



# Short St. Gallery

## Benita Woodman

**Born** 1995  
**Language** Alyawarr  
**Region** Canteen Creek, NT



## Biography

*"I like painting because I can do it with my family."*

Benita Woodman is an emerging artist from Ampilatwatja, Benita has a long-standing interest in art having been taught by her mother and grandmother. Benita comes from a large family of painters that stretch over multiple communities. Her mother and grandmother paint at the Ampilatwatja Art Centre and she has many aunts and cousins painting at the Canteen Creek and Epenarra Art Centres.

Benita has adopted a style that is familiar in the Barkly Region, combining tight networks of dotting with figurative depictions of the land to portray the hill country of Iytwelepenty (the Davenport Ranges).