Tissue.

I put on new gloves each time and took swabs from the hands and fingernails of each youth. I labelled them **JT07** (Will Inkitt), **JT08** (Hugh Jartpiece) and **JT09** (Mike Anvass) and placed them into sealed evidence bags.

I also took a photograph of the graffiti on the wall outside the Novella Lakes Station . **This photograph is included in this Brief of Evidence and is labelled JT10**. I noted that the graffiti was the word WINK with a picture of an eye next to it.





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When I was inspecting the graffiti, I noticed a lolly wrapper on the ground next to the wall with the Wink graffiti. I took a photograph of that wrapper and labelled it **JT11**. I then put on gloves picked up the wrapper and put it into a sealed evidence bag and labelled it **JT11a**.

I then took a statement from Paige Turner; the lady that flagged me down and reported the graffiti. Ms Turner owns the book store across the road from Novella Lakes Train Station.

## Note for Investigators

*The majority, but maybe not all, of Sergeant Thyme's labelled exhibits are noted in his statement.*







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Will Inkitt JT01



Hugh Jartpiece JT02



Mike Anvass JT03



JT10





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## Senior Constable Linus Uppe





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I am a Senior Constable stationed at Novella Lakes Police Station. I have been a police officer for 13 years. One area of investigation I specialise in is identification of graffiti tags.

On 6 November 2024, I received a photo from Sergeant Justin Thyme of a graffiti tag, which seemed to read Wink, on a wall outside the Novella Lakes Station. The photo was labelled **JT10**.

I scanned the image of the Wink graffiti tag and put it through the database to see if it matched any other images recorded in our system. The tag was matched to matching graffiti that had been illegally applied to property in the suburbs of Pristine Pines and Lawless Bay. I collated the matching Wink graffiti tags and labelled the file **LU01**.





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The owner of the Wink graffiti tag has yet to be identified.

I made enquiries with Transearch, who manage the Novella Lakes Train Station, and was provided with access to the CCTV footage around the time of the graffiti incident on 5 November 2024.

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*The majority, but maybe not all, of Senior Constable Uppe's labelled exhibits are noted in her statement.*





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Dr Dee Enay





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My name is Dr Dee Enay. I am a chemical analyst at the State Analytical Laboratory. I have a Doctorate in Chemistry and a post-graduate degree in Forensic Science.

On 6 November 2024, I took possession of a number of evidence bags related to a graffiti matter at Novella Lakes Train Station on 5 November 2024.

Sergeant Justin Thyme requested that I forensically examine the following items, all of which were received in sealed evidence bags, and I prepared reports on my findings.







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Forensic Exhibit Number	Exhibit Number of Item/s Being Analysed	Description of Forensic Examination
DE01	JT07, JT08, JT09	Swab analysis report of the hand and fingernail scrapings of the three suspects.
DE02	JT11a	Fingerprint and DNA analysis of lolly wrapper found near graffiti.
DE03	JT04a, JT04b, JT05a, JT06a	Chemical analysis of the chemical components of each marker pen.
DE04	JT04c, JT05b, JT06b  Note: Each suspect voluntarily provided the PIN for their mobile phones. A Data Access Order was not required.	Report on data download of each mobile phone.







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## Note for Investigators

*If a Forensic Exhibit Number lists multiple Exhibit Number of Item/s Being Analysed these are considered bundled exhibits and investigators can ask for a report on those items by asking only one question.*

*The majority, but maybe not all, of Dr Dee Enay's Forensic Exhibits are noted in her statement.*





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**Sergeant Justin Thyme**



**Senior Constable Linus Uppe**





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The Novella Lakes Police need your assistance to identify the prime suspect in this matter who will be charged with the following:

- Unlawful Damage s445 Criminal Code

## Damaging Property (s445 Criminal Code)

### **445. Damaging property**

A person who unlawfully destroys or damages the property of another person without that other person's consent is guilty of an offence and is liable to imprisonment for 2 years and a fine of \$24 000.

As the suspects are aged between 10 and 17, if this matter proceeds to court it would be heard in the Children's Court of Western Australia.

