

Nanguluwur art site (Narng-oo-loo-war)

The Nanguluwur art site, near Nourlangie Rock, is reached via the Gubara road. It is a fairly small gallery suited to people who can handle the 1.7- kilometre one way walk.



Many rock art styles are represented at Nanguluwur. There are hand stencils, dynamic figures in large head-dresses carrying spears and boomerangs, representations of Namandi spirits and mythical figures, including Alkajko, a female spirit with four arms and horn-like protuberances.



Among the more recent art is a frieze of fish and a short-necked turtle painted by Old Nym Djimongurr, a Wardjag man and a friend of Nayambolmi, who repainted some of the figures at nearby Nourlangie Rock. In the middle of the shelter is an example of contact art, a painting of a two-masted sailing ship with anchor chain and a dinghy trailing behind.

