



Short St. Gallery

Antama Baker

Born	1975
Language	Yankunytjatjara
Region	APY Lands

Biography

Antama was born at Indulkana and grew up at the newly established Indulkana Community. As a child Antama and his siblings lived in a wiltja (hand-built shelter) beside the Indulkana Creek, his family eventually moved closer to the community as housing became available. Antama's mother, Angkuna Baker, pioneered the first school at Indulkana, which operated from a wiltja before moving to the new building at Indulkana. Antama's father, Alec Baker, is a respected law man, and stockman. Both Angkuna and Alec are accredited artists, with paintings held in many major public collections across Australia. Antama began painting at Iwantja Arts in 2024, he works alongside his father Alec in the men's studio room, painting important iconography and depictions of Country taught to him by his father. Antama is also a talented musician, he plays guitar and piano and performs regularly in the community.