## activities drama

## LIVING STATUES

**DESCRIPTION** 

Bring statues to life

**RESOURCE** 

Large, open space

**SKILLS REQUIRED** 

Imagination

## **HOW IT WORKS**

In small groups (suggestion: 4 – 5), players are moulded into shapes that are the starting positions for improvisation.

The coach gives the players a situation and location:

A young boy and his father arrive on an Australian shore and meet locals

A young boy walks through the Australian bushland and discovers Australian wildlife

A young boy and his father setting up camp in the Australian bushland

A young boy and his father arriving in the gold fields and digging/panning for gold

Team 1 stands in the performance space.

Team 2 moulds one player each into a starting position. Once all are moulded, Team 2 return to the audience space and the short scene begins. Repeat with all teams.