

# Mundingburra State School

## *Rainforest Resilience*

Just as Australia's Indigenous cultures are recognised as the world's oldest living culture, *Rainforest Resilience* draws inspiration from the world's most ancient naturally surviving rainforest in North Queensland which has stood proudly for an estimated 180 million years.

Mundingburra State School is among the oldest schools in Townsville. Our school is blessed with grounds filled with biodiverse rainforest trees whose root systems dig deep into Country, just as our many and varied Songlines of our students and staff. Such heritage inspires thoughts of the resilience of nature, and the resilience of our Peoples.

In our piece, vibrant flowers and butterflies represent both remembrance of our ancestors (our Elders), and revitalisation of culture through our young people.

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Fabric, wood, wooden beads, raffia, floristry wire.



