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Wariswara x Anak Nismilan: Integrating Negeri Sembilan Cultural Identity into Blind Box Character and Packaging Design

Wariswara x Anak Nismilan is a Final Year Project that explores the integration of Negeri Sembilan cultural identity into modern blind box character and packaging design. Inspired by the growing popularity of collectible blind boxes among younger audiences, the project aims to reinterpret local heritage through a contemporary and emotionally engaging design approach. The project focuses on cultural elements rooted in Negeri Sembilan's Minangkabau heritage and traditions, including traditional attire, architecture and leadership systems.

Through semiotic analysis, visual exploration and interviews, these cultural elements are translated into a stylised blind box series known as Anak Nismilan. By combining cultural storytelling with collectible design aesthetics, Wiraswara x Anak Nismilan aims to promote appreciation for local identity while presenting Malaysian culture in a more relatable and modern format for today's generation.

