

SPOTLIGHT ON

Vittoria Street 24 - 31 May 2019



During spring 2019, the JQ Townscape Heritage project worked with four local makers who delivered a series of workshops with local children and young people. They explored the history of Vittoria Street, learning about people who lived and worked there and hearing the stories that lie behind the buildings. They have created work inspired by these stories, using the new skills that they have learnt.

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A week of activities which highlight the heritage of Vittoria street in the Jewellery Quarter

1 The Old Fire Station Nursery & Tina Francis Tapestry

The Big Peg - Warstone Lane

Created by pre-school children, the inspiration for this installation came from the different trades which have existed on Vittoria Street including chandelier and jewellery making and plate painting.

2 BCU School of Jewellery Photo Archive

The School of Jewellery - Vittoria Street.

Discover photos from the historic archive of the School of Jewellery, and see the buildings journey from the 1800's to the present day.

3 Brookfields Primary School & Dual Works

The School of Jewellery - Vittoria Street.

Pupils designed and made their own pressing tool, which they used to stamp patterns on their flower design. These bright and vibrant flowers have been designed and made by these pupils to celebrate the heritage and manufacturing techniques which they discovered on Vittoria Street.

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Central Academy & We are Frilly

The Hive - Vittoria Street

Through lino cutting, laser cutting, paper cutting and street art the students have added their own story to the street's heritage. Creating their own makers mark to leave an identity hallmark on the street, the students have woven their journeys within the narrative of the makers that once lived here.

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Jewellery Quarter Academy & Deborette Clarke

The Hive - Vittoria Street

Inspired by their visit, the Key Stage 3 students experimented with leather and clay to produce buttons and button cards. They worked with local maker Deborette Clarke to develop their ideas, based on the rich heritage and modern times of the Jewellery Quarter.



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