

YEAR 12 VISUAL ARTS

BODY OF WORK

Artist Statement

NAME

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TITLE

Ebbs and Flows

EXPRESSIVE FORM

Painting x3
1 piece

My Body of Work observes the ebbs and flows of the ocean, and the people who exist within it. The horizon line that splits ocean and sky, the tide that rises and falls. The spectrum of colour warped by light, and gravity.

Situated at Cabbage Tree Bay Reserve, on the Northern Beaches, I sought to capture the uninhibited experience of my sisters, swimming to the rhythm of water; fluidly connected to the sea. Blue, a colour traditionally associated with melancholy dimensions of art, has been subverted in my piece. The blue of the ocean symbolises exploration, the unknown and freedom within the ebbs and flows of the hydrosphere.