

Loughborough Jewels
Participatory project

LU Arts Market Town

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DAY TRIP

A memory of visiting the market town of Loughborough. Weekly trips on Saturdays with mum, irrespective of the weather.



A memory of a mother, who has lived her life in Loughborough, first working at the Genatosa factory, and attending the cinema pictured. The brooch will be gifted to a sister to remember this mother; hence the flowers.



Athletic Grounds

A memory derived from local history based on the prior existence of the 'Athletic Grounds' in Loughborough.



A memory linked to the market town and Queen's park. Happy and joyful thoughts of a first visit, but also the anxiety of not knowing the place.



KEY



A memory of a day spent with her child, during which they discovered the Old Rectory Museum in Loughborough. Provoking a passion for local history, whereupon she eventually became a custodian of the museum.



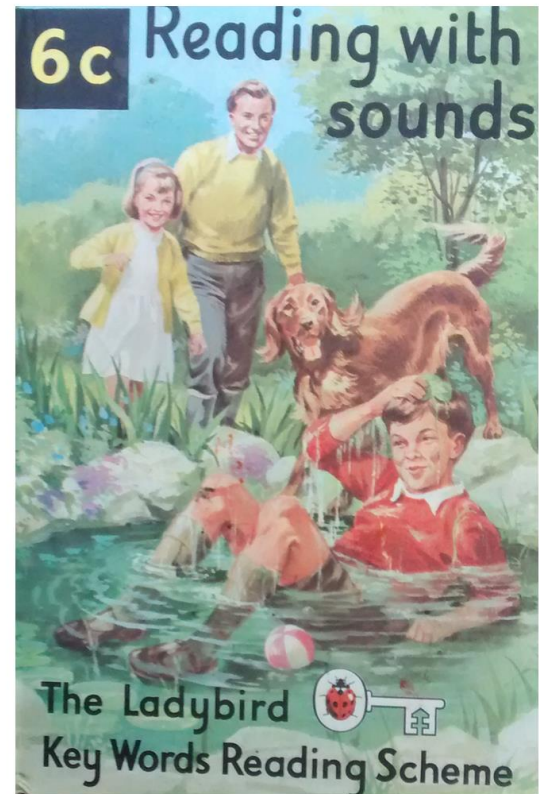
Leaf

A memory of a town originally perceived as a temporary host, but one that became a home for decades; accompanied by the development of creative garden.



Fireworks and Poppies

**A memory of time spent in
Queen's Park. Poppies in the sky
on Remembrance Sunday and the
sights and sounds of the fun-fair.
Fireworks at night.**



Ladybird Book

A memory of happy times in the countryside, inspired by the design and images within the book. Itself linked to Loughborough



A memory linked to a life on the road. Hard winters, beautiful spring into a flourishing life.



Bouquet

A memory of studying at Loughborough University where she met her husband and later started a family. The wedding bouquet featured local flowers.