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Super painting for hospital

The stunning painting now brightening up the reception of South Tyneside District Hospital's Accident and Emergency department is the work of some very talented – and very young – artists.

About 30 five and six-year-olds at Simonside Primary School in Jarrow contributed to the art work in the style of comic book illustrations to highlight the work of 'superhero' local doctors and nurses.

Class teacher and deputy head Lisa Pegman said: "The children are thrilled and proud that their work is on such prominent display in the hospital."

Ali James, unit manager for acute paediatrics, said: "I'm delighted that we have the children's work on show. It is great and it really stands out and brightens up the A&E reception area." ends

Pictured above: South Tyneside District Hospital staff with the painting by Simonside Primary School pupils

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