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Expressing their creative vision for the City of Jackson, art students from nine area schools displayed murals Saturday on the grounds at One Jackson Place that will decorate the construction fence around the downtown building site of The Pinnacle at Jackson Place. The theme, *Jackson: City With Soul*, was interpreted in designs that ranged from music to food and art. Jackson Place developer Parkway Properties plans to display the 4'x8' murals beginning in May at the building site and continuing through the fourth quarter 2008, when The Pinnacle is slated for completion. The mural project was coordinated by the Mississippi Museum of Art and funded by Parkway Properties. Schools participating in the art mural project were Casey Elementary, Jackson Academy, Jackson Preparatory School, Lanier High School, Power APAC, St. Andrew's Lower School, St. Andrew's Upper School, St. Joseph Catholic School and St. Richard Catholic School.

“Parkway wanted more for this building project than just a simple construction fence,” said Steve Rogers, Parkway Properties President and CEO. “These beautiful murals will add color and vitality during the construction of The Pinnacle, and serve as a daily reminder of the positive transformation taking place here. These local art students went beyond our expectations. Their talent and creative vision for Jackson will enrich the downtown atmosphere over the next year and a half.”

Pictured are Casey Elementary first graders Julia McMillon, left, and Sophia Bowley, both of Jackson.

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